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WARM UP QUESTION: Tell a funny story from when you were babysitting or taking care of an animal. Did you think you would be held accountable for something that went wrong?

READ: 1 Peter 4:7-11

FOCUS: King Jesus calls us to be stewards of his grace.

OBSERVE:

- A steward is a "household manager" who is accountable to the owner of the household to care for the members of the household, not just the things in the household.
- We care for God's household through prayer. To pray effectively, we need discipline or self-control. We also need to be sober-minded, meaning that we need to be spiritually alert.
- We also care for God's household by loving one another and showing hospitality. We serve one another with the gifts he has given each of us.
- We are stewards of God's Grace to glorify him through Jesus Christ.

DISCUSS:

- What stood out to you, or what did the Holy Spirit bring to your attention?
- Recall a time when someone showed you love, offered you hospitality, or served you. How did that help you?
- Is the Spirit nudging you toward serving others in new ways?

TAKE ACTION:

- Discuss what it means to be spiritually alert. Help each other to notice and respond to God's leading in your lives.
- Partner with our heavenly Father and each other to pray for his kingdom.
- Think about the gifts and abilities each of us have. Do any in your group have needs or know of people with needs that your group can serve?

PRAY: Heavenly Father, you have challenged us to love one another earnestly, show hospitality and serve your kingdom with the gifts You have given us. Holy Spirit, encourage us in the strength that you supply so we can glorify God through Jesus Christ. In his name, Amen!