

Sermon Notes

Be Strengthened, Put on the Armor, Be Alert

to stand in Christ against the spiritual forces of darkness

Ephesians 6:10-18

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There may be Q&A at the end as time allows. So note your questions.

6:10 Be made strong in the Lord by His supreme power.

6:11-17 Put on the full armor of God.

The enemy: The devil and his spiritual forces of darkness

(Jude 9, 1 Peter 5:8, Daniel 10:13, Ephesians 2:2,
Genesis 3:1-19, Matthew 4:1-11, 1 John 3:8, John 13:12,
Matthew 25:41, 2 Peter 2:4, Revelation 2:10, 12:9)

The objective: Stand firm in Christ (Ephesians chapter 1)

The armor:

Truth (gird)

The enemy is a liar (John 8:44, Genesis 3:1-19)

For
(Matthew

Jesus, it defended against temptation.
4:1-11)

Righteousness (put on)

(Ephesians

Take off the old, put on the new
4:22-24)

The gospel

of peace (bind on)

Peace with brothers in Christ

(Eph. 2:13-14, 4:26-27, 2 Cor. 2:11)

Faith (take up)

Salvation (accept)

The word of God, wielded by the Spirit (accept)

(Luke 8:4-15, Hebrews 4:12)

6:18 Be alert and prepared with prayer. (Romans 8:26-28)

Pray for yourself – strength, needs, protection, victory

Suggestion: Pray through the armor daily

Pray for other Christians

What is your response to this? Discuss it with someone today.

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