## 1 Corinthians 16

## Vocabulary

Macedonia – Greek province in Southeastern Europe

Ephesus – Large city in Asia Minor (modern-day western Turkey) along the Cayster River.

Achaia – narrow strip of land in Greece

## Questions

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1.	An offering was being received from the churches to assist the needy Christians of Judea who had suffered personal loss due to persecution (Hebrews 10:32-34) compounded by famine (Acts 11:27-30). What instructions does Paul give the Corinthian church as to how to prepare their offering?
2.	According to vs.3-4, how would the Corinthian church's offering be transported to Jerusalem?
	Based upon these instructions, what do you think was Paul's concern?
3.	Paul informs the Corinthians that he is sending Timothy to minister to them. How is the church to treat this young pastor? vs.16:10-11
4.	Paul makes reference to the household of Stephanas, a Corinthian family that was prominent in the ministry of the church. vs.15-16 How is the church to treat these brothers and sisters in the Lord?
5.	What is Paul's reaction upon receiving the delegation sent to him by the Corinthian church? vs.16:17-18
	What does this show about Paul's relationship with the churches to whom he ministered?
6.	Verse 14 says to do everything in love, this pretty much sums up the whole book of 1 Corinthians. What are some things that are happening in this chapter that are being done in love?
7.	Is there somebody that you live with or work with that needs to see the love of Jesus this week? How can you express that?

## True/False

The Corinthian church took up a love offering of Girl Scout cookies to send to the Jerusalem church.
Paul encouraged the church to set aside money for the offering on the first day of the week.
Being on our guard against false teaching is something that we should do out of love for God and the church.
Paul sends Timothy to the church with good news and gift cards to Famous T/F Dave's.
We should want Jesus to come back before the Patriots make it to the Super T/F Bowl again.