5 MIN OFFERING – 2 CORINTHIANS 9:7-8

Message Outline

Main Verse - 2 Corinthians 9:7-8

THE JOY OF GIVING

Plain Truth: God loves a cheerful giver, and our giving should reflect the joy in our hearts.

PRACTICAL POINTS

The Attitude of Giving

2 Corinthians 9:7 - Let every man give according to the purposes in his heart, not grudgingly or out of necessity, for God loves a cheerful giver.

-Emphasize the importance of giving with a joyful and willing heart, not out of obligation or pressure.

The Freedom of Choice

2 Corinthians 9:7 - Let every man give according to the purposes in his heart

-Encourage individuals to prayerfully consider their giving, recognizing that it's a personal decision guided by their relationship with God.

The Abundance of Blessings That Come In Giving

2 Corinthians 9:8 - God is able to make all grace abound toward you, so that you, always having enough of everything, may abound to every good work.

-We can be confident in the promises of God's abundance when we give with a cheerful heart and how our giving can lead to blessings for others.

PRACTICALITIES OF GIVING

- A. Before you come and bring your tithe/offering (pray and ask God what you should give).
- B. When you give. Thank Him for the ability. Thank Him for the finances to give. Do it with honor and worship in your heart.
- C. Give in faith with expectation.

CONCLUSION

Encourage the congregation to approach their giving with joy, freedom, and an expectation of God's blessings.