## Spiritual Warfare Let's Talk About It... October 20, 2024

Theme: There exists both good and evil embodied by two entities: God and Satan. Both HAVE A PLAN for your life.

- Three foundational truths
  - 1. We have an ENEMY Ephesians 6:10-11, Ezekiel 28:14-16,
    - Isaiah 14:12-15
    - ✓ Satan exists to DESTROY God's children and defame God's glory
      - Jeremiah 10:6
    - ✓ GOD is mighty, Satan is NOT!
  - 2. We are in a BATTLE Ephesians 6:12
    - ✓ Fighting isn't OPTIONAL!
  - 3. We fight from VICTORY Colossians 2:13-15, Ephesians 6:13
    - ✓ Spiritual warfare is STANDING FIRM in the victory of Christ
- Three essential practices
  - Build up our spiritual STRENGTH Ephesians 6:10, 1 Timothy 4:7-8
    ✓ Try vs. Train
  - 2. Be covered in the FULL ARMOR Ephesians 6:14-17
    - ✓ God makes the armor available, but we must choose to SUIT UP!
  - 3. Boldly advance the GOSPEL Ephesians 6:18-20
    - ✓ The armor defends us, but the gospel TAKES GROUND James 4:7