- Generous Webster Liberal in giving: Openhanded, marked by abundance or ample proportions.
 - Core Value is: WE LIVE GENEROUSLY Freely receive, Freely give.
 - Ps 51:12 12 Restore to me the joy of Your salvation, And uphold me by Your generous Spirit.
 - Generous nadiyb Voluntary, magnanimous; uncompelled and free movement of the will.
 - To be generous, it has to be: Yours to give, Voluntary, and Sacrificial

II. **GOD - Rom 12:1-8**

- Besech parakaleo To call near; invite, plead, ask earnestly
- Present parahistemi To stand close beside, make ready; "I'm on stand-by".
 - 1. Noun Gift Ex: Give a present; Our life is a present we give to God
 - 2. Adjective Now or in progress; Ex: Present time or situation;
 - a) **2 Cor 6:2** Behold, now is the accepted time; behold, now is the day of salvation.
 - b) <u>Heb 11:1</u> 1 Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.
 - 3. **<u>Verb</u>** To give, offer, perform Ex: Present this award to...
 - a) <u>James 2:26</u> 26 For as the body without the spirit is dead, so faith without works is dead also.
- Bodies soma A sound whole; comes from the root word "sozo"
- <u>Living sacrifice</u> thusia The offering of something precious; dying of something for something else.
- Holy hagios Possessing both moral and Divine qualities
 - 1 Peter 1:15-16 ... "Be holy, for I am holy."
- Acceptable to God eurestos Fully agreeable; that which causes someone to be pleased.
- Reasonable logikos Rational, logical; makes sense
- <u>Service</u> *latreia* Service to God; Worship
- Beseech parakaleo To call near; invite, plead, ask earnestly
 - It's reasonable but not a requirement!
- <u>Conformed</u> suschematizo To form or mold one's behavior in accordance with a particular pattern or set of standards

- <u>Transformed</u> metamorphoo To change the essential form or nature of something.
- <u>Renewing</u> anakainosis To cause something to become new and different, with the implication of becoming superior.
- Mind nous the psychological faculty of understanding, reasoning, thinking, and deciding
- <u>Highly</u> huperphroneo To give excessive thought and attention to
- <u>Soberly</u> sophroneo To be of sound (whole) mind; think with the whole in mind; see the big picture.
- **Dealt** *merizo* To divide into parts
- Measure metron A measurement or determined portion.
- <u>Function</u> praxis Practice; Sustained activity or responsibility, task
- Having echo To hold, own or possess
- <u>Differing</u> diaphoros Diverse, varying in kind, not the same
- <u>Prophecy</u> propheteia An utterance inspired by God
- Ministry diakonia To serve to help meet the needs of others
- <u>Gives</u> metadidomi To share or give of what one has.

 <u>Liberality</u> - haplotes - Singleness, sincerity, generously 							