

Gratitude and Generosity

1 Chronicles 29:10-14

One Mission Recap:		
Preparing for Thanksgiving:		

- 1) Are you grateful to be <u>alive</u>?
- 2) Are you grateful for what <u>you have</u>?
- 3) Are you grateful for your <u>potential</u>?

<u>Blessed</u> people who <u>bless</u> people receive additional <u>blessings</u> from God.

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My Application

Use the following questions this week to reflect on what it would mean to align yourself with the truths taught in Scripture. Each question is meant for both personal reflection and as a catalyst for discussion with your family, friends, or small group.

- 1. Why is it important for Christians to get serious about living out their faith? See 1 Peter 4:7; Revelation 22:12; Philippians 2:12-18.
- 2. What excites you the most about One Mission? As you listen to the stories of life change, how is your life changing through this initiative?
- 3. Read 1 Chronicles 29:10-14. Explain the connection between gratitude and generosity. Give an example of how gratitude activated your generosity.
- 4. Explain the statement, "Blessed people who bless people receive additional blessings from God." How will gratitude and generosity play into your Thanksgiving this year?

Memory Verse

"But who am I, and who are my people, that we should be able to give as generously as this? Everything comes from you, and we have given you only what comes from your hand."

1 Chronicles 29:14