

### **Opening Question:**

Count your blessings! As a group share the ways that God has poured out His generosity upon you.

### **Opening Prayer:**

Begin your time by thanking God for His blessings - thank Him especially for the people who have been conduits of grace to you over the years.

### **Getting into God's Word**

Did you have any comments or questions from this Sunday's message? Take the time to look through your sermon notes and talk about any questions you had.

*Read 1 Chronicles 29:1-20*

1. As you read this passage again, what stands out to you?  
Besides the fabulous wealth involved, what else stands out to you about the actions and attitudes of David and the Israelite people?
2. Pastor Nathan talked about how it all belongs to God. Did you make an inventory and surrender everything to God?

Did you watch the Pineapple Video? If you did, share your thoughts and experiences. If you did not, share your thoughts on what it might mean that it all belongs to God? How is this different than our societies view on ownership? Have you seen His hand of provision on you as you surrendered things to Him?

3. Pastor Nathan talked about the idea of giving, worship and the state of our hearts - how does this passage connect giving and worship? Have you ever had that experience of worship and giving? Share your experiences with your group.

*Read 2 Corinthians 9:6-15*

4. What stands out to you in this passage? How does this passage speak about God's ownership, giving, and what can happen as we bless others?
5. When it comes to generosity, what struggles have you had? What blessings have you experienced when you have followed His leading in giving?
6. How is God calling you to grow your generosity this year? What is one step you can take this week to be obedient to God's leading?

*Read Luke 16:1-15*

7. What stands out to you in this passage? This is a difficult passage to understand but how do you interpret it?
8. What do you think verse 9 means? How can you use God's resources to grow His Kingdom?

### **Prayer**

Pray for one another - pray for any needs your group members have.

Pray about your resources, pray that God would teach you how to use His resources for His Kingdom.

Pray as well for the March Kid Kamp, that God would give us wisdom as we begin to make plans.

## Sermon Notes

## Group Listing

### Wednesdays:

*Leaders:* Nathan and Jenn Pollock

*Location:* The Pollock's House in Camrose

*Time:* 7:00pm

### Thursdays:

*Leaders:* Mark and Carla Werner, Jessica and Andreas Schwitter

*Location:* CentrePoint Church

*Time:* 6:30pm

### Fridays:

*Leaders:* John and Ineke Tessari, Gary and Sandy Mize

*Location:* The Mize's Home in Camrose

*Time:* 7:00pm

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## TREASURE

*January 21, 2018*

1 Chronicles 29:1-20

### Personal Reflection and Practice:

*This week Pastor Nathan talked about how God blesses us with treasure. Have you ever surrendered your treasure to God on paper? This week in your journal consider taking the time to make an inventory of the things God has blessed you with and then surrender them back to Him.*

*As you make the inventory spend time in praise and worship for the ways God has blessed us!*

*To watch the "Pineapple Story" video Pastor Nathan referenced go to:*

**<https://goo.gl/Wwn1Lm>**