

# Family Giving Worksheet

## Singles Section

1. Read and meditate on the following verses.
  - a. Deuteronomy 8:17, 18
  - b. Philippians 4:19
  - c. Matthew 6:19-21, 25-34
  - d. 1 Timothy 6:7-10
2. Read Proverbs 3:9, 10 and then rank the following in order which they should be paid:  
\_\_\_ Car Payment  
\_\_\_ House Payment  
\_\_\_ Dinner and Movie  
\_\_\_ Contribution to Church  
\_\_\_ Allowances  
\_\_\_ New Clothes  
\_\_\_ Dog Food  
\_\_\_ Groceries

## Couples Corner

1. Read and Discuss the activities above.
2. Play a game of Monopoly or Life (if you don't have one, borrow one!) and then answer the following questions:
  - a. What were your sources of income?
  - b. What decisions helped you prosper?
  - c. How did you feel when you were low on money?
  - d. List three ways you would have played the game differently had it involved God.
    - i. \_\_\_\_\_
    - ii. \_\_\_\_\_
    - iii. \_\_\_\_\_

## Family Fun

1. Complete the Activities above.
2. Where can we raise funds to increase our giving?

Strategy	Weekly Amount	Monthly Amount	Yearly Impact
<b>Mow one extra lawn (teen)</b>	\$15	\$60	\$180 (in summer)
<b>Skip one coffee per week</b>	\$3.50	\$14.00	\$182
<b>Downgrade Cable/ Sat TV</b>		\$10	\$120
<b>Eat out one less time/month</b>		\$40	\$480
<b>One less soft drink/ month</b>	\$1.50	\$6	\$78

3. Can you think of more creative ways to increase your family giving together?
4. Read and discuss the following verses. Let each family member tell what they think the passage means:
  - a. 1 Corinthians 16:1, 2
  - b. Luke 6:38
  - c. 2 Corinthians 9:6-8
  - d. Mark 12:41-44
5. Place a check mark beside the following habits which are a mark of spiritual maturity:
  - Waiting to see if anything is left before giving to the Lord.
  - Planned giving each first day of the week.
  - Demanding more from the Lord before giving.
  - Writing out contribution checks when income is received.

