Series: Inspired by Grace

Message #2: "Greater Grace Inspires Extravagant Generosity"

Speaker: Spencer

Icebreaker: What was the first time you remember doing something generous?

The "sticky single sentence summary" or "sermon in a sentence:" The secret to generosity is to experience God's generosity.

General Discussion: Read 1 Chronicles 29:10-14

- Do you see yourself as an "owner" of your possessions? Explain why or why not.
- 2. What are the implications of your answer above? How might it affect your generosity?
- 3. When it comes to giving, why do you think it's important to be a cheerful giver? What does it matter, as long as you are generous?
- 4. How aware are you of the brevity of life? Does it affect your decisions and priorities on a daily basis? How might the brevity of life connect with your heart towards generosity?
- 5. Jim Elliot said, "He is no fool who gives that which he cannot keep to gain that which he cannot lose." What are your thoughts on this? Do you agree?

Gospel-Centered Discussion:

Read 2 Corinthians 8:9. How does the generosity of Jesus affect your desire to give?

Application Prayer:

In what specific way might God be asking you to move toward extravagant (God-like) generosity?

Pray for one another.