



A FAITH THAT WORKS

“How to Stop Fighting”

James 4:4-10 • Message #16

1. We Need to See Conflict As a _____ Problem
2. We Need to Humbly Seek _____
3. We Need to _____ to God
4. We Need to _____ of Our Sin
5. We Need to _____ Ourselves

TAKE HOME TRUTH

*Resolving conflict begins with me
_____ the Lord.*

Three truths to remember ...

- *Conflict is an opportunity to _____.*
- *The _____ is essential in resolving conflict.*
- *Resolution is not always _____.*

Coming Up ...

February 23 - Judging Others, James 4:11-12
 March 1 - How to Plan Your Calendar, James 4:13-17
 March 8 - Paul Gardner, Director, Camp Barakel

Just a Moment

with Pastor Fred

Sue and I have been invited to a Pastors and Wives Forum at Ethnos360 in Sandford, FL in a few weeks. A dozen plus couples from around the country have also been invited. Ethnos desires to strengthen their partnership with the local church. Thirteen sessions will be held with various topics relevant to missions. They desire to hear any suggestions pastors or their wives might have, Ethnos is covering our costs – flights, hotels and meals. Updates will be given too on what’s going on around the world in missions. Its an honor to be invited – we are truly humbled.

Some of the sessions include: how can Ethnos360 better interact with churches, what is involved in a missionary’s budget, the involvement with sending churches (we are the sending church for the Bells), the end goal of missions, how to handle moral failure on the field, how can Ethnos better prepare missionaries for their field, etc. It will be a busy time with Ethnos staff presenting.

We would ask you as our church family pray for us. Pray for safety in travel, sleeping well, attentiveness during the sessions – wisdom in when to speak—or when not to speak. We are looking forward to meeting new friends and to be challenged with the task of reaching the unreached. We have two Ethnos360 missionaries – the Bells and the de Roos’. I just found out Carissa Bell’s parents, Dan and Casie Falls will be there too. We will let you know when we leave so you can remember us in prayer. Thank you.



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“Be *exalted*, O God above
 the heavens! Let your *glory*
 Be over all the earth.”

Psalm 57:5

Call to Worship

You Are Holy
Holy, Holy, Holy

Missions Moment
 Ryan & Abigail de Roos
 Aviation/Medical—Ethnos360

My Worth is Not in What I Own

Scripture Reading & Pastoral Prayer
Offering

Lord, I Need You

“How to Stop Fighting”

Just As I Am

Benediction

THE LORD'S DAY
February 16, 2020

This Week at HBC

Today

Coffee & Fellowship 9:15am
ABF/Sunday School 9:30am
Worship

**Small Groups meet today
or later this week.**

10:30am

Tuesday, February 18

Ladies Bible Study
6:30pm Mens Bible Study
6:30pm

Wednesday, February 19

Praise Team 7:00pm

**"A mistake that makes
you humble
is better than an
achievement
that makes
you proud."**

*God opposes the proud
but gives grace
to the humble.*
James 4:6

Thursday, February 20

Ladies Bible Study
10:30am

Saturday, February 22

Young Dads Fellowship
8:00am

Child Care Today

9:30am

Nursery: Colleen Peck
Jan Peck

10:30am

Nursery: Charlie Ann Cecil
Joe Cecil

Toddlers:

Cindy Bettenhausen
Kay Hornbeck

Child Care Next Week

9:30am

Nursery: Amanda Wilson
Diane Wilson

10:30am

Nursery: Mary Ann Krepps
Paul Krepps

Toddlers:

Autumn Wolthuis
Kaylen Elliott



Announcements

Welcome New Members!

Jim and Kathy Durling and Mickey Lilly joined the church last Sunday. Addresses and phone numbers are in the on-line directory.

Annual Meeting Report.

The 2020 budget was passed along with a motion to replace the sanctuary air conditioner. Names of leaders are posted on the bulletin board.

Sympathy to Gina Golden

on the death of her grandmother, Gladys Campbell on February 8. And to Lois Martin on the death of her sister-in-law Norma Bouwkamp, February 13.

The Youth Group will meet

next Sunday from 6-7:30 pm.

Sweet Talk is a time of fellowship and dessert for young marrieds Saturday, February 29 at 6:30pm. RSVP Sue (927-8927).

Mystery? If you set out the

Growing Deep

Small Group Discussion Questions

1. Consider a recent conflict. What did it reveal about your heart? What Scripture references come to mind?
2. What comes to your mind with "worldliness?" How does James' definition surprise you?
3. Is it every ok to be proud? What is biblical humility?
4. How did this text speak to you and why?



box for used Bibles, please let Pastor Fred know. Thank you.

Church Ministries Conference. March 6-7 in Grand Rapids. Friday 6pm to Saturday 3:30pm.

Sign up on the bulletin board. Brochures are at the kiosk.

Please Help serve the Saturday evening meal at The City Rescue Mission. The next opportunity is April 4. Sign up on the bulletin board. Other dates are listed as well.

Have you spoken in tongues? Next Sunday Pastor Fred will tackle this controversial subject in ABF in his series on the Holy Spirit. Beginning March 15, Tom Davis will begin a series, *Lessons on Discernment*.

An Adult Progressive Dinner is being planned for Saturday, March 14. More information will be announced next week.

Prayer Requests

Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful.
Colossians 4:2

General Requests & Praise

- Praise for our new members and others joining soon!
- Praise for last week's annual meeting! Harmony and unity.
- Senior Saints health & provision
- Bells - Senegal: future direction; French studies, health
- 2020 Strategic Plan

Physical Needs

- Don Adcock - Alzheimer's, Parkinson's
- DeEtta Archambault - cancer, waiting for further tests
- Merna Bonotto - Craft Care Home, Holt
- Bob Castle (Cindy Price's dad) - cancer
- Ruth Hammar - strength, at her daughter's in Flushing
- Judah and Thaddeus Hart - growth, strength (Joe & Gina—sleep!)
- Andrea Helmuth - early contractions
- Jack Horstman - lung cancer, chemo treatments
- Karen Krepps (Paul's mother) - recovering from brain surgery
- Nic Martin - recovering from biopsies, waiting results
- Barb Peters - cancer
- Cherie VanValkenburgh - continued strength

Praying Scripturally – Colossians 1:9-12

- Continue to pray for our HBC family
- That we be filled with knowledge of his will
- With all spiritual wisdom & understanding
- May we walk in a manner worthy of the Lord
- To be strengthened with His power
- To have endurance and patience with joy
- Giving thanks at all times to the Father
- For our inheritance is in him

Prayer Family of the Week

Neil & Andrea Helmuth - Colton, Lucas, Jake

Missionary of the Week

Ryan & Abigail deRoos—with Sidney, Ethnos360