

Faith at Home

For the week of Sunday, November 22-28, 2009

Theme:

Scripture Reference: 2 Corinthians 9:10-15

Weekly Bible Memory Verse: ???

Discussion:

1. Who is “he” in verse 10? List the verbs that describe what “he” will do. What do these verbs have in common?
2. How does God enable us to be generous? This being true, why are we often stingy?
3. What does the word generous mean to you? Read Webster’s definition: <http://www.merriam-webster.com/dictionary/generous>. Can you give without being generous?
4. When we choose to be generous, what are the results? How does it affect us? How does it affect others? How does it point to God?
5. How does our generosity echo God’s grace? How have you experienced God’s generosity?

Activity:

This week, identify the “seeds” God has supplied you with how you can use them to bless others. As a family, plan a simple act of generosity.

Prayer:

God sometimes we are stingy. We don’t want to share. We’re too lazy to help others. We want you to be generous with us, but we don’t want to be generous with others. But you’ve supplied us with so much that we can bless others with. Would you help us to be mindful of how we can use what you’ve given us? We pray that others would see you when we give, and not just our “good” acts. Amen.