

# God Owns Everything

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## The Problem

We live in a materialistic, greedy society. We have our own sinful nature.

## The Challenge

Yet, we are called to give everything to God. What does that mean for the way we live our life?

## The Solution

Truly believe and live out the truth that God Owns Everything

### Details

God Owns Everything (GOE). Once we understand that GOE, we are free to see that our time, talent, and treasures are God's. How are we, as a Fox Creek body, managing these gifts God has given us? The Elders want to come along side the families of Fox Creek to help them grow in their stewardship of God's resources. How?

### The GOE plan.

Engage the body with questions how they can "GOE". Also, share "nuggets" of truths from God's word that can speak truth to the families regarding God's economy and eternal purposes.

Possible Questions to ask? Here's a quick sample:

- Do you view every minute of every day as God's? This includes waiting in a traffic jam, someone else being late for an appointment, having your plans interrupted, choosing what you do in your "free" time. There are no accidents in God's time.
- Do you consider every purchase decision as making decisions regarding God's money?
- What God given gifts do you have? What people are in your life? What relationships do you have an opportunity to explore for God's Kingdom? What younger person is in your life that you can come alongside and mentor?

These questions can be asked to encourage families to identify areas in their life

they can make decisions to pursue faithfulness and obedience to God's Kingdom. We encourage to ask families to look at the big picture of life.

- Where are they at now?
- Where do they want to be in the next 3-5 years?
- How do their lives compare to what God has revealed in His Word?

As we ask questions, we invite them to contact Elder's to come alongside to move forward in areas they identify as wanting help. The Elders can find mature members who can meet with the family to provide the shepherding requested. **This is where the real growth occurs.**

How are the questions asked?

- During Sunday morning (after announcements). I would be willing to provide 2 minutes to encourage families to "GOE"
- A quick "blurb" in Fox Net. I would be willing to write the blurbs.