LIFE GROUPS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- 1. Share a time when you felt great delight when you gave generously.
- 2. Why does giving bring delight to us? Why would giving NOT bring us delight?
- 3. Read Acts 20:35. To what degree do you believe Jesus' words? Why is it such a challenge to always believe and live out these words?
- 4. Read 2 Chronicles 24:1-3. How many of us would have the wisdom to lead a nation at 7 years of age (or 18 years of age for that matter)?
- 5. Who has been a great mentor in your life? Why do mentors matter?



Delight

2 Chronicles 24:1-16

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- 6. Read 2 Chronicles 24:4-7. King Joash sensed God call him to restore the temple. Why did the temple restoration not happen right away? When have you felt God's work take time in your life?
- 7. Read 2 Chronicles 24:8-11. Why did the people "gladly" bring contributions to the temple restoration if this was a tax?
- 8. Read 2 Corinthians 9:6-7. Describe the difference of the call of a New Testament Christian in bringing tithes and offerings to the Lord versus an Old Testament call to pay a tax. How is giving generously to the Lord an opportunity versus a burden?
- 9. Read 2 Chronicles 24:12-14. The Israelites provided plenty of funds to keep the temple operating continually. How does this passage relate to Christ's ministry through the local church (i.e. Westside)?
- 10. Read 2 Chronicles 24:15-16. Scripture communicates the "good he [Jehoiada] had done in Israel for God and his temple." What should we desire for our impact to be upon our community and church at the end of our days?
- 11. Do you believe your impact is what it should be for your community and church? What needs to change?

