



PREPARING FOR BATTLE

“The Gospel of Peace” | Pastor Joe Yoshihara | March 1, 2026

Ephesians 6:10-16

¹⁰ Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his might. ¹¹ Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the schemes of the devil. ¹² For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities,



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against the cosmic powers over this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places. ¹³Therefore take up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done



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all, to stand firm. ¹⁴ Stand therefore, having fastened on the belt of truth, and having put on the breastplate of righteousness, ¹⁵ **and, as shoes for your feet, having put on the readiness given by the gospel of peace.**



Leader: **The Word of the Lord**
Congregation: **Amen! Praise be to God!**



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¹⁰ Finally, be strong **in the Lord** and in the strength of **his might**.



Ephesians 6:15

¹⁵ and, as shoes for your feet, having put on the readiness given by the **gospel of peace**.



Ephesians 2:13-18

¹³ But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ. ¹⁴ For **he himself is our peace**, who has made us both one and has broken down in his flesh the **dividing wall of hostility** ¹⁵ by abolishing the law of



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commandments expressed in ordinances,
that he might create in himself one new
man in place of the two, **so making
peace,**¹⁶ and **might reconcile us both to
God** in one body through the cross, thereby
killing the hostility.¹⁷ And he came



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and **preached peace to you who were far off and peace to those who were near.** ¹⁸ For through him we both have access in one Spirit to the Father.



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¹⁵ and, as shoes for your feet, having put on the **readiness** given by the gospel of peace.



Are you ready – prepared to share the
gospel?



Application

1. Attend the testimony writing class - 3/22
2. Attend the apologetics class – 4/12

