

# HAVE YOUR WAY

*Twin Lakes Worship*

## ALBUM RELEASE

- NEW Twin Lakes Worship album
- Releases Friday 10/13 on all digital platforms
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- SUNDAY night 10/15
- 6-7:30pm
- Featuring songs for the new album



## GENEROSITY AND GOD'S GRACE

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### PART I: WHY LIVE GENEROUSLY?

#### BIBLICAL PROMISES ABOUT GENEROSITY

1. IT INCREASES \_\_\_\_\_

"Our Master said, 'You're far **happier** giving than getting.'" Acts 20:35 MSG

2. IT REFRESHES \_\_\_\_\_

"A generous person will prosper; whoever refreshes others will be **refreshed**." Proverbs 11:25 NIV

3. IT BRINGS \_\_\_\_\_

"The generous will themselves be **blessed**..." Proverbs 22:9 NIV

4. IT EXPANDS \_\_\_\_\_

"Those who share freely and give generously to the poor ... **they will have influence** and honor." Psalm 112:9 NLT

5. IT WILL BE \_\_\_\_\_

"Your generosity stores up a **reward** for you in heaven." Luke 16:9b NLT

#### PROBLEM:

Unless my generosity is rooted in something deeper than me, it will \_\_\_\_\_.

## PART II: HOW DO I LIVE GENEROUSLY?

### RADICAL & SUSTAINABLE GENEROSITY

Luke 18:9-17

#### 1. THE SOURCE OF GENEROSITY

“The **Pharisee** stood by himself and prayed: ‘God, I thank you that I am not like other people... I fast twice a week and **give a tenth of all I get.**” Luke 18:11,12b

“But the **tax collector** stood at a distance. He would not even look up to heaven, but beat his breast and said, ‘God, have mercy on me, a sinner.’ I tell you that **this man, rather than the other**, went home justified before God.” Luke 18:13,14a

It’s not about my \_\_\_\_\_ but my \_\_\_\_\_

#### 2. THE PICTURE OF GENEROSITY

“Jesus called the children to him and said, ‘Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the **kingdom of God belongs to such as these.**” Luke 18:16

Live in child-like \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ on God

#### 3. THE KEY TO GENEROSITY

“God, have mercy on me, a sinner...” Luke 18:13b

“The key... is to believe, ‘I \_\_\_\_\_.’”  
- Dr. Robert Emmons, UC Davis

#### BOTTOM LINE:

To be radically yet sustainably generous, I must soak in the radical, undeserved generosity of \_\_\_\_\_ toward \_\_\_\_\_

## RESOURCES

Some content and ideas from:

- “Generosity and God’s Grace”, sermon by Tim Keller, Redeemer Presbyterian Church, New York
- “Daring to be Generous”, sermon by Rick Warren, Saddleback Church, Lake Forest
- *Love Let Go*, Laura Sumner Truax & Amalya Campbell, Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2017



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