



Message Notes

Week 2: The Endless Pursuit of Money and Stuff
Luke 12:13-21 (NIV)

Big Idea for this week:

We aren't _____ to store up for ourselves money and stuff

1. We are designed to _____ for others

2. We are designed to _____ to others

When we _____ we need MORE riches to make us happy, instead, we must _____ our Father who richly provides MORE than we could ever need.

Remember, WE ARE MADE FOR MORE!

Big idea: designed 1. live 2. give think / thank

These questions are designed to extend the impact of the Sunday gathering. Use them to go deeper in your personal study time, with your family, and/or with your Life Group.

1. Which part of the message was most impactful for you and why?

2. When we are bombarded by a culture that tells us that we need more, do you find it difficult to be grateful and thankful for what God has given to you? Why? What do you do?

3. In Luke, Jesus tells this parable to remind us of the value of wealth and the danger of wanting more. How do followers of Jesus balance this? How should we view wealth? Stuff? Opportunities? What does this mean when we don't have excess?

4. How do we fight to get off the hamster wheel of more? What is one thing you can do to accomplish this? Who can help you in this desire to stop chasing after thinking more money or more stuff will make me happy?

Prayer: Father, I do thank You for all You have done for me and how You have always been faithful. Help me to experience You in everything that happens in my life. Help me to see that I don't need more money or more stuff to satisfy me. Help me to believe that only You satisfy me. In Jesus' Name, amen

We hope to see you back next week as we continue our series, "Chasing Carrots". If you have questions or need to talk to someone, we are always available to talk. See you next week.