

“Wherever your treasure is, there the desires of your heart will also be.” – Jesus - Matthew 6:21

2 Things Jesus is saying here:

- 1) Our treasure and our heart are connected.
- 2) Wherever you send your treasure your heart is going to follow.

If we want to change where our heart is we have to change the direction of our money.

Matthew 6:24 “... *You cannot serve God and be enslaved to money.*”

The number one competitor for your heart is not the devil and it's not sin... It's our desire for more stuff.

How to develop a generous heart:

- 1) Give sacrificially
- 2) Give cheerfully
- 3) Give gratefully

Questions for reflection/discussion:

1. What's one thing that stood out to you from this week's message?
2. When you think about the term “the blessed life” what comes to mind?
3. Think about a time in your life where you felt incredibly blessed. Why did you feel that way?
4. How does the understanding that everything comes from God allow us to be more generous?
5. Do you believe that your heart is connected to your treasure? How have you seen this play out in your life?

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Text: Proverbs 1:19, Luke 12:13-21, Mt. 6:19-24

Being “blessed” means having supernatural power working for you.

“Generosity is the premeditated calculated designated emancipation of personal financial assets.” – Andy Stanley

Such is the fate of all who are greedy for money; it robs them of life – Proverbs 1:19

Greed is focused inward.

Greed makes the assumption that it is all for my consumption.

God's desire for us is that we would be a conduit of blessing not a cul-de-sac.

“Beware! Guard against every kind of greed. Life is not measured by how much you own.” – Jesus - Luke 12:15

Jesus measures life differently.

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