## Pre-Decide Better Choices ~ Better Living When You Stop Holding Back Acts 20:35

## I. Review

## II. The Real Issue

- A. Generosity isn't a \$\$\$ problem, but rather a heart issue
  - 1. Proverbs 4:23
  - 2. Luke 6:45
  - 3. Luke 21:1-4
- B. Now or never
  - 1. Luke 12:18,19
  - 2. More money does not make you more generous. It just makes you more of <u>what you are</u>

## III. Key:

- A. Generous people <u>plan</u> to be generous
  - 1. Luke 21:1-4
  - 2. Isaiah 32:8
  - 3. Malachi 3:8-10
- B. Generous people always round up
  - 1. Proverbs 21:6
  - 2. Luke 10:35
  - 3. Luke 19:8
- **IV.** Takeaway: God has called us to be generous. It starts today in our <u>heart</u> and in His <u>Church</u>. Pre-Decide.