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Part 3 – Intentional Generosity November 17, 2019

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## Intentional Generosity

(2 Corinthians 9:6-7) Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously. 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.

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2.	The C	Question
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### How do I decide?

## 1. The Relationship Question

# Who will I commit to relationally?

(Psalm 92:13 NKJV) Those who are planted in the house of the LORD shall flourish in the courts of our God.

## 2. The Difference Question

## Will it make an eternal difference?

(1 Corinthians 3:12-15) If any man builds on this foundation using gold, silver, costly stones, wood, hay or straw, his work will be shown for what it is, because the Day will bring it to light. It will be revealed with fire, and the fire will test the quality of each man's work. If what he has built survives, he will receive his reward.

#### 3. The God Question

# Is God speaking to me?

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## Lord, what would You have me to do?

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