



Sermon Notes
Love Worth Fighting For:
God's Design for Marriage and Relationships
Ephesians 5:21-33

Wives: The C_____ to F_____.

1 Corinthians 14:33 *1 Peter 3:1-2*

Husbands: The C_____ to S_____.

Eph 5:25-30 *1 Peter 3:7* *Ecclesiastes 4:12*

Both of You: The Call to L_____, C_____, and W_____.

How to stay united:

through c_____.

Through h_____.

Through h_____.

Through v_____.

Through s_____ p_____.

Through s_____ w_____.

Colossians 3:14

James 1:19 Q_____ to I_____. S_____ to
S_____. S_____ to get A_____.

**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

10:00 am Fellowship

10:30 am Worship Service

Wednesday Nights

6:30-8:00 pm AWANA

6:30-8:00 pm Youth Group

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Love God

Love People

*Point People to **Christ***

October 4, 2026

Prelude

“House of the Lord”

Announcements

Exaltation

“10,000 Reasons”

“Draw Me Close”

“Holy Forever”

Prayer & Offering

Communion

Sermon

“Love Worth Fighting For”

Pastor Nelson Jenkins

Closing Hymn

“I Saw the Light”

Benediction

Prayer Requests

- Pray for Jamie Johnson, David and Donna Baker, and any others with on-going health concerns and for those recovering from recent surgeries, hospitalization, and illnesses.
- Pray for our Missionary of the Month, Carrie Hinterholzer, serving in Austria, along with her family.
- Pray for those who are not always able to join us: Dan & Linda Chapman, Anna Christopher, Darrell Elder, and Jackie Hurd.

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

MEN'S WORKSHOPS

Stand Firm and Act like a Man

Saturday, Oct 17

7:30-9:00 am @ Crossroads

Breakfast, Coffee, and Conversation

New Service Viewing Areas

We are happy to let you know that we now have service viewing areas available in the gym and the east foyer. Please feel free to use these areas as you see fit for restless children.

We love having children in our service and they are always welcome!

Meals for Haiti

Food Packing Event

Saturday, October 31
9:00 am - noon

Volunteers are still needed!

Sign up today in the foyer or online!

This is possible thanks to your generous giving!



Hinterholzer Family



Night to
Shine
TIM TEBOW FOUNDATION

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2027 | 4:30-8pm



Scan here to
Volunteer

For more information, visit:
meridenefree.com/shine

Fields of Faith Wed. Oct 14

Testimonies and challenges from God's Word



Need a Ride?
• MEFC w/bus - 6:15

For all 7th-12th
Grade Students
at BV University
starts at 7:15p

Last Week's
Attendance:

180

Ways to Give:

You can give in the passed offering plates, by using the offering box located in the east foyer, or you can give online at our website or by scanning here.

