



ROOTED KIDS

WEEK 8: How Does God View Money?

MAIN IDEA: Everything belongs to God and we are to be stewards of all of it

WORSHIP: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YEUN8D-LNFw>

REFLECT: Remind your child about what was learned last week about compassion. Did they have any new thoughts about what was learned?

SCRIPTURE: Read Matthew 6:19-21 NIV or MSG

DISCUSSION:

- What are treasures / riches?
- What does it look like to store up treasures in Heaven?

ACTIVITY: Monopoly®

- If you have access to Monopoly® or Monopoly Junior®, take time to play the game together. While playing ask the following questions:
- Go on a scavenger hunt for the following:
 - Why do you think it's a good idea to save some money instead of spending all of it?
 - Why does God seem to care so much about the way we handle money?
 - If you wanted to purchase two different spaces on the board but only had the money for one, how would you choose between them?

ACTIVITY: The Power of Sharing

- Read John 6:1-13 together. Ask your children who they think are people who are generous. How do those people show their generosity? Ask your children why sharing is important, then encourage them to come up with ways they can be generous with people in need.

DISCUSSION: Talk about the ideas your children came up with to be generous with people in need. How can you as a family complete one of those ideas this week?

PRAYER: Heavenly Father, thank you for making everything. Thank you for giving us exactly what we need. Please help us to use our money in ways that honor you. Help us to be an example of You as we help and love others. In Jesus' name, Amen.

