

# GIFT

## *The Gift We Give*

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**When we care for someone, giving something of value is a natural response.**

Matthew 2: 1-2 , Matthew 2: 11

- The tangible gifts the magi give Jesus follow the gift of their hearts. They came to “worship” him.
- The giving of our hearts to God must will be followed by the giving of the valuable things of our lives to him also.

*“Real love is the gift of ourselves to one another”*

Romans 12: 6-7

- We are each gifted differently, able to serve and love each other in unique ways.

Three Principles of Giving

- Sacrificial giving
- Generous giving
- Meaningful giving

### **Discussion Questions:**

1. What give have you given over the years that has meant a great deal to someone?
2. Looking at the principles of giving, how have you given with these in mind in the past?
3. What have you learned about giving and generosity over the years? What wisdom can you share?