



Week 6: The Decision to Be Generous

1. **For our Apostle and Prophet:** Continue to give them an increase in wisdom so that they continue to be an example of generosity for your church.

Proverbs 11:25 (NIV) "A generous person will prosper; whoever refreshes others will be refreshed."

2. **For generosity in the congregation:** May every member of the church develop a generous spirit.

2 Corinthians 9:7 (NIV) 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.

3. **For the needs of the community:** That through our generosity, people can glorify God.

Hebrews 13:16 (NIV) And do not forget to do good and to share with others, for with such sacrifices God is pleased.

4. **For joyful givers:** May those who give do so with joy and experience God's blessing.

Luke 6:38 (NIV) "Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you."

5. **For each person's prayer petitions:** May God hear and respond to each need.

Philippians 4:6 (NIV) Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God

6. **For the desire to get involved in a CG:** May God put the will and desire in each of the members of the church to open their homes, sign up as leaders or join a Connection Group.

Philippians 2:13 (NLT) "For God is working in you, giving you the desire and the power to do what pleases him."