

Making Room “Joyful Giving”
2 Corinthians 9:6-12
September 28, 2025

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6 The point is this: whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. 7 Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. 8 And God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that having all sufficiency in all things at all times, you may abound in every good work. 9 As it is written,

“He has distributed freely, he has given to the poor;
his righteousness endures forever.”

10 He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness. 11 You will be enriched in every way to be generous in every way, which through us will produce thanksgiving to God. 12 For the ministry of this service is not only supplying the needs of the saints but is also overflowing in many thanksgivings to God.

2 Corinthians 9:7

7 Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.

A good gift is one you are excited about giving.

2 Corinthians 9:8, 11

8 And God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that having all sufficiency in all things at all times, you may abound in every good work.

11 You will be enriched in every way to be generous in every way,

Given to, in order to give.

2 Corinthians 9:10

10 He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness.

What comes back is better than what you planted.

2 Corinthians 9:11-12

11 You will be enriched in every way to be generous in every way, which through us will produce thanksgiving to God. 12 For the ministry of this service is not only supplying the needs of the saints but is also overflowing in many thanksgivings to God.

Gospel driven generosity flows into worship.

Life Group Discussion Questions

- What did God say to you through His Word during our Sunday gathering?
- Can you recall an occasion in which you gave someone a gift that you were really excited about? What was the gift? Why was it special?
- Why do think God loves a cheerful giver? How does this insight help us understand the gospel?
- Read 2 Corinthians 9:8. What is the purpose behind “grace abounding to you?” Describe the temptation to stop short in receiving a blessing from God not realizing the blessing may be for someone else.
- 2 Corinthians 9:10 describes “sowing” leading to a “harvest of righteousness.” What gets you excited about the idea that generosity produces more than more money in return?
- How is generosity woven into our worship? God’s generosity to us? Our generosity towards others?
- Spend a few moments talking about the last four weeks of “Making Room.” How have your thoughts and prayers grown or been reshaped? What is a lasting application of this series?