

TODAY! What's It All About? You may know exactly what you are doing with your money, but do you know exactly what your money is doing with you? Probably not. Our world is full of unhelpful assumptions, but they particularly abound when it comes to our money and material possessions. So what is your money all about? You may be surprised what it is actually all about, and what it is not all about. And this might be very good news for you!

WELCOME!

Life, for adults and kids alike, is most fulfilling when it is woven deeply with others and that mysterious element we often call the third strand, or "God." Learn more about Fabric at www.FabricMpls.com

Is today your first visit? Welcome! Come say hi and choose a gift at the ? table after the gathering.

Got Babies? Hang out with them in The Nest (Media Center) and watch the livestream to stay connected. The Nest is also available for drop off (6mos-3yrs).

WHAT TO EXPECT

We're glad you're here!

Take a seat, get comfortable, have a cup of coffee. It's time to do some weaving!

- Music by Ellis Delaney. Visit ellisdelaney.com
- Welcome, Say Hi, and another song
- Message-Greg Meyer
- Connecting with & supporting Fabric
- More music & closing thoughts

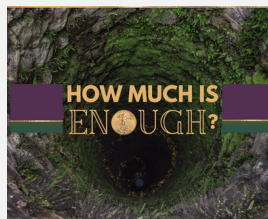
FABRIC KIDS



Kids: This week kids will discover that money can be powerful and knowing how to use it has something to do with knowing what is most important.

Start with your family in the Commons and then Pre-K and middle school will head to the media center and K-5th grade will head to the gym!

NEXT SUNDAY!



The G Word

You definitely know this familiar word but you probably don't like it being brought up. At least when it comes to your money. Let's talk about it!

Want to hear a message you missed, re-listen, or share it with someone? Go to www.fabricmpls.podbean.com



The Fabric Transition Team is hard at work preparing for our Lead Pastor search process later in the year. Join us for **"What's Next with Fabric" TOMORROW at 7:00PM, 3751 17th Ave S.** We're trying to learn what is so important about Fabric and how the lead pastor role fits into that. More at www.fabricmpls.com/transition

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Simpls Fundraiser - Fabric earns up to 35% of all sales! All funds raised go to helping Fabric High Schoolers on their journey to Appalachia where they will have a life-stretching experience as they work with other high schoolers from across the country to fix up houses alongside people from the neighborhood. Share the fundraiser with your friends and family!

The answer to "How much is enough?" is "**THERE IS NEVER ENOUGH!**"

As long as the question is about 'How much.'

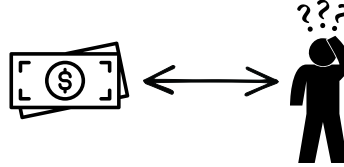
When it comes to your money, it isn't about the AMOUNT, it's about the RELATIONSHIP.

When your money is in control, and you serve it, a few things tend to be true:

ENOUGH is what you want.

SCARCITY is what you experience.

LEFTOVERS are what you give.



- Monthly or Annual Income
- Additional amount needed
- Total income

When you are in control, and your money serves you, a few other things tend to be true.

What you seek is SUFFICIENCY.

How you perceive the world is ABUNDANCE.

How you give GENEROUSLY.

Your money will TEST you.

For the love of money is the root of all kinds of evil. 1 Timothy 6.10

Where your treasure is, there will your heart be also. Jesus, Luke 12.34

What makes it so hard to get your relationship with money right?

The first is PRIDE.

Another is FATIGUE.

Perhaps the most potent of all is COMPARISON - *the enemy of contentment*.

There are postures that help get your relationship with money right.

Learn to be GRACIOUS.

Admire without the need to ACQUIRE!

Practice GRATITUDE.

Another is GENEROSITY.

And then there is a BUDGET.

3 Fabric goals for each of us and our money

- Everyone connected with our community has a BUDGET they can live on,
- A plan to get out of UNSECURED DEBT,
- And the SUPPORT to figure them out, stay on them, and get back on track when needed.

HOMEWORK: How much money you have does matter, but until you establish your relationship with your money the amount won't solve any problems. Keep these 2 sets of words with you this week and see your interactions with money in terms of them.

ENOUGH, SCARCITY, LEFTOVERS or SUFFICIENCY, ABUNDANCE, GENEROUSLY
PRIDE, FATIGUE, COMPARISON or GRACIOUS, GRATITUDE, GENEROSITY

Maybe you need a budget? *Need help right now? Let us know on your Communication Card or call LSS at 888.577.2227.*

Thank you for your donations in 2022! Giving Letters were emailed on Jan 26. Didn't get one? Check your SPAM folder. If you would like a detailed statement, contact Katy Kennedy (katy@fabricmpls.com). Your giving helped make Fabric happen, and makes a difference in people's lives. Thank you!