

Quick Overview

My takeaway from this message is:

This week I am going to:

Looking back over your sermon notes, was there any particular point or passage of scripture that most challenged, confused, or caught your attention?

Introduction

How does God view money? What does He want us to do with it? Too often people jump to the conclusion that God simply wants them to give it all away. However, when you examine the words of Jesus, you find that nothing could be farther from the truth. A fresh look at a curious parable on money might surprise you, and it just might change your whole perspective on finances.

My Story

1. How does the culture we live in promote a consumer mindset?

Exploring

1. Read the parable in Luke 16:1-8. Why does the owner commend his money manager?
2. Read Luke 16:9. How have people used their money and stuff to make an eternal impact in your life?
3. How can you use the money and stuff that God has given you as tools to make an eternal impact in someone else's life?
4. Read Luke 16:10-12. If money were a test, how would you grade yourself thus far?

5. How can you do better on the money test?

6. Read Luke 16:13. What does your checkbook or your credit card statement say about you? What do these purchases say about your devotion? Is it to God or to stuff?

7. If money is a trademark, what picture do you want your finances to paint about you?

Next Steps

1. Based on the teaching of Jesus in Luke 16 about money, what changes will you make in your finances?
2. What are you going to do to leverage the money that God has given you this week?
3. Memorize Luke 16:11.

NEW RIVER NEWS

Baptism Next Weekend

Baptism weekend is next weekend, March 27th and 28th. If you are a follower of Christ and have never been scripturally baptized don't miss the opportunity to take this important step in your journey with Jesus. Fill out a connection card or register online at www.nrcc.net

Easter Weekend

Don't miss one of the Easter Celebration Services April 3rd and 4th. We'd like to invite you to celebrate Easter by bringing nonperishable food items for those in need in the Lake Wylie area. Also begin praying about who you will invite to join you for this exciting weekend of worship and celebration.

Mission Lake Wylie

Join us Sat., April 17th as we share the love of Jesus through local mission projects including Coke and hotdog giveaways, yard work, and light construction. We'll meet at New River North at 10am and wrap up all projects by 1pm. Sign-Up today by filling out a connection card.

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