

# SERMON NOTES

FEARLESS

ALL IN FOR JESUS  
2 CORINTHIANS 4:1-6 | AUGUST 20, 2017  
SENIOR PASTOR  
TIM HARKNESS



Intro: \_\_\_\_\_  
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1. We will not lose heart, but will \_\_\_\_\_ to His holiness and uphold His whole word. (1-2)

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2. We will \_\_\_\_\_ that there is a spiritual war for our hearts. (3-4)

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3. We will \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus Christ as Lord, and all for His glory. (5-6)

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Conclusion:

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**WEEKLY READING PLAN:**

- Monday, August 21 - Psalm 18:25-36**  
*His word proves true*
- Tuesday, August 22 - Ephesians 6:10-20**  
*Stand against the devil's schemes*
- Wednesday, August 23 - 1 John 1:1-10**  
*We proclaim Jesus*
- Thursday, August 24 - Ephesians 1:1-14**  
*Blessed in Christ*
- Friday, August 25 - 2 Corinthians 4:7-18**  
*Count the cost*

**WEEKLY EVENTS:**

- \*Please note: a full schedule of events and times is available on the final page of this bulletin.*
- FUSE (5<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>) / FUEL (7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>)**
  - August 23 is 80's NIGHT
- IGNITE (9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>)**
  - August 20 is the IGNITE FALL KICK-OFF
  - Ignite begins Fall meeting hours  
*(Fall hours: 6:45-8:45p / Hangout 8:45-9:30p)*
- RESONATE (18-22)**
  - Next meeting is August 31 at 6:30p
- AMPLIFY (23-30+)**
  - Next meeting is August 24 at 6:30p

Opening: Read 2 Corinthians 4:1-6. From the passage/sermon, what truths impacted you the most?

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1. Verse 1 begins with “Therefore”. Looking at the previous chapter, put the therefore in context.

a. What are some key truths you need to understand in the ministry of the New Covenant?

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b. Why is it important we grasp these truths as we think about our own personal ministry?

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2. How have you seen God’s Word used to manipulate or trick people? How could you help bring truth into this situation?

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# IMPACT GROUP QUESTIONS

3. Think of an area where you are trying to have a spiritual influence (family, friend, work, home). Sometimes that can get discouraging. What can you learn from the following verses about not losing heart in these situations?

- a. Mark 10:24-27
- b. 1 Corinthians 15:58
- c. Galatians 6:9-10
- d. 2 Thessalonians 3:13
- e. How are these an encouragement to you in your specific situation?

4. From the following passages compare and contrast the world and their spiritual blindness and the believer who's been rescued from sin?

- a. 1 Corinthians 1:18-29
- b. 1 Corinthians 2:14, 16
- c. Ephesians 2:2-9
- d. Philippians 3:17-21
- e. 1 John 5:18-21

## LIFE APPLICATION

What is keeping you from being all in for Jesus? Let's make this a great year of pursuing Christ together, holding each other up in prayer, and encouraging each other to make Him a priority in our lives. Take some time to talk about this area in your life and pray for each other.