



generosity

Discussion Questions 8/16/26

A Cheerful Giver

Intro: Biblical generosity isn't something we just dream about—it's something we intentionally plan for. The Bible calls us to give cheerfully and without compulsion. Ultimately, generosity isn't about making ourselves richer or simply meeting a need; it is the fruit of God's grace in us as we become more like Jesus, the most joyful and generous being in the universe.

Story: Share a moment where God took care of you through generosity. This could be through supernatural means or through another individual.

Read: 2 Corinthians 9

1. Why do you think the Bible talks about money so much?
2. Paul worked incredibly hard in this passage to avoid guilt. Why do you think Paul wanted to avoid any money given through guilt?
3. Generosity is less about the amount we give and more about what kind of people we are becoming. How does practicing generosity shape us spiritually?
4. Read Deuteronomy 15:1-10. God's intention has always been for his people to be generous. He calls His people, in this passage, to a particular posture that requires them to see the needy. How can we ensure we are living lives that actually see the needy and those most in need?
5. Paul encouraged us to "sow seed to the poor." What are some practical ways we could become more intentional about generosity toward people in need?

Pray:

- For freedom from the traps wealth lays for us.
- The provision of those most in need.
- Opportunities to be generous.