

**Solid Ground in a Shifting World**  
**“Pouring Out”**

**GETTING STARTED**

ICE BREAKER: Tell about an investment you made that didn't pan out the way you hoped.

KEY THOUGHT: *Pour out, regardless of how things turn out.*

**GETTING THE POINT**

Read [Colossians 4:14-17](#)

1. What facts do you know about Luke, either from these verses or from other parts of the Bible?
2. What facts do you know about Demas, from these verses and from 2 Timothy 4:10?
3. Why do you think Paul asked for his letters to be read publicly, to the church?
4. In what way could you see the exhortation to Archippus applying to anyone?

**GETTING DEEPER**

Read [2 Corinthians 9:6](#)

1. How does this principle apply in finances?
2. How does this principle apply when building into other people?

**GETTING PERSONAL**

1. When have you intentionally invested into another person to help them grow in faith? What was the result?
2. What holds you back from fully investing in another person?
3. How do you resolve the fact that some people you invest in will be a Luke and others will be a Demas?
4. Without sharing a name, are you ready to commit to your group that you will take a step toward investing in someone this week? What step will you take?

**PRAYER**

*Pray that people in our church will pour into many “Lukes” who go on to make a lasting impact on the world for Christ.*