

# GRACE COMMUNITY CHURCH, KAILUA KONA, HAWAII

### events

**Aloha!** Thank you for joining us this morning. We'd like to get to know you better, visit the Welcome Table and complete a Grace Connect Card.

Nursery and Kids' Church are available. Parents, please signin your children at the nursery.

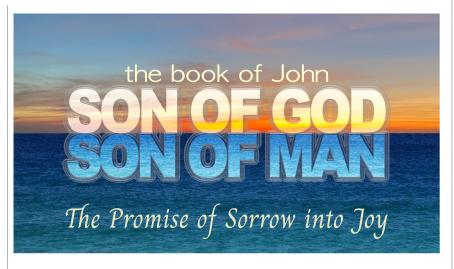
**Prayer:** Elders are available to pray with you before, during or after the service if you desire.

#### DO NOT STACK CHAIRS

### Ways to Give:

- Online on our website or app
- Giving box on Sundays
- Mail a check to the church

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Manny Martinez - Elder John 16: 16-24

**Big Idea of John:** Jesus Christ is the Son of God Jesus' Farewell - The Mystery of a "Little While" (John 16:16-19)

The Assurance of Sorrow Turning to Joy (John 16:20-22, 24; 15:11)

The Assurance of Prayer in Jesus' Name (John 16:23-24)

### **GRACE GROUP QUESTIONS**

## John 16:16-24

- 1) What stood out from this week's children's message and/or sermon? Why do you think it impacted you in a meaningful way?
- 2) How does this passage overlap and connect with Matthew 7:24-27? Why is it important for Christians to understand that King Jesus doesn't promise that we will be delivered from grief, loss, rejection, and suffering in this world?
- 3) How does Hebrews 9:13-20 connect and overlap with Jesus' message from John 16:16-24? How have you experience Jesus as the anchor for your soul? How should that impact your testimony and desire for evangelism?
- 4) How does the message of John 16:16-24 fit into the overarching message of John's Gospel account? How does it connect with John's purpose from chapter 20:31?
- 5) What are some examples of the world (and even some well-intentioned Christians) taking the promises of God and perverting them? (Prayer of Jabez, God's promise in Genesis 9, Jeremiah 29:11, etc.)?
- 6) What has the Holy Spirit been teaching you? What "dead branches" has God been removing? How has He been pruning you in order to produce God-honoring kingdom fruit?

# **SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES**

• TeamSunday is in need of the following volunteers:

New Sound Board Technicians- training available

Musicians

Computer techs to run the slides on Sunday morning worship

Technicians to help set up equipment and screens for Sunday worship

• Children's Church - We need help teaching our keiki about Jesus on Sunday mornings

If you can help with any of these service opportunities, please see Bill Quinlan or contact him at <a href="mailto:quinlan7bill@yahoo.com">quinlan7bill@yahoo.com</a>, you may also contact the church office at <a href="mailto:office@gracekona.org">office@gracekona.org</a>. We really appreciate your help spreading the good news of our Lord Jesus through these service opportunities!