



Generosity



Income: \$184,244.50

Budget: \$204,405.36

Our shortfall: \$20,160.86

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Our average attendance: 165

**National giving average per
person: \$2,520.00**

**Average budget for a church our
size: \$415,800**

Our budget: \$306,608

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Matthew 6:19-21, 1 Chronicles 29:10-14, 2 Corinthians 9:7

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Acts 20:35, Psalm 112:5

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3. It's who I'm meant to be.

Matthew 6:22-24, John 3:16

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Generosity progression:

1. I HAVE to be generous.

2. I GET to be generous.

3. I WANT to be generous!

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Your challenge:

Practice two random acts of generosity this week and see how you feel afterwards.

It is more blessed to give than to receive. (Acts 20:35)

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2015 Estate gift: \$358,147