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REFRAMING YOUR APPROACH TO FINANCES

## SERIES COMMUNITY GUIDE

THRIVE LA CHURCH  
MARCH 2024

## Ways to Engage

### Watch the Sermon

In Person on Sundays at 10am: 2234 W Temple St, Los Angeles, CA 90026

Online Live on Sundays at 10am: [thrivea.online.church](https://thrivea.online.church)

Archived: [thrivelachurch.com/media](https://thrivelachurch.com/media)

### Gather Weekly

We have multiple Thrive Groups throughout Los Angeles. We encourage our groups meeting in person to share a meal together.

## Looking Ahead at Thrive

### First Steps

First Sundays of the month are for First Steps! When you invite your friends, the best place for them is coming to First Steps. Here they'll learn about Thrive, make some friends, & ask any questions.

### Monthly Meals

We love to share food together - it's distinctive part of our Thrive family culture. Our next Potluck is on Easter Sunday (March 31)!

## Week 1

We are going from a series on relationships to a series on money: hitting some major and personal topics to start 2024! Don't worry we aren't going to ask you to show us your bank account or tell us about your most recent purchases during this series, but this is a great opportunity to think about how you think about money, how you are spending it, and how to bring God into those decisions.

On Sunday we learned that God owns everything we have, he entrusts all of us with different resources to manage and we are blessed to be a blessing. Money and possessions themselves are good things because they're God's, and it's on us to be responsible stewards of what he's given us.

### Icebreaker

As a kid what is something you saved up for and were really proud of purchasing?

### Bible

Matthew 25:14-30

### Discussion

- How much of your daily thoughts and plans are around money?
- What do you think about the concept that everything we have is borrowed from God? How might that change your framework around your money thoughts and plans?
- How do you feel that you are a manager of what God has given you? How might that responsibility alter how you spend your money?
- What is a way God has provided for you? Who is making the decisions on how to use these resources?
- Have you thought about how you will use the money entrusted to you this week?

### Prayer

As we pray together as a group, let's pray about how we can be a blessing to others with what God has given us.