2 Corinthians – Session #9 – Chapter 8

Chapter 7 – “The grace in grace-filled giving.”

THEME: The blessing of gracious giving in response to God’s grace.

KEY VERSE – 7b - “see that you also excel in this grace of giving.”

B. READ THE WORD – Chapter 8

C. STUDY THE WORD

KEY WORD: grace = The gift of undeserved love

1. (1) – The basis for all giving is God’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (“And now”)

2. (2-5) – The example of giving as reflecting God’s\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. (5 - first)

3. (6-9) – The ultimate example of grace-filled giving is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. (9)

4. (10-15) – Grace-filled giving is based on what you’ve \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. (12)

5. (16-19) – Grace-filled giving honors \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. (19)

6. (20-24) – Grace-filled giving is encouraged by financial \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

D. THE WORD FOR ME

Grace-filled giving flows from having received God’s grace in Christ. It

follows through on the basic commitment of faith: “Jesus is my Lord.”

It allows each person to decide what to give, when to give, and how to give it. It’s based on what a person has, not what they don’t have.