

5 Truths from Jesus about Money and Possessions

Key Passage: Matthew 6:19-34

Reflect

- What do you feel God spoke to your heart about today from His Word?

Review

- **What is something that you learn from verses 19-20?**
 - Why should you focus on investing your time, talents, treasures into spiritual things?
 - In what ways can you invest your time, talents, treasures into spiritual things?
- **What do you learn from Matthew 6:21?**
 - Jesus doesn't say our "words" reveal our heart, but rather our money does; why do you think he said that?
 - What did Jesus say people were doing in his day in Matthew 15:8?
 - Who is an example in the Bible of someone who showed their love to God by giving?
- **What do you learn from Matthew 6:22-23?** Note: the "eye" here illustrates the heart. A "single" eye speaks of an eye that has clear focus where as an "evil eye" speaks of being greedy/materialistic (Prov. 28:22). Jesus is teaching that if we see right our heart will be right (filled with light); but if we see wrong (materialistically/greedily) our heart will be very dark.
 - How was the greedy tax collector named Zacchaeus' vision changed after he met the Lord in Luke 19:8-9?
 - How has your view of money changed as you have grown spiritually?
- **What key truth do you learn in Matthew 6:24?**
 - Has money ever kept you from God or serving God?
 - Who is an example in the Bible of someone who allowed money to keep them from following and serving God?
- **What do you learn from Matthew 6:25-34?**
 - How did Jesus feel about worry?
 - What did Jesus say was the reason for worry in verse 30?
 - Instead of worrying what did Jesus tell us to do in verse 33?

Apply

- If you stood before God today, what do you feel you are being a good steward of?
- What do you feel in your life you need to become a better steward of before that day comes?

Outreach

- ✓ Who can you invite that doesn't come to Church and Life Group next week? _____
- ✓ Who's been missing class you can reach out to? _____

Verses used from Sunday Morning's Sermon: Matthew 6:19-34; 2 Peter 3:10-11; 2 Corinthians 4:18; Matthew 22:37; Matthew 15:8; 2 Corinthians 8:9; Matthew 2:11; Proverbs 28:22; Luke 19:8-9; Matthew 19:22; 1 Timothy 6:10; Proverbs 8:21; Exodus 20:17; Luke 12:15; Malachi 3:10; Luke 6:38; 2 Corinthians 9:6