

FORWARD WITH OPEN HANDS

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Text: 2 Corinthians 9:6–11; Matthew 6:19–24

- Generosity is a heart issue before it's a money issue.
- What you invest in shows you what you love.
- We can't have two primary loves.
- We can't make the focus of our lives getting more things and making this life the easiest it can be, and be fully committed to the kingdom of God.
- If a church is focused on what they can get for themselves, they will never reach its potential. They will never see what God wants them to do.
- We harvest in proportion to what we're willing to release.
- God takes care of the givers.
- God will make it possible to give.
- Planting is an act of faith, and it ALWAYS precedes the harvest.
- That is – we give before the blessing and provision of God – not after.
- Money makes a terrible master but a powerful tool.
- When money becomes our master, fear becomes our motivation—fear of not having enough, fear of losing what we have, fear of the future.
- Open-handed living breaks the power of anxiety because our trust shifts from our resources to our Source.
- Open hands free us from the illusion of control.
- Much of our grip on money is rooted in the belief that we can secure our own future.
- Generosity reorients our hearts away from self-sufficiency and toward God-sufficiency.
- Open-handed people are the most joyful people.
- Generosity lifts the weight of comparison, competition, and self-protection.
- Generosity produces a life marked not by scarcity but by spiritual abundance.
- Closed hands can preserve—but they cannot receive.
- Generosity links our story with God's story.

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