

## Life Group Study Guide

### Everyone Has Something to Give

Mark 12:41-44; Romans 12:3-8

*For the Week of November 18th, 2018*

1. What insight, principle, or observation from this weekend's message did you find to be the most helpful, eye-opening, or troubling?
2. When you were younger, when was the first time you remember doing something in a group or team? How did you have to work together to accomplish what you were trying to do?
3. When you were younger, did you struggle to share your stuff? Why or why not?
4. When you think about generosity, is it scary to be like the widow in Mark 12:41-44? Why or why not? What does generosity like the widow require?
5. What does it mean to contribute out of "their abundance" (see Mark 12:44)? What does it mean that the widow contributed "out of her poverty"?
6. Is it hard for you to think about yourself as God sees you (see Romans 12:3)? Why or why not? Why is it so hard to have "sober judgement" about ourselves?
7. As Paul talks about the church, what does "in one body we have many members, and the members do not all have the same function" mean? (see Romans 12:4)
8. God has given everyone a function in the church. What do you think yours is? How can this group help you fulfill your function?
9. What are the gifts God has given you? How are you using them?
10. Spend time asking God to give wisdom to the group and you individually, and pray for opportunities to act on what you are learning about transformational generosity.

## Core Values

**Biblical Authority:** From God, for us.  
Deuteronomy 6:4-9; Matthew 5:17-19; 2 Timothy 3:16-17;  
Hebrews 4:12; 2 Peter 1:19-21

**Intentional Community:** Invited people invite people.  
Acts 2:42-47; 1 Corinthians 12:12-31, James 5:13-16; Hebrews  
10:23-25; John 15:1-8

**Daily Ministry:** What we celebrate, we will replicate.  
Philippians 4:8; Ephesians 4:11-13

**Character Coaching:** Coaching leads to heart change.  
2 Timothy 2:1-2; Matthew 28:19-20

**Authentic Love:** Never-ending unconditional care & concern.  
John 13:34-35; 15:12-17; Matthew 22:36-40

**Passionate Prayer:** Big hearts lead to big prayers.  
1 Thessalonians 5:16-18; Luke 18:1-8; Nehemiah 1:4-6; Ezra  
9:3, 5

**Joyful Generosity:** Irrational generosity leads to Kingdom  
building. 2 Corinthians 8:1-5; 2 Corinthians 9:6-8; 1 Timothy  
6:17-19

**SonLight's Mission:** A movement of people following Jesus.

**SonLight's Vision:** See God move through you.

## Meet the SonLight Team

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## November 18, 2018 Everyone Has Something to Give

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## Upcoming Events

### **New to SonLight?**

Welcome! Thank you for joining us this morning. We would love to get to know you. Please fill out a Connection Card and bring it to the Connection Center; we have a gift for you.

### **Harvest Offering**

Throughout the month of November, we will be receiving a Harvest Offering for Healing Waters International. Continue to pray & ask God what he would have you give. Indicate "Harvest Offering" on your check or giving envelope.

### **Downtown Angola Holiday Festivities**

Looking for a way to connect with & serve our community? Sign up at the Connection Center to volunteer for Santa's Arrival in Angola this Friday, Nov. 23, 5:30-9pm or Holiday Wagon Rides next Friday, Nov. 30, 5:30-8pm. We need 12-15 volunteers per event, as well as hot chocolate, cookies & candy canes. About 500-600 people are expected at each event! Cookies, candy canes & hot cocoa mix canisters can be dropped off in the atrium.

### **Women's Ministry**

#### Christmas Tea and Brunch

Saturday, December 8th 10am-noon. Join us for a beautiful morning Celebrating "Christmas is Love." Sign up at the Connection Center today! Tickets are \$10 and are available to purchase at the Connection Center.

#### Ladies Movie Night

Saturday, December 1st, 6:30 pm at Cheryl Sherbondy's house. Join us for a fun, relaxing evening! Contact Laura Egli, [Women@SonLightCommunity.com](mailto:Women@SonLightCommunity.com) for more information.

### **Men's Ministry**

#### Men's Bible Study

"Gospel Eldership," by Robert Thune continues Sundays at 8 am in the Student Center & is for all men! For more information, contact Jeff Hicks, [jeffhicks1018@gmail.com](mailto:jeffhicks1018@gmail.com).

### **Fuse Youth Group**

We want to see God move through us as students! Join us tonight, 6-8pm in the Student Center, for some fun & time pursuing God.

#### Sunday Morning Changes

Youth will no longer meet in the Student Center on Sunday mornings. Feel free to find John McCoy & sit together as a group in the Worship Center!

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### **Life Groups**

Connect with a Life Group! Information is available on the wall in the atrium or at [sonlightcommunity.com/connect/adult-ministry](http://sonlightcommunity.com/connect/adult-ministry).

### **Thanksgiving Week Office Hours**

The SonLight office will be closed November 21st-23rd.

### **Pastor Meet & Greet**

Have questions? Want to meet the pastors? The pastors will host a Meet & Greet at the front of the Worship Center on the first Sunday of each month, following the service. Refreshments available! Children are welcome.

### **RightNow Media - Study of the Month**

To sign up for RightNow Media, please fill out a Connection Card with your email printed clearly or email [Megan@SonLightCommunity.com](mailto:Megan@SonLightCommunity.com).

#### Adult Study: *The Book of 1 Peter, by Kyle Idleman*

Kyle Idleman walks through the short letter and unpacks the importance of our witness in this world. The world's not as it should be. Until the day that God rights all wrongs, we have a job to do. Let's be about the business of the kingdom.

#### Youth Study: *Shaken, by Tim Tebow*

In this powerful series, Heisman Trophy winner Tim Tebow passionately shares glimpses of his journey staying grounded in the face of disappointment, criticism, and intense media scrutiny. Tebow talks about what he's learned along the way, building confidence in his identity in God, not the world.

#### Children's Study: *What's in the Bible? Volume 1: In the Beginning*

Laugh & learn together as you discover in two episodes: What is the Bible? and Who Wrote the Bible?

### **Ways to Give**

*SonLight values joyful generosity. We give because of God's provision, not to earn prosperity. Some ways that you can give to the ministries of SonLight & the greater community are:*

*Automatic Bill Pay or Check - Best Way*

*Online one-time or on a repeating basis:*

[https://sonlight.ccbchurch.com/w\\_give\\_online.php](https://sonlight.ccbchurch.com/w_give_online.php)

*Credit Card*

**Announcements are also available by visiting our website, following us on social media or by filling out a Connection Card to receive a weekly email newsletter.**

## Study Notes

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*Pastor John Mueller*

*11/18/18*

*Mark 12:41-44; Romans 12:3-8*

## Weekly & YTD Stats

Last Week:	Nov. 11, 2018	Year To Date
Week Received	\$5,261	• Received: \$312,531
Weekly Budget	\$8,269	
Attendance:	284	

12 mo. Fiscal Budget Jan. 2018 - Dec. 2018