

## Small Group Lesson 8 | "Grow Together: Give Back

Main Idea: To carry out the Good News to others in response to what God has done for me.

## **Get Connected:**

- 1. Tell the group about an act of service, big or small, you did last week.
- 2. Describe a time you received more than you gave.
- 3. Share a time when you were blessed by someone giving their time, talent or treasure to you.
- 4. What are your unique gifts and talents?

## In the Word:

Read Genesis 12:1-3 & Galatians 3:14

- 1. Restate the terms of God's blessing of Abraham in your own words.
- 2. How have "all peoples" on earth been blessed by Abraham?
- 3. How have you personally experienced the blessing that God gave to Abraham? Read Luke 6:38
- 4. According to Jesus, what are the ramifications of giving?
- 5. How you experienced reciprocity from your giving?
- 6. How do you feel when you give and there is no obvious return?
- 7. What "measure" are you using to give? Why?

## **Application:**

- 1. On a scale of 1-10, 1 being stingy, 10 being generous, where are you on the generosity scale?
- 2. Discuss the Pathway Purpose statement. How are you giving of your time, talent and treasure to our purpose and mission, to Now One More?
- 3. Develop a plan of generosity for your time, talent and treasure.

**Prayer:** Take a few minutes to for everyone to share their primary take aways from this message series, what they love about their church and their next step for being more generous. Pray accordingly. Consider closing with the group saying together the prayer of generosity we began praying last fall.

**Prayer of Generosity:** "God, grant us a joy filled experience of sacrificial generosity that will leave a legacy for generations to come so that Now and forever in our Pathway Church Family, there is always enough love and grace for One More. In Jesus Name, Amen

