

# DISCUSSION GUIDE

NOVEMBER 9/10 | WHAT MATTERS?  
THE MINDSET OF GENEROSITY

## FOR STARTERS

1. Looking back at your notes from this week's teaching, was there anything that particularly caught your attention, challenged you or raised questions?
2. What's the biggest risk you've ever faced? Did it pay off? Is there a risk you're thinking of taking—why? What's the potential reward?

## DIGGING IN

1. Read Matthew 25:14–30 and Luke 19:11–26. How are the two parables similar? How are they different?
2. Read Psalm 24:1 and 1 Chronicles 29:14. How does understanding that everything belongs to God change the way we think about our possessions?
3. Why did the master entrust his servants with different amounts of money in the Matthew 25 parable? What does this tell us about the way God entrusts us with His possessions?
4. Read Matthew 25:20–21. What is the master happy about and how does this influence your perspective of God?
5. Read the servant's excuse in Matthew 25:25. What did the servant get wrong about the master?

## BRINGING IT HOME

1. Have you ever made a mistake like the servant who buried his master's money by squandering opportunities to invest in God's mission?
2. What has God entrusted to you to invest? How can the group encourage you as you take the next step?
3. Take some time pray together, thanking God for His rich generosity made perfectly evident by giving Himself for us on the cross.