

Welcome! We're so glad you're with us today  
and look forward to connecting with you.

**Happy Grandparents Day** We appreciate you! Don't forget to stop by our photo booth, pick up some resources, and enjoy a cookie. We also have a gift for you!

**Roadside Diner** Tomorrow! 12-2pm, Worship Center. Senior Adults, join us for our first diner of the year! BBQ honoring first responders and music with Mike North.

**Women's Fall Bible Studies** begin this week. Pick up a flyer or go online to learn more about the studies offered. Many studies and times to choose from.

**Baptism Class** Sept 17, 11:15am, Room 6. Our next baptisms will be Oct 1. If you're interested in baptism or planning to be baptized, this is the class for you.

**Child Dedications** If you would like to dedicate your child to the Lord at our next Celebration Service (Oct 1) submit your information by Sept 21.

**Route 66 Bible Study (Senior Adults)** Starts Sept 18, 10:30am, Student Center. Studying the book of Colossians.

**Christmas Show Auditions** Sept 19, 6:45pm, Worship Center. If you love acting and storytelling, come be part of the Christmas show this year! More info online.

**MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers)** Starts in Sept. Meets the 2nd and 4th Tuesday mornings of each month. Registration is now open. Join us this year as we Say Yes!

**MOPS Volunteers Needed** If you're interested, contact [mops@wearescc.org](mailto:mops@wearescc.org).

**Snohomish Discipleship Institute** Fall classes start Sept 19. Choose from 5 courses.

**Pastors' Dessert** Sept 24, 6-7:30pm, Main Lobby. New? Want to see the church, meet others, & learn more about SCC? Join us! Childcare available.

**Kids Gospel Groups** Wednesdays, 6:30pm, starts Sept 27. Registration is open for kids K-5th to gather and dive deeper into what it means to live for God! We still need volunteers - email: [gospelgroups@wearescc.org](mailto:gospelgroups@wearescc.org).

**Discover SCC** Oct 1, 8:15-11am. Student Center. Come learn about our history and values and what SCC membership looks like.

**Life Group Kick-off** Oct 1. Come check out what groups we have and find one that might work for you!

**Young Adults Teaching Night** Starts Oct 3. Tuesdays, 6:30-8:30pm, SCC. Gather for fellowship, teaching, and food as we dive into the book of Colossians .

**Truckstop Fellowship** Starts Oct 4, 1st Wed of the month, 8-9am, Student Center. Senior Men, join us for a brief teaching time followed by discussion and prayer.

**Connection Card and Giving** Request prayer, help with next steps in your faith, and other ways to connect. Also, thank you for faithfully giving online and in the giving boxes on the back walls. Visit us at [wearescc.org](http://wearescc.org).

**As always, you can register for any event online at [wearescc.org](http://wearescc.org) or in person at Guest Services in the lobby.**



**Sunday, September 10, 2023**

Pastor Fred Williams  
Created to be Generous  
Philippians 4:17-19

- 2 Corinthians 9:6

- 2 Corinthians 9:7

- 2 Corinthians 9:8

## The Setting

- Philippians 4:16; 2 Corinthians 11:9

## 3 principles about giving financially—

**1. Giving benefits the \_\_\_\_\_ more than the \_\_\_\_\_. v. 17**

a. God views acts of generosity as spiritual \_\_\_\_\_. v. 17a

b. God views acts of generosity as \_\_\_\_\_. v. 17b

- Proverbs 11:24–25; Luke 6:38

**2. Giving blesses \_\_\_\_\_ more than the \_\_\_\_\_. v. 18**

- Hebrews 13:15-16

**3. Giving acknowledges God as the rightful \_\_\_\_\_ over \_\_\_\_\_ that we possess. v. 19**

- Acts 17:25

a. \_\_\_\_\_ security is found in \_\_\_\_\_. v. 19

b. God meets our needs in a way that \_\_\_\_\_ who He \_\_\_\_\_.

## Conclusion

1. Remember that supporting Jesus' \_\_\_\_\_ is a very \_\_\_\_\_ practice.

2. Don't \_\_\_\_\_ to start practicing sacrificial generosity.

3. Ask God to help you \_\_\_\_\_ in your level of \_\_\_\_\_.

**We invite you back next week, and be sure to check out [wearescc.org](http://wearescc.org)!**