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The 3 Keys to Discernment

1. *Humility*
2. *An Open Mind*
3. *Knowing Jesus*

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God has given each of you a gift from his great variety of spiritual gifts. Use them well to serve one another. ¹¹ Do you have the gift of speaking? Then speak as though God himself were speaking through you. Do you have the gift of helping others? Do it with all the strength and energy that God supplies. Then everything you do will bring glory to God through Jesus Christ. All glory and power to him forever and ever! Amen.

1 Peter 4:10-11 NLT

Making Space for Serving Others

1. Two cultural tensions – **excellence** and **busyness**.
2. You cannot control **how** God has **gifted** you, but you can control **if**, **when**, and **how** you use them.
3. Serving helps to give **meaning** and **purpose** to faith.
4. It makes Jesus **real**.



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Homework

Is serving others more about me or
more about God?