

Sermon Notes

Pastor Joel Greenwood • December 8, 2019

Home for the Holidays (Week 2)

Season of Giving

1. How many _____ do I give to people who are going to _____ me _____ back?

So what?

Scripture used: James 1:5, 17; Matthew 6:1-4; Matthew 7:11; Romans 8:32; John 3:16; 1 John 4:8

Small Group Questions

1. What is the best gift that you have ever received and the best gift you have ever given?
2. Pastor Joel spoke about how critical it is to have the proper attitude when giving. Do you agree with his assessment of its importance? How do you get the right attitude?
3. Where are you on the path of sanctification (becoming more like Christ)? Where are you struggling in this process?
4. Of the attributes and characteristics of God, where do you place "giving" in His list? As Pastor Joel shared scripture that indicates this quality, could you think of several more verses to describe this? What are they? How important is this quality and why?
5. Name one person to which you can give or bless this Christmas—who would not be expecting it, but is definitely in need?