

PROGRESS: Build Financial Momentum Proverbs 13:11

Is Financial Planning Spiritual?

Planning Principles

- Plan for the unexpected
- Plan for the expected

Planning Strategy

- Determine where you want to be.
- Discover where you are.
- Develop a plan to fill the gap.
- Get started now.
- Give it time.

The Bottom Line

- COMMON SENSE SHOUTS...
...“FIND A CREATIVE SCHEME!”
- uncommon cents whispers...
...“follow a consistent plan.”

This Week: Sit down and draft a plan.

^{3rd} message in “*Steps to Financial Peace*”

SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

These questions are provided to assist you in aligning your life with this week’s message. We encourage you to reflect on them in preparation for your small group discussion.

1. The first two messages laid a foundation for this week’s message. What progress have you made over the last couple of weeks?
2. How do you feel about financial planning? Does that create any challenges for you as a follower of Jesus?
3. Read Proverbs 6:6-8. Make a list of some typical non-monthly, but expected expenses. How well do you prepare for these? What are you doing to prepare for the unexpected that would also apply to preparing for the unexpected?
4. Have you ever developed a written financial plan? What value does a written plan have? What are the limitations of such a plan?
5. Do you have life insurance and a will? Does someone in your family know where these documents are kept?
6. Have you started on this week’s application? How’s it going? Read Proverbs 15:22. Do you need to seek some sound advice?

TRANSFORMING YOUR MIND

“Dishonest money dwindles away, but he who gathers it little by little makes it grow.”

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