

Made for Missions: Made to Give

1 Thessalonians 2:1-12 • Pastor Jonathan Steeper

“We loved you so much that we were delighted to share with you not only the gospel of God but our lives as well.” ~ 1 Thessalonians 2: 8

Mission Means Giving

1. Made to Give the Gospel of God

God gives us good news that we can turn to serve the living God.

- Christ lived to show us God’s love
• Christ died to forgive our sins
• Christ rose to give us eternal life
• Christ ascended to rule in authority
• Christ is returning to judge the world

God gives us boldness in the midst of suffering and shame.

God gives his approval when our hearts are set to please Him.

2. Made to Give of Our Own Selves

“We were gentle among you, like a mother caring for her children.” ~ 1 Thessalonians 2: 7

We give with the purpose of others living worthy of God.

We give with a deep love from our hearts.

- Gentleness of a nursing mother
• Encouragement of an affectionate father.

April 8 to May 5, 2018

Calendar grid for April 8 to May 5, 2018, with dates 8-14, 15-21, 22-28, and 29-5.

- WED 11, 18, 25 WEDNESDAY FUN NIGHTS in the Gym
Apr 10 ROMEO (Retired Old Men Encouraging Others) LUNCH 11:30am
Apr 14 Saturday Work Morning - 8:30-11:30 am
Apr 22 CONNECTING POINT 5pm - At Pastor Jon’s house...
Apr 28 MISSION IMPOSSIBLE - INFINITY WAR 5:30-8:30 pm
30 Mon 24-hour Prayer 12 Midnight to 11:59pm Mon 4/30 in the Chapel

Happening Weekly

- PRAYER: Mondays - 7 PM & Saturdays - 6 AM
FITNESS: Men’s Weightlifting - M,W,F, 4:30pm
HULA: Returns April 16 - Mon 6pm
UKULELE: Saturday Mornings at 10am
YOUTH: WEDNESDAY FUN NIGHTS-APRIL B-ball
WOMEN’S FELLOWSHIP: Wednesdays, 9am
JOY FELLOWSHIP FOR SENIORS: Thursdays, 9am
MANNA MINISTRY & FOOD BAG BLESSING: Thursdays, 10am
SATURDAY MEN’S BIBLE STUDY: 8- 9am
TRAIL LIFE & AMERICAN HERITAGE GIRLS: Fridays @ 7pm



KALIHI UNION CHURCH

loving God, loving people

APRIL 8, 2018

The Made for Missions Series



TODAY’S MESSAGE

“Made for Missions: Made to Give”

1 Thessalonians 2:1-12

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Kalihi Union Church is a multicultural community, celebrating our diversity as an expression of the good news of Jesus Christ.

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## Aloha & Welcome

Welcome to Kalihi Union Church! Let us draw near to God as we worship our blessed Savior, Jesus Christ!

## Worship

Proverbs 10:22 says, "The blessing of the Lord brings wealth."

## Hymns for 7:15am Worship Service

- #11 Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing, #368 He Lives
- #118 His Name Is Wonderful/ #9 Glorify Thy Name
- #678 We Are an Offering, #415 We Are Called to Be God's People

## Hear the Word of God

"No one claimed that any of their possessions was their own, but they shared everything they had." **Today's Scripture Reading:** Acts 4:32-35

### 10:45 AM Service ONLY

Children, ages 3 1/2 years through grade 5 are invited to "Kids Under Christ" after the Children's Moment. Pray for them as they go out.

## Giving to God and Each Other

**Tithes and Offerings:** Lord, we give you the first and the very best of what you have given to us. Thank you for blessing us!

**Friendship Bridge:** Please pass the clipboard along your row and get to know the people sitting near you. We welcome visitors to leave some contact information as we'd love to get to know you.

**Today's Sermon from the Word:  
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## Special Thanks

7:15 AM - Scripture Reading: Van Sterenberg

## Altar Flowers

Thank you to Sandy Sakata for blessing us with today's beautiful flower arrangement in memory of husband, Jerry Sakata.

## Today's Worship & Ministry

- 7:15 am Early Morning Worship
- 9:00 am Sunday School for all ages  
Japanese Fellowship in the Chapel
- 10:45 am Family Worship Service  
Kids Under Christ (ages 3 1/2 through grade 5)

S.P.A.M. Collection of non-perishable foods-Welcome Center till 11am  
Detention Home Visits every 1st and 2nd Sunday. Contact Ann Horiuchi.

**Today's MEET and GREET:** Aloha to the Jake Foret Family  
**NEXT WEEK:** Chuck & Patti Kountz

### LUNCH in the GYM TODAY @ 12:15pm - Chicken Stew

Thanks to Today's Chef: Shar Chun-Lum & the faithful Kitchen Krew

**Clean up: Clive Cowell's Class** Thanks, servants of the Lord

**Next Week:** Pastor Jon & Robin Kumabe's Class

## PRIMARY & YOUTH CLASSES

- **Preschool, Ages 3-4, Room B3**
- **Grades K-2, Rooms B1-B2**
- **Grades 3-5, A Building downstairs**
- **Grades 6-12, A Building upstairs.**

## NEW ADULT CLASSES START TODAY AT 9AM!

- **REVELATION - The Triumph of Christ by John Stott**  
- Frances Fukumitsu & Alan Nakamura - **Welcome Center 2**  
- Senior Women's Koinonia w/Robin M. & Sara T. - **Prayer Room**  
- 2Serve Class w/Geoff, Jerry, Neilson - **WC 2 THIS WEEK ONLY**
- **Experiencing God Part 2** Barbara Ching - **LIBRARY**
- **The Journey Continues - MEN'S GROUP**  
Steve K. Duane C. & Greg Y. - **GYM 1**
- **The Gospel of John** Pastor Clive Cowell - **GYM**
- **Kingdom Calling: The Life of Joseph** w/ Pastor & Robin - **WC**

## Nursery Care at 10:30am (During the 10:45am Worship)

- From 6 weeks - 2 yrs old - **NURSERY** (NEAR THE WELCOME CENTER)

\*For the safety of our children, all minors during our Worship Services should be under parental or guardian supervision, including areas such as the Welcome Center. Thank you for helping us protect and care for our children. Welcome Center. Thank you for helping us protect and care for our children.

## What's Happening

**APRIL EVENTS -Spotlighted Saturday Work Morning THIS Sat**  
Opportunity to serve in the House of the Lord for between 8:30-11:30am.  
**24-Hour Prayer - Monday the 30th**  
Midnight to 11:59pm in the Chapel

**WEDNESDAY FUN NIGHTS for YOUTH - ALL APRIL ...** Basketball, Board Games, Bible & Dinner 5-7pm

**MISSION IMPOSSIBLE - INFINITY WARS for YOUTH is COMING UP!**  
**April 28, SAT 5:30-8:30pm**  
Join the crazy night-time fun across the whole campus with teens from all over the island. (Grades 6-12)

**SUMMER FUN -SHIPWRECKED!**  
June 6 to July 24 GET ON BOARD for 7 weeks of Super Summer Fun: Games, Crafts, Bible, Overnighters, Food FUN, Beach & Pool Days, Excursions! Gym & Outdoor Play Special Events on Wed. & Fridays.

Early Registration until April 16  
Regular Registration due by May 7

**NEXT CONNECTING POINT - Sunday April 22 @ 5pm** Come chat about things of faith and our church. Get to know what we're about. At Pastor Jon's house. Light Dinner.

## Community Life

**Happy Birthday Blessings to you!**

**April 5** - Donald Guerrero **9** - Khayson Yamashita **13** - Timothy Pacada  
**14**- Tad Kamimura, Emiko Matsumoto

**Happy Anniversary Blessings to you!**

**April 10** - Stan & Jan Shota **12** - Chuck & Patti Kountz

**College Scholarships Available**

Three \$2,000 KUC College Scholarships are now available through a private sponsor for high school seniors and young adults who are members, or are involved in ministry at KUC. For more info, please see Pastor Kendal Fong for an application. Deadline is May 31st, submitted to Pastor Kendal.

**Wedding & Funeral Coordinator Position Available**

Must have flexible availability. Please send resume to info@kahiunion.org

## Coming Next Sunday...

**What can KUC do to become more effective with young people?** We will be asking for full church participation in a survey to assess where we are today in being a church where teens and young adults feel engaged. Be ready to participate next Sunday, 4/15, after each service at the tables on the lanai. There will be more information to follow.