

Wednesday January 13, Day 10 Intention:

We are praying for Crosswalk and SCS finances for 2021

Scripture:

Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you.

Luke 6:38

Things we are praying for together:

(you can pray for all of these or choose a few to pray for)

- That our God would open the doors of finance and favor, over Crosswalk and SCS
- Health and wholeness over SCS and Crosswalk
- Protection over our families and marriages
- Holy Spirit give us the ability to break every yoke of sin not only in our personal life but in those who we directly influence and impact
- That God would add to the number of SCS and Crosswalk
- For an effective and strategic bridge to impact our community

Reflection:

Many people use this scripture before an offering call, or even a charity run. Actually, this scripture has nothing to do with finances, but more about mercy. The same mercy and kindness that we have measured toward others, that same measure will come back to us. In Biblical times when people were harvesting wheat, they would use a sickle to cut the wheat, and carry a large bag in front of them to put the wheat in. The more the wheat was shaken in the bag, the more room was created. Then once the wheat was pushed down, they would gather more. It was time to carry your bag of wheat in to be harvested once the bag was running over in your lap. This process was used over and over during harvest time.

- Crosswalk has given over 2.5 million dollars to local and global missions over the past 20 years
- SCS has served over 6,000 students since opening 40 years ago

The Lord has given us a harvest of workers, (paid and volunteers) and ALL are passionate about advancing the Kingdom. We have given a good measure of finances, time, energy, tears, and most importantly the good news. This same measure will fall in our laps because of the kindness and mercy we have sown into the Bay Area in these last years.

Prayer:

Heavenly Father, we know that all life comes from You. We also know that You love to give good gifts. We pray that our good measure, that has been shaken and pressed down and poured out into the Bay Area, would be measured back overflowing to us. Let SCS and Crosswalk's cup of blessing overflow Father. In Jesus' name, Amen.