

## 10 Questions About Tithing (Pt.1)

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- 1. What was the highlight of your week, and why was it a highlight for you?
- 2. When someone talks about tithing, what is your biggest fear about what they may say or infer and why?
- 3. Harpeth leadership has talked about giving and recently encouraged special year-end giving, but Bobby has not given a specific teaching on what the Bible says about tithing and giving in several years. Why is this an important teaching for disciples of Jesus, especially those who are spiritual infants and spiritual children? What about spiritual adults and parents? What was most helpful to you personally from the teaching Sunday and why?
- 4. What is the promise of God to those who give as described in Proverbs 3:9-10 (and repeated in the New Testament)? Why is this promise important for us and how does it impact your life?
- 5. Proverbs 3:9-10 teaches "Honor the Lord with your wealth, with the first fruits of all your crops; then your barns will be filled to overflowing, and your vats will brim over with new wine." How does this apply to your personal finances?
- 6. Read Matthew 6:19-21. What does Jesus teach us about our financial resources in these passages? What stands out to you from these verses and why?
- 7. Read 2 Corinthians 9:6-8. In the sermon Bobby pointed out that our financial giving can be a test of how we listen to the Spirit, of what is going on in our hearts, and it is a test of faith. Do you see that point being made in these passages and how? What do these verses teach that is most meaningful to you personally and why?
- 8. How can we pray for each other this coming week?

## Reminders:

- Next Digging Deep class is kicking off in a few weeks on February 7th and will be going deep into the book of Acts. Sign up at the link below!
  - https://harpethcc.com/events/digging-deep-winter-study/2025-02-07
- Our annual Friend Day is February 2<sup>nd.</sup> This is a great opportunity to invite someone to either the Family or Regular service to hear the life-changing message of the gospel. Plus, stick around afterward for a meal at the Student Center for the Student Fundraiser—guests eat FREE!
- Women's Wednesday started last week on the 15<sup>th</sup>, but it isn't too late to join in! Click the link to sign up or learn more about the studies offered!
  - o <u>harpethcc.com/events/womens-wednesdays--188/2025-01-15</u>
- The victims of the recent wildfire in the Greater Los Angeles area are in need. IDES is an organization rooted in Christian churches, like HCC, and are currently responding to victims. 100% of your donation will go toward relief response efforts. <a href="https://www.ides.org">www.ides.org</a>