

Ephesians 4:1-3, 11-13, 16 NIV

As a prisoner for the Lord, then, I urge you to **live a life worthy of the calling you have received**. Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. **Make every effort** to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace... 7 But **to each one of us grace has been given** as Christ apportioned it... 11 So **Christ himself gave** the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the pastors and teachers, **to equip his people for works of service**, so that the body of Christ may **be built up** until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ... 16 From him the whole body, joined and held together by every supporting ligament, **grows and builds itself up in love, as each part does its work**.

THIS IS BIGGER THAN ME.

EPHESIANS 4:1-3, 11-13

ROMANS 12:4-5

For just as each of us has one body with many members... so in Christ we, though many, form one body, and **each member belongs to all the others**.

2 TIMOTHY 1:9

He has saved us and called us to a holy life—not because of anything we have done **but because of His own purpose and grace**.

THIS IS BETTER WITH YOU.

EPHESIANS 4:7, 16

1 PETER 4:10

Each of you should use **whatever gift you have received** to serve others, **as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms**.

GO “ALL IN” THIS YEAR

1. RAMP UP WITH **DISCOVER TRACK**
2. CONNECT IN A **SMALL GROUP**
3. DIG DEEPER IN A “**GROW-U**” **CLASS**
4. **MAKE A DIFFERENCE** ON THE DREAM TEAM
5. **PRAY ABOUT GIVING** IN DECEMBER'S LEGACY OFFERING

MATTHEW 25:14-30 | JOHN 15:8 | 2 CORINTHIANS 9:10-11

THIS IS BROADER THAN US.

ACTS 3:1-10

LET'S GO ALL IN... **TOGETHER**.

GO PUBLIC WITH THIS DECISION. **BRING SOMEONE** WITH YOU.

MATTHEW 16:24-25 | JOHN 12:24-25 | MARK 10:45

ON YOUR OWN:

THIS IS **BIGGER THAN ME**.

Does the stewardship of my time reflect this?

If someone looked at my calendar, would they see Kingdom priorities? Do I structure my days around Jesus, His people, His mission — or do I just fit Him into whatever's left? Time is one of the clearest mirrors of what we value most.

Does my bank account reflect this?

If someone looked at my spending, would they see that I view resources as mine to consume or God's to steward? Generosity isn't about giving God our leftovers — it's about putting Him first and trusting He provides. Jesus said, "Where your treasure is, there your heart will be also" (Matthew 6:21). Our financial statements silently preach our theology. Do they say "God first," or "me first"?

Does my investment into relationships reflect this?

Am I drawn only to people who benefit me, or am I investing in others, discipling, encouraging, and serving? So the question is: who am I building up right now? Who is stronger in Christ because of my presence in their life?

Do my family rhythms reflect this?

Does the rhythm of my home point to Jesus as King, or does it simply mirror the culture around me? Are we a family that models generosity, service, prayer, and worship — or are we just another busy, overbooked family chasing after sports, achievements, and comfort? The truth is, our kids will learn what we truly value not by what we say is most important, but by how we actually live.

THIS IS **BETTER WITH YOU**.

1. RAMP UP WITH DISCOVER TRACK

What you gain: Perspective on the church's mission and vision. Connections with people who love this church and opportunity to learn how you can make a difference.

What you give: Your story, your experiences, your insights. You might be the encouragement someone needs, the voice that helps someone else take a next step.

2. CONNECT IN A SMALL GROUP

What you gain: Care, community, accountability, and encouragement in your walk with God. A safe place to grow and be known.

What you give: Comfort, wisdom, prayer, and support to others. Your presence may meet needs others cannot express but desperately need met.

3. DIG DEEPER IN A GROW-U CLASS

What you gain: Biblical teaching, spiritual tools, and fresh insight to help you mature in Christ.

What you give: Questions, perspectives, and life experiences that might open someone else's understanding or spark a breakthrough in their faith.

4. MAKE A DIFFERENCE ON THE DREAM TEAM

What you gain: The joy of using your God-given gifts to serve others, build the church, and see lives impacted.

What you give: Your talent, your time, your grace. Your presence could make a worship service, event, or ministry team run smoothly and touch lives in a multitude of ways.

5. PRAY ABOUT GIVING IN DECEMBER'S LEGACY OFFERING

What you gain: The satisfaction of participating in something bigger than yourself — leaving a spiritual legacy that extends far beyond today.

What you give: Your resources, invested in God's Kingdom, impacting people you may never meet, but whose lives are changed forever.