

# COURAGOUS GENEROSITY | WEEK #02

Whose prayer have you answered lately? | June 26<sup>th</sup>

Last Week: The Blessed life is the \_\_\_\_\_ Life.

## GETTING THE CONVERSATION STARTED...

Has someone ever been an answer to \_\_\_\_\_ prayers?

Have you ever been an answer to \_\_\_\_\_ prayer?

A maturing relationship moves towards \_\_\_\_\_ and away from getting.

## WHAT WISDOM DOES 2 CORINTHIANS 9:6-15 OFFER US?

We all live \_\_\_\_\_ the law of sowing and reaping. (9:6)

Courageous generosity is not \_\_\_\_\_ giving. (9:7)

Personal \_\_\_\_\_ is divine \_\_\_\_\_. (9:8)

Having more than what we need is an opportunity to do \_\_\_\_\_ works. (9:8)

Divine Love gives generously and faithfully to the \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_. (9:9)

Paul knew there was no season of \_\_\_\_\_ without a season of sowing. (9:10)

\_\_\_\_\_ is the hand of Love in this world. (9:11-12)

The Corinthians could be an answer to \_\_\_\_\_. (9:13-14)

Through their generosity, the Corinthians were the \_\_\_\_\_ from God. (9:15)

## DON'T MISS THIS!

Courageous generosity makes \_\_\_\_\_ an indescribable gift from God.

## WHAT ARE PEOPLE PRAYING FOR?

People are praying for a church like \_\_\_\_\_.

People are praying for a \_\_\_\_\_ out of poverty, slavery, illiteracy, bigotry and spiritual emptiness.

People are praying for a place for their children to experience a faith that \_\_\_\_\_ with them.

## YOUR EVERYDAY NORMAL LIFE

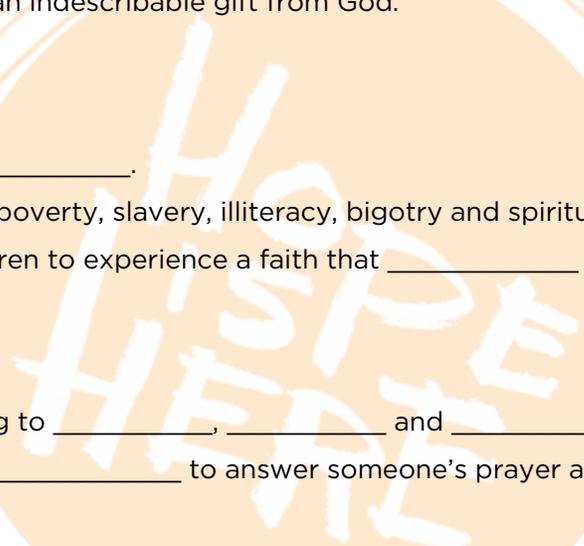
Commit to intentionally and cheerfully giving to \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

"God, show me how to use my financial \_\_\_\_\_ to answer someone's prayer and produce thanksgiving to \_\_\_\_\_."

## HOW DOES THIS MAKE ME A BETTER PERSON AND THE WORLD A BETTER PLACE?

Courageous generosity \_\_\_\_\_ a healthy church that is an answer to prayer.

Courageous generosity creates a \_\_\_\_\_ world.



## WHAT IS GOD INVITING YOU INTO TODAY?

1. Join me for a summer of courageous generosity.

## THOUGHT PROVOKING QUESTION:

1. Can you think of a time when someone was an answer to your prayer? Talk about that. How about a time you were able to be an answer to someone's prayer?
2. Maturing faith moves from getting to giving. How have you seen this happen in your own life? Are you struggling to move towards giving?
3. Do you believe that you can be an answer to someone's prayer? What do you think would happen if you prayed every day to be an answer to someone's prayer?
4. Which do you have the easiest time giving towards: now, need or next? Which do you struggle the most with?
5. Why do you think our world needs Crossroads Church?

