Kingdom Economy - Generosity November 9, 2025

As you join this discussion, let the Holy Spirit guide you. Share your thoughts and reflect on the message. Work through the guide by reading Scripture and answering a few questions.

Open Up:

- What's something you've been "lavish" with lately—your time, money, or something else?
- If you suddenly received a generous gift—say \$10,000—what's the first thing you'd want to do with it

Read Together:

Genesis 1:27

So God created mankind in his own image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them.

1 John 3:1

See what great love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God!

Deuteronomy 14:22-23

Be sure to set aside a tenth of all that your fields produce each year. Eat the tithe of your grain, new wine and olive oil, and the firstborn of your herds and flocks in the presence of the Lord your God at your place he will choose as a dwelling for his Name, so that you may learn to revere the LORD your God always.

Luke 18:18-23

A certain ruler asked him, "Good teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?" "Why do you call me good?" Jesus answered. "No one is good—except God alone. You know the commandments: 'You shall not commit adultery, you shall not murder, you shall not steal, you shall not give false testimony, honor your father and mother.' "All these I have kept since I was a boy," he said. When Jesus heard this, he said to him, "You still lack one thing. Sell everything you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven. Then come, follow me." When he heard this, he became very sad, because he was very wealthy.

Luke 18:29-30

Truly I tell you," Jesus said to them, "no one who has left home or wife or brothers or sisters or parents or children for the sake of the kingdom of God will fail to receive many times as much in this age, and in the age to come eternal life."

2 Corinthians 9:6-8

Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously. Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work.

Genesis 12:3

...and all peoples on earth will be blessed through you.

John 3:16

For God so loved the world that he **gave** his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.

Discuss Together:

- What stood out to you from the message?
- What challenged you from this message?
- According to Deuteronomy 14:22-23, why did God command Israel to tithe?
 What do you think it means to "learn to revere the Lord" through giving?
- The message said, "Giving is about liberation. It's about becoming free." In what ways have you seen generosity lead to freedom–financially, emotionally, or spiritually?
- The message described generosity as part of the "upside-down kingdom." How does living generously challenge the values of the world's economy?
- We often quote John 3:16 without pausing to think about it how does seeing it as the ultimate act of generosity change your understanding of this verse?

Pray:

Pray that God would open your heart to trust Him as your provider and to reflect His

generous nature in the way you give, your time, resources, and care for others.

Invitation:

This week, look for one practical way to be generous, financially or otherwise. It could be sharing a meal, giving to someone in need, or offering your time to help someone. Be intentional, and notice how it shapes your heart.