



**PURPOSE CHURCH**

**SUNDAYS 8:30am | 10:00am | 11:30am**

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OCTOBER 19, 2025

*What the Bible Teaches About Satan, Sin*

# — THE — **WAR**

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**YOU'RE IN**

*And How To Fight Back*



# WELCOME TO PURPOSE CHURCH!

Are you new to Purpose Church?

We are so glad you are here! We want to meet you, answer any questions you might have, and help you get connected. Come to the Connect Center located in the Lobby after the service to meet our friendly team and pick up a free gift!

## NEXT STEPS AT PURPOSE

We believe every person has a *next step* to take.  
We are here to help you discover and take yours.

Have you decided to follow Jesus?  
Do you want to get baptized?  
Do you need hope, healing and support?  
Are you looking for meaningful community?

Head to: [purposechurch.com/nextsteps](https://purposechurch.com/nextsteps)



# EVERYONE EVERYWHERE FOLLOWING JESUS

## PRAYER

We would love to pray with you!  
Please stop by the prayer room  
after the service or submit a  
prayer request online.  
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## GIVING

We believe that generous people  
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# THE GOSPEL IS SPIRITUAL WARFARE

October 19, 2025 / Pastor Eric Holmstrom

*We are at war.  
It's not a fair fight.  
In Christ, we can win.*

## THE GOSPEL ASKS IF JESUS IS \_\_\_\_\_ SAVIOR OR JUST THE SAVIOR

1 Timothy 4:7-9

### How do you become spiritually fit?

- #1 - Fuel yourself with God's Word.
- #2 - Do hard things like praying and serving.
- #3 - Resist the temptation to do it alone.

### HOW CAN I BEGIN FOLLOWING JESUS?

*Jesus, I **CONFESS** that my sin is a problem I can't fix.  
I **BELIEVE** that you died on the cross to forgive me.  
I **TRUST** that you rose from the dead proving you are God.  
I **RECEIVE** you as my Lord and Savior.  
Today and every day, I **CHOOSE** to follow you!*

### YOUR NEXT 5 STEPS

- #1 - Let us **KNOW**.
- #2 - **READ** your Bible.
- #3 - **PRAY** daily.
- #4 - **JOIN** a Life Group.
- #5 - **SHARE** Jesus with someone.

## THE GOSPEL HAS A CALLING ON THE \_\_\_\_\_ AND \_\_\_\_\_

1 Timothy 4:11-14

***You can make a lasting impact when you set an example with your...***

- #1 - SPEECH
- #2 - CONDUCT
- #3 - LOVE
- #4 - FAITH
- #5 - PURITY

Acts 20:24

1 Corinthians 6:18-20

## THE GOSPEL LIFE IS \_\_\_\_\_ WARFARE

1 Timothy 4:15-16

Mark 1:15

### REFLECT | DISCUSS | PRACTICE

- 1. REFLECT:** How did God specifically speak to you through the Bible passages and sermon?
- 2. DISCUSS:** If the gospel in three words is: Jesus is Lord, how can that truth be powerful in our spiritual battle against Satan, the world, and sin?
- 3. DISCUSS:** Read 1 Timothy 4:7-10. How is your spiritual fitness right now and where is an area you need to train more intentionally to be prepared and equipped for spiritual warfare?
- 4. DISCUSS:** Read 1 Timothy 4:11-14. Paul tells us to set an example in our speech, conduct, love, faith, and purity. Which of those areas are you struggling to set an example in right now and how can your Life Group practically help you?
- 5. DISCUSS:** Read 1 Timothy 4:15-16. Do you tend to neglect monitoring your understanding of Christian “doctrine” or whether your “life” resembles Christ and how can you engage more in that neglected area?
- 6. PRACTICE:** This week, commit to setting an example for others by writing down one goal for each of these five areas of your life; speech, conduct, love, faith, and purity, and then challenge yourself to strive towards accomplishing them.

*For more life group, reflection, and discussion content, and to join or start a group, visit: [purposechurch.com/groups](https://purposechurch.com/groups)*

**Fill in the blanks:** YOUR, YOUNG, OLD, SPIRITUAL

