

Matthew 26:26-29

You might not expect an emphasis on faith and giving to begin with the story of Jesus and the disciples eating the last supper. But what took place at that table in the upper room is at the heart of Christian life, with important implications for stewardship.

The giving of the loaf and the cup represent God giving pure, unbounded love to the church and to the world. When we eat the bread and drink the cup, we not only embrace God's love, we also make a commitment to live in love.

God gives to us. When we give, we represent God's love to others. Will your gift to others through the church represent the depth and breadth of God's love?

From Bread & Wine to Faith & Giving Discovering The Spiritual Discipline of Generosity