

CROSS CHURCH



JANUARY 24-25, 2026

**GO FOR THE GOLD -
PART 4: PURIFYING &
PROTECTING THE GOLD**

YOUR GOLD IS WORTH THE FIRE AND THE FIGHT.

1 PETER 1:6-7 In all this you greatly rejoice, though now for a little while you may have had to suffer grief in all kinds of trials. These have come so that the proven genuineness of your faith—of greater worth than gold, which perishes even though refined by fire—may result in praise, glory and honor when Jesus Christ is revealed.

LET THE FIRE:

1. Break What Binds You.

"I saw the angel in the marble and carved until I set him free,"

—MICHELANGELO

ROMANS 8:28 And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.

2. Burn What Buries You.

JAMES 1:2-4 Consider it pure joy, my brothers and sisters, whenever you face trials of many kinds, because you know that the testing of your faith produces perseverance. Let perseverance finish its work so that you may be mature and complete, not lacking anything.

ROMANS 5:3-5, JOB 23:10, MALACHI 3:3

3. Remove Impurities.

ISAIAH 1:25 ...I will thoroughly purge away your dross and remove all your impurities.

4. Repeat Its Work.

5. Shape Your Calling.

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DON'T SURRENDER YOUR:

1. Heart. *PROVERBS 4:23*
2. Mind. *ROMANS 12:2*
3. Purity. *ROMANS 12:1*
4. House. *JOSHUA 24:15*
5. Character. *PROVERBS 22:1*

HOW DO I PROTECT?

- **Prayer and Fasting.**
JAMES 5:16
- **Take Action.**
- **Fight in a Pack.**

TABLE TALK:

Take the time for intentional conversations and questions with your friends and family based on this weekend's message!

Visit the link to get started: crosschurchhouma.com/tabletalk

What is the Holy Spirit speaking to me today, and how can I apply it?

DIVE NIGHT
7TH - 12TH GRADE
WEDNESDAY AT 7PM

**CROSSWALK
CLASSES**
SUNDAY AT 10:15AM

**HOUSE
OF HOPE**
JANUARY 31

**CROSSWALK
FASTTRACK**
JANUARY 31

**WATER
BAPTISMS**
JAN 31-FEB 01

**SPRING SMALL
GROUPS**
FEB 01-APR 26

**CHILD
DEDICATIONS**
FEBRUARY 15

**MEN'S
ENCOUNTER**
FEBRUARY 27-28

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