



## Sermon Notes

*Acts 6*

Pew Bibles—pg 794

3 types of groups we see in Acts so far

\_\_\_\_\_ Religious leaders and many others  
\_\_\_\_\_ Lived in Israel whole life spoke Hebrew  
\_\_\_\_\_ scattered outside Israel spoke mostly Greek

2 things we can do when conflict arises in the church or in our lives

We can \_\_\_\_\_ the problem or \_\_\_\_\_ with it.

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\_\_\_\_\_.

As a church and as Christians we need to have a \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ when dealing with conflict.

Ask, “\_\_\_\_\_?”

Conflicts and problems help us e \_\_\_\_\_ our  
m \_\_\_\_\_ and o \_\_\_\_\_.

Conflicts and problems help us e \_\_\_\_\_ and e \_\_\_\_\_ our  
f \_\_\_\_\_.

Conflicts and problems allow us to e \_\_\_\_\_ God’s l \_\_\_\_\_ to  
others.

**Kids—Fill out your bulletin notes and bring them to  
the Welcome Desk after the service for a prize.**



We are so glad you are here. If you are new or newer, please fill out the Connection Card in front of you and take it to the Welcome Center after the service. We would love to meet you, answer any questions and give you a gift.

### Sunday Mornings

**9:00 am Sunday School for all ages**

**10:00 am Fellowship**

**10:30 am Worship Service**

### Wednesday Evenings

**6:30 pm Youth Group and AWANA**

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MERIDEN  
**Evangelical  
Free Church**

*Love God*

*Love People*

*Point People to **Christ***

**November 30, 2025**

### **Prelude**

“Praise”

### **Prayer & Announcements**

### **Exaltation**

“O Come, All Ye Faithful”

“Holy, Holy, Holy (Savior & King)”

“The Stand”

### **Prayer**

### **Advent & Offering**

### **Sermon**

**“Acts 6”**

Pastor Nelson Jenkins

### **Closing Hymn**

“They’ll Know We are Christians By  
Our Love”

### **Benediction**

### Prayer Requests

- Pray for Jamie Johnson, David and Donna Baker, and any others with ongoing health concerns.
- Pray for our Mission of the Month, Cherish House, and all those who are impacted by their ministries.
- Pray for those who are not always able to join us: Elaine Allen, Dan & Linda Chapman, Anna Christopher, Jackie Hurd, and Erv & Jennie Mogens.

For privacy reasons, if you would like something put on our prayer chain, please let the church office know. Thank you!

NO  
Sunday  
School



During the  
month of  
December

**Christmas Service**  
**Dec 21<sup>st</sup>**  
**10:00 AM**



**Live  
Nativity**

**Dec 21**  
**3-4:30pm**



**Riverview Dr & Spruce St,**  
**Cherokee, IA**

Mission of the Month



Cherish House provides expecting mothers and their children with a safe and supportive home, parenting skills, and baby items.

HELP SUPPLY OUR

AWANA

*Christmas*

STORE

DONATIONS ACCEPTED  
UNTIL DEC 16

Each year we let our AWANA students use the shares they have earned to shop for Christmas gifts for their families. This is an exciting night for our clubbers! We are in need of donations of small gifts for any age and gender so our students can shop for their parents and siblings.

Ideas: candy bars, jerky, hand warmers, flashlights, candles, stationary, coffee mugs, small toys, puzzles, gift bags, tissue paper, ect.

**LADIES**  
*Christmas*  
**LUNCHEON**

**Sunday,**  
**December 7**  
**5:00-6:30 pm**

Please sign up to bring a salad or an appetizer



**MERIDEN**  
**Evangelical**  
**Free Church**

**Saturday**  
**Dec 6 @ 10 am**



5th Annual

**STUFF A STOCKING**



If you would like to donate items for stockings, please bring them to the church office and note that they are for stockings. If you prefer to have someone shop for you, they are taking monetary donations until 12-10.

Reach out to Talon or Anita Penning if you have any questions.