



LIFE HACKS

LIFE HACK *noun*. a strategy or technique to help manage one's time and daily activities more efficiently and effectively.

DIGGING DEEPER

Money | 4.15.18

This study guide is designed to help you dig deeper into the weekend message and apply it to your life. The questions below are meant to encourage thoughtful reflection, discussion, and prayer for you and your group. If you missed the message (or want to hear it again) go to fopc.org/sermon or download the Fair Oaks Church App.

PRAY [Pray for this study and for what is going on in each others lives.]

KEY SCRIPTURE [Read aloud]

¹⁷ Command those who are rich in this present world not to be arrogant nor to put their hope in wealth, which is so uncertain, but to put their hope in God, who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment. ¹⁸ Command them to do good, to be rich in good deeds, and to be generous and willing to share. ¹⁹ In this way they will lay up treasure for themselves as a firm foundation for the coming age, so that they may take hold of the life that is truly life. **1 Timothy 6:17-19 (NIV)**

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. What is something that stood out to you from the key scripture or the message this weekend?
2. What are your current financial issues? What have been some previous issues? What are some of the ways you incorporate your faith into your finances?
3. How much of your life is spent working toward a financial goal? Is this a source of stress or anxiety?
4. In our key text, there are a couple of commands given. Why do you think Paul is making demands on the rich? If one were to follow the commands here, what would happen?
5. The three pieces of advice given about finances this week were: Give to God first, live below your means, and be content with your life. Which of these will you commit to work on in the coming weeks? What will that look like? How can someone hold you accountable?

PRAY

Spend some time in prayer. If your group is up to it, find a way to give generously somewhere in the community. Maybe take on a special project or give some of your time, talents or treasures to a local food bank!



REMINDER

Spring Life Groups Kickoff April 15. For more info go to fopc.org/lifegroups