

3. HOW DO I LACE UP MY SHOES?

John 16:33 (NKJV) "These things have I spoken to you, that in Me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation; but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world."

- A. Go to _____ and ask for his peace
- B. Understand the Gospel, the _____

Romans 5:10 (NIV) "For if, when we were God's enemies, we were reconciled to him through the death of his Son, who much more, having been reconciled, shall we be saved through his life!"

Satan's Number One attack against peace is _____

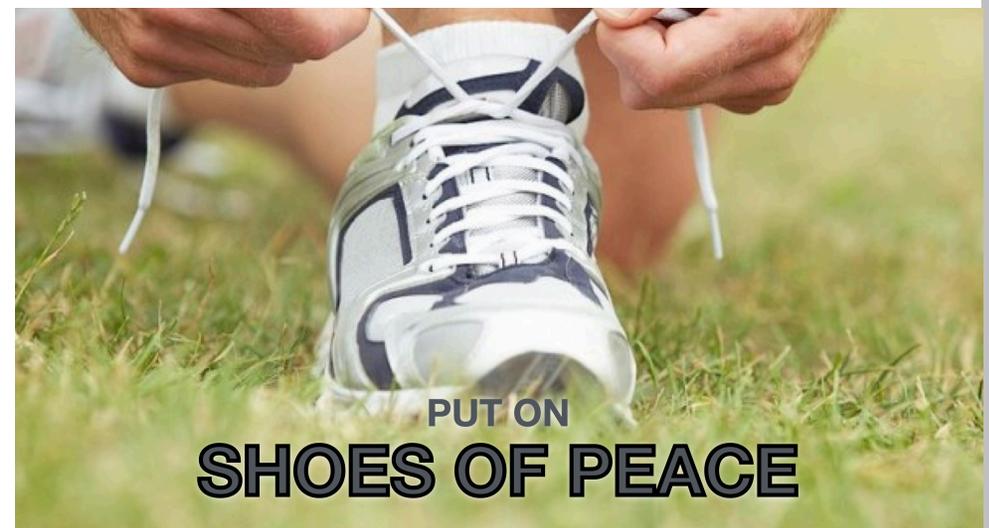
Philippians 4:6-7 (NLT) "Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything. Tell God what you need, and thank him for all he has done. Then you will experience God's peace, which exceeds anything we can understand. His peace will guard your hearts and minds as you live in Christ Jesus."

AWAKE! PRAYER ACTION

- 1. Pray and Praise for 15 minutes each morning
- 2. Fast 3 meals during this week (Read your Bible and Pray)

PRAYER FOCUS

- 1. Rebuke the storm of the pandemic- the covid-19 virus.
- 2. Pray for a covering over people and healing for those in need.
- 3. Pray for a vaccine for virus and cures for others.
- 4. Pray for people to turn to Jesus at this time for answers and salvation.
- 5. Pray for people's jobs, careers, finances, families and fears.
- 6. Pray for our leaders- both local and federal.
- 7. Pray for our church members and leaders.
- 8. Pray for our iConnect Groups and for our church to connect and grow.
- 9. Pray for those who are vulnerable and connect with them.
- 10. Pray for the justice movement; removal of inequality and racism. God is for justice which is the removal of oppression.
- 11. Pray for revival- an outpouring of God's Spirit for this generation.
- 12. Pray for all of our churches: Janet in Taichung, Pastor Julia in Kaohsiung and Pastor Joseph in Taipei. Pastor Liliana in Mexico City (Looking for a new church home). Pastor Becky Bauer in Melbourne, AU.



ARMED AND DANGEROUS- PUT ON SHOES OF PEACE (WEEK 6)

EPHESIANS 6:12-15 (NLT)

"For we are not fighting against flesh- and- blood enemies, but against evil rulers and authorities of the unseen world, against mighty powers in this dark world, and against evil spirits in the heavenly places. Therefore, put on every piece of God's armor so you will be able to resist the enemy in the time of evil. Then after the battle you will still be standing firm.

Stand your ground, putting on the belt of truth and the body of armor of God's righteousness. **For shoes, put on the peace that comes from the Good News so that you will be fully prepared."**

The Bible says that I am in a _____ battle where flesh and blood is not the _____ of my problems.

My ability to operate in the spiritual realm will determine how I _____ in the physical realm.

Therefore, I must put on the _____

PUTTING ON THE PEACE SHOES:

Ephesians 6:15 (NLT) *"For shoes, put on the peace that comes from the Good News so that you will be fully prepared."*

1. WHAT ARE THE PEACE SHOES FOR?

Roman soldiers wore leather sandals with a metal plate on the bottom which had _____ attached in order to keep them from slipping or sliding while in battle. It could prove to be fatal in battle if you were not surefooted.

The purpose of the shoes that God wants you to put on is for _____ when engaged in life's spiritual battles.

What is the primary goal behind Satan's attacks on Believers?

John 10:10 (NLT) *"The thief's purpose is to steal and kill and destroy. My purpose is to give them a rich and satisfying life."*

The sandals of the Roman soldiers were used in both defensive and offensive tactics. They were used to _____ and to _____.

Romans 16:20 (NLT) *"The God of peace will soon crush Satan under your feet."*

Luke 10:19 (NIV) *"I have given you authority to trample on snakes and scorpions and to overcome all the power of the enemy; nothing will harm you."*

2. WHAT IS THE PEACE WE ARE TO PUT ON?

"Peace" (Strong's #1515, Eirene) _____

Biblical peace is when I experience God's internal peace or tranquility of soul, despite external _____

The Bible calls this kind of peace _____

Philippians 4:7 (KJV) *"And the **peace** of God, which **passeth all understanding**, shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus."*

God's plan is for your _____ and _____ to be submitted to the peace of God that comes from the Holy Spirit.

Colossians 3:15 (NLT) *"And let the **peace** that comes from Christ **rule** in your hearts. For as members of one body you are called to live in peace. And always be thankful."*

"Rule" (Strong's #1018, Brabeuo) _____

JESUS CALMS THE STORM

Mark 4:36-40 (NKJV) *"Now when they had left the multitude, they took Him along in the boat as he was. And other little boats were also with him. And a great windstorm arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that it was already filling. But He was in the stern, asleep on a pillow. And they awoke Him and said to Him, 'Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?' Then He arose and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, 'Peace, be still!' And the wind ceased and there was a great calm. But He said to them, 'Why are you so fearful? How is it that you have no faith?'"*

Example of Jesus facing the cross in John 14