

Based on the teaching from Sunday 10 August 2025 9.30am, 'Do you worry about money?'

Sermon can be found on our website lwac.org.au, click on 'talks' top left of the page.

Text: **Luke 12:22-34**

Key Ideas from the Sermon:

- Worrying about money has little to do with how little or how much one has. Worry reveals a heart that has misplaced trust.
- Jesus teaches us that God is our Father, he provides for us, he holds our lives in his hands, and he is extravagantly generous.
- To illustrate these truths Jesus says, look at the ravens – God feeds them, no amount of worry will add one second to our lives and look at the wildflowers – God clothes them.
- Instead of laying up treasure on earth where rust and moth destroy, we should lay up treasure in heaven – being rich toward God – generously giving to help people in need and the work of the gospel, because where our treasure is – there our hearts will be also.

Bible Study: The Swedish Method [Lk 12:22-34]

1. Begin by praying, asking God to speak through His Word
2. Read the Bible passage aloud, being careful to read slowly
3. Go back over the passage (allow about 10 minutes of silence), being on the lookout for, and making notes on the following four things:



Light bulb: This should be something that 'shine' from the passage - whatever impacts most, or draws attention.

Notes:



Question mark: Anything that is difficult to understand in the text, or a question the reader might like to ask the writer of the passage, or the Lord.

Notes:



Jesus: What does this passage teach me about who Jesus is, what he has done for me and what it means for me to follow him in my life.

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Arrow: A personal application for your life.

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4. Discussion & Prayer

The Swedish Method guide explaining best practice can be found on our website. Click on 'Our Church' top right, then 'LifeGroup leaders page'.