



The Stone

Our Giving: An Act of Grace #2
(Luke 18:18-30, 19:1-10)

Notes:

It is because of what we presently possess in Christ that our mindset about our time, talents, and treasures should be different from that of those whose understanding is still darkened. This mindset or worldview (which must be nurtured) includes how we view our purpose in



this world (to glorify God), our priorities (to do the will of God) and our earthly possessions (provided by God for our enjoyment as we do His will). An attitude toward what God has entrusted to us that is characterized by “mine, mine, mine” or “me, me, me” is indicative of our fallen nature and the darkened understanding of this present age. That self-centered worldview is contrary to what we are in Christ.

- Ken Jones

**Covenant Presbyterian Church
of
Reno, Nevada**

September 14, 2025

Service for The Lord's Day

September 14, 2025 – 10:00 a.m.

And he said to them, "Truly, I say to you, there is no one who has left house or wife or brothers or parents or children, for the sake of the kingdom of God, ³⁰ who will not receive many times more in this time, and in the age to come eternal life." - Luke 18:29-30

We Gather as Stewards of God's Resources Entrusted to Us

Prelude

Nancy Tedford, piano

Welcome and Church Family News

Call to Worship

Psalm 13 (hymnal p.787)

Jay Hull

We Worship Our God Giver of Every Good & Perfect Gift

*Songs of Praise

Samuel Dueñas & the CPC Praise Band
"Majestic" & "Way Maker"

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*Time of Greeting

Children's Prayer Time

Katie Guerrero

We Confess Our Sin to God Trusting in His Righteousness

Prayer of Confession, Word of Assurance
& Gloria Patri (#734)

Time of Offering

Offertory Anthem

Covenant Choir - Denell Hull, Director

"If You Search with All Your Heart" - Courtney

*Doxology (#731) & Prayer of Thanksgiving

We Hear God's Word & Respond in Faith

Scripture Reading:

Luke 19:1-10, 18:18-30 (p.877)

Message:

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Chris Rhodes

*Hymn of Response:

"Have Thine Own Way, Lord!" #688

We Go Forth to Serve God with All He Has Given Us

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.

Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

*Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our sins as we
forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil, for Thine is the kingdom
and the power and the glory forever. Amen.*

*Closing Hymn

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"Praise the Savior, Ye Who Know Him"

*Charge & Benediction

*Postlude

Nancy Tedford, organ



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if you
are able