

Weird Week three - "Weirdly Generous" 1 Timothy 6:17-19 Bottom line: There is a way of living that is weirdly and wildly generous and insanely full.

- 1. If currency is a "made-up thing," why does it dictate so much of our lives? What decisions have you made recently that were financially-based?
- 2. Why is money often such an uncomfortable thing to talk about, including and maybe even especially in church?
- 3. When you think of someone who could be described as weirdly generous, what does that mean? What's the difference between being generally generous, and being "weirdly generous"?
- 4. Read 1 Timothy 6:17-19
  - a. What does it mean to be "rich in this present world"? Who are the people Paul is telling Timothy to address in our current world?
  - b. How are you tempted to put your hope in wealth?
  - c. What are some ways you enjoy doing good? How does doing good change you? How does it change the atmosphere around you?
  - d. What does it look like, or could it look like, for you to be rich in good deeds?
- 5. How is building a permanent homebase for our church a weirdly generous thing for us to do?
- 6. What's your greatest fear or obstacle when you think about a life of weird generosity?
- 7. What is one practical move you can make in the direction of weird generosity?

Using these questions with your small group? End your time to pray each person will increasingly live a life of generosity based on the specific answers to the questions above - challenges, joys, etc.