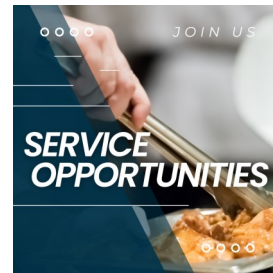




Generous Living
Dave Workman, Pastor Emeritus

1. Generous living STARTS with sowing a seed (v. 6):
 - a. Man's way: GREED!
 - b. God's way: GIVE!
2. Generous living MAINTAINS the right motivation (v. 7):
 - a. THOUGHTFULLY: each one must do just as he has purposed in his heart
 - b. ENTHUSIASTICALLY: not grudgingly
 - c. VOLUNTARILY: or under compulsion
 - d. HAPPILY: for God loves a cheerful giver
3. Generous living TRUSTS God to meet all needs (v. 8-11):
 - a. God is the SOURCE of all we need!
 - b. God is the SUSTAINER of all we have!
4. Generous living UNDERSTANDS its importance to God (v. 12-13):
 - a. Generosity is a SPIRITUAL issue!
 - b. Generosity is a STEWARDSHIP issue!
(Scripture references: 2 Corinthians 9:6-13; Hebrews 11:6; John 3:16; Luke 12:34; Matthew 5:14, 16)

Notes: _____



Fall Service Opportunities | Sept. 29—Dec. 29
 Come be a part of our team! Join us as we serve dinner to the residents at the Torres Shelter or breakfast to the residents at the Jesus Center. Families are welcome. We look forward to serving with you! Please register. Torres Shelter meals begin at 4:00 pm. Jesus Center meals begin at 7:30 am.

Youth City Night | October 2
 Join us October 2 at 7pm for an amazing City Night. Youth in 6th-12th grade, this is a great opportunity to invite your friends into a church community as we celebrate with worship, a message, games, and karaoke!



Baptism | October 13
 Baptisms are happening here at Grace on Sunday, October 13, during all services. If you have given your life to Christ, but haven't been baptized yet, this is your chance! Your Grace family would love to celebrate this decision with you. Please register.

Funtoberfest Volunteers Needed! | October 26
 Here's your chance to *Be the Church* and help us serve our city by providing a decorated car or truck for our annual Trunk or Treat, or serving for a short shift during the event. Please register.



Registration and information can be found on our [website](#), on our [Church Center App](#), or by scanning the [QR code](#) here.





Citywide Prayer and Worship

What is 10 Days of Prayer?

10 Days is **a prayer meeting for our whole city**. The goal is a season where Jesus Christ is the focus of every heart in our geographical area for 10 entire days!

10 Days 2024 is from **October 3-12**. It's celebrated simultaneously in cities and towns around the world on an annual basis. Over 400 Locations organized and joined in 10 Days in 2023 with participants joining from around the world and gatherings on all six continents.

Vision:

The vision is to see thousands of cities simultaneously and continually **seeking God's face for 10 Days in unity** and to see individuals taking time off from work, fasting, taking #10daysoff from social media, and devoting themselves to prayer with other believers.

Join the Global Movement!

Chico Schedule

Each meeting runs from 7-8pm at the following locations:

- 10/3: **First Assembly of God**
1137 Arbutus Avenue
- 10/4: **Grace Community Church**
2346 Floral Avenue
- 10/5: **Rock of Life Fellowship**
2555 Dominic Drive
- 10/6: **Salvation Army**
567 E. 16th Street
- 10/7: **Firm Family Church**
2201 Pillsbury Road #150
- 10/8: **Sonrise Christian Center**
2910 Highway 32, #200
- 10/9: **Church on the Esplanade**
1119 Esplanade
- 10/10: **Aldersgate United Methodist Church**
2869 Cohasset Road
- 10/11: **Promise Church**
175 Chico Canyon Road
- 10/12: **Neighborhood Church***
2801 Notre Dame Blvd.

***Final Night!**

Let's all meet together for prayer and worship!