

## **Stand Firm!**

### **Ephesians 6:10-18**

#### Spiritual Distancing

- Biblical Worldview
- Personal relationship with Christ
- The importance of the local church
- The importance of life
- Marriage
- Parenting
- Religious Liberty
- The Sexual Revolution

To win a war you must know the 9 following things Peter Kreeft

1. That you are in a war
2. Who your enemy is
3. What kind of war you are in
4. What is the basic principle of this kind of war
5. What the enemy's strategy is
6. Where the main battlefield is
7. What weapon will defeat the enemy
8. How to acquire this weapon
9. Why you will win

You cannot win a war

1. If you blissfully sew peace banners on a battlefield
2. If you do not know who you are fighting
3. If you do not know what kind of war you are fighting

4. If you do not know the basic rules of battle
5. If you do not know your enemy's battle plan
6. If you send your troops to the wrong battlefield
7. If you use the wrong weapons
8. If you do not know how to get the right weapon
9. If you are not confident of your inevitable victory

#### The Enemies we face

- Rulers
- Powers
- Forces of darkness
- Wickedness

#### The Drivers of Culture

- Entertainment
- Corporate World
- Media
- Social Media
- Education

#### The Weapons of our Warfare

- Truth
- Righteousness
- Gospel of Peace
- Shield of Faith
- Helmet of salvation
- Sword of the spirit, the Word of God
- Prayer