

**Memory Verse** Only conduct yourselves in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ; so that whether I come and see you or remain absent, I may hear of you that you are standing firm in one spirit, with one mind striving together for the faith of the gospel; Philippians 1:27

**Study Questions: (Have an adult help you if needed.)**2 Corinthians 8:1-3

1. True or False.

- a. You can only give to God if you are rich.
- b. Giving money to God brings joy to our hearts.
- c. It is possible to give beyond your ability.
- d. Generosity can be a sign of the grace of God

2. What is it (vs 1) that enables these Macedonians to give so freely?

2 Corinthians 8: 4-5

3. Explain what the Macedonians begged Paul to let them do.

4. Circle the type of giver we are to be.

- a. Grudgingly give a little, then increase the amount as others pressure us.
- b. Pray, then give everything we possibly can, excited to see how God will use it, and meet our needs as well.

5. a. Can someone give money to the Lord's work without first giving themselves to the Lord?

b. List possible motives for this.

c. Explain how we know we've given ourselves to the Lord first.

2 Corinthians 8:6-8

6. Why is Paul telling Corinthians about Macedonians?

7. Who is Titus?

8. Paul credits the Corinthians for excelling in these areas. (vs7)  
Define or give examples from Corinthians of each:

In Faith

In speech

In knowledge

In all diligence

Love for Paul

9. Give an example how others in this class or in our assembly have encouraged you showing one of the above ways.

10. How does Paul think this reminder will affect their giving?