



# Connect Church

Connect to a GREATER GOD, to a GREATER COMMUNITY, and to a GREATER LIFE

## Put On Your Armor then Take Up Your Weapon

Theme: Get Ready! Put Your War Clothes On

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**Scripture:** Ephesians 6:16-17 in addition to all, taking up the shield of faith with which you will be able to extinguish all the flaming arrows of the evil one. 17 And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.

### I. Introduction

- A. We Need to Stand and Engage the Enemy
- B. Expect Attacks When...

1. Growing Spiritually	2. Invading Enemy Territory
3. Exposing the Enemy and his tricks	4. Breaking from the World
5. Blessing/Breakthrough is Coming	

- C. Ephesians 6:10-18

### II. Take Up the Shield of Faith (Ephesians 6:16)

Psalm 84:11; Romans 8:32

Temptation (1 Corinthians 10:13)	Finance (Philippians 4:19)	Uncertainty (Psalm 84:11)
Strength (Philippians 4:13)	Adversity (James 1:2-4)	Fear (Isaiah 41:10)
Anxiety (Philippians 4:6-7)	Crisis (Psalm 23)	

### III. Take Up the Helmet of Salvation (Ephesians 6:17)

- A. God Promises Not to Lose You (John 6:39-40)
- B. God Promises to Raise You Up (John 10:28-29)

Did God Make a Mistake? Was God's Work Not Effective? Was Jesus Death Incomplete? **The Helmet of Salvation is Your Security!**

### IV. Take Up the Sword-the Word! (Ephesians 6:17)

Matthew 4:5-11 Power of God's Word

**V. Conclusion: How do I Get Ready? How do I put on God's Armor? PRAY!!! (Ephesians 6:18) Psalm 55:17; 1 Thessalonians 5:17**  
**Do You Have Your Armor On? 1 John 5:4-5**



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