



WELCOME!

WE'RE SO GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

Our mission is to help people **COME** to know Jesus as Savior, **GROW** in a relationship with Him, and **LIVE** their lives for Him.

God loves you and we pray that during the worship service you will be able to connect with Him through song, scripture, and the message.

Sunday, September 20, 2026

Series: Freedom Fencing - Finding Freedom Inside God's Boundaries

Sermon Title: The Freedom

Scripture: John 8:31-38

Speaker: Pastor Kendall Harger

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NURSERY: newborn-2 years

Sign in at the nursery and pick up a pager.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH: 3 years-3rd grade

Sign in at the table in the entryway. Children
will begin in the service and be dismissed
after worship songs. After the service, sign
out your child in the Children's Church room.

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Sermon Notes
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The Freedom

Big Idea

Obedience to God doesn't restrict
our lives - it opens them up.

John 8:31-38

Promise: Jesus offers real freedom.

Stay close to Jesus. His Word isn't a fence keeping
you in - it's the path leading you into freedom.

Remember: Freedom begins when I trust the
One who knows what freedom really is.

Objection: I'm already free.

Don't confuse having choices with having freedom. You can be free to choose something that ultimately puts you in bondage.

Remember: The question isn't, "Can I do it?"
The question is, "Where will it take me?"

Truth: Sin promises freedom but produces slavery.

Name the fence you've climbed over. Be honest with God about the area where you've chosen your way instead of His way.

Remember: Sin says, "Cross the fence and be free."
Jesus says, "Come to me and be free."

Sermon Applications

Choose one or more of the applications below to live out this week!

1. Identify Your “But”

This week, pay attention to moments when you respond to Scripture or to the Holy Spirit's prompting with resistance. Write down what you were defending and bring it honestly before God.

2. Reframe One Boundary

Take one of God's commands or boundaries that has felt restrictive to you and spend time this week asking, "What is God protecting me from here?" Ask God to help you see it as an expression of His love rather than a limitation on your life.

3. Memorize the Key Verse

Commit Psalm 119:45 to memory this week. Let the connection between God's commandments and walking in freedom become something you carry with you throughout each day.

*I will walk in freedom,
for I have devoted myself
to your commandments.
Psalm 119:45*