
Equipping the Next Generation (and the Leaders who Serve Them) – Week 6

“THE WHALE”: JESUS, GENEROSITY AND THE WIDOW’S OFFERING

Luke 20:45 – 21:6

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Introduction: Two pennies. That certainly doesn’t sound like a significant donation to the temple treasury. But it is the amount given by the widow in the passage we’ll explore today. Despite appearances, Jesus commends this woman as having given “more” than all the other worshipers. In this strange assessment of her generosity, we’ll learn lessons about what makes someone a “mega donor” to God’s work.

Applications from the words of Jesus in this text: