

Kailua Christian Church  
Sunday Message  
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## **Hospitality**

### ***God's way of giving With God, more than for God***

*"The end of all things is near. Therefore, be alert and of sober mind so that you may pray. <sup>8</sup> Above all, love each other deeply, because love covers over a multitude of sins.<sup>9</sup> Offer hospitality to one another without grumbling. <sup>10</sup> Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms. <sup>11</sup> If anyone speaks, they should do so as one who speaks the very words of God. If anyone serves, they should do so with the strength God provides, so that in all things God may be praised through Jesus Christ. To Him be the glory and the power for ever and ever. Amen. I Peter 4:7-11*

**Giving With God inspires me to face crisis by ...**

#### **I. Listening to God**

*"The end of all things is near. Therefore, be alert and of sober mind so that you may pray." I Peter 4:7*

- ***What crisis are you facing now that could do with attention to listen to God for guidance, help and peace?***

#### **II. Receiving courage to face brokenness with care**

*"Above all, love each other deeply, because love covers over a multitude of sins.<sup>9</sup> Offer hospitality to one another without grumbling." I Peter 4:8-9*

- ***Who is someone you could ask God for help to be more caring with?***

#### **III. Freely giving what God has given me**

*"Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms.*

- **When has giving to others given you delight?**

#### **IV. Remembering that in my limits God's greatness is revealed.**

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- **How has God surprisingly surpassed your expectations?**