

West Hill Baptist Church  
War Room Bible Study Week #4  
Wednesday, April 17, 2019  
7:00 p.m.

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| I.   | Welcome and Introductions   | 7:00 |
| II.  | Week #1, 2, 3 Review  | 7:05 |
|      | a. Being on FIRE for God  |      |
|      | b. Unresolved anger, loving your enemy,<br>Christian accountability |      |
|      | c. Grace and forgiveness  |      |
| III. | Forgiveness   | 7:10 |
|      | a. John 8:1-11  |      |
|      | b. Colossians 3:12-17   |      |

This passage if you remember is about the scribes and Pharisees  
They had a woman who had been caught in adultery  
This is a situation when Jesus looked pass the sin and he saw the person  
Loving her as she was and not condemning her for her mistakes  
This is an act of grace and forgiveness  
You are not holding an action that someone did over them  
And you not going to ever let them live it down because it feels right to hold onto it  
As Christians, some things still take a process to get there  
You will get there through prayer, continue to pray

Judging often times goes hand and hand with the inability to give grace and the inability to forgive  
We saw some judging in the clip  
It's easy for us to say, "I'm perfect and I don't have any issues."

Sometimes we have disagreements with others that really bother us  
You may not have been the person that caused it, but it continues to bother you  
We have to be willing to have sincere conversations with others about things that bother us  
Sometimes, people don't even know they may have done something to upset us

Forgiveness is a conscious act  
You have to truly forgive  
And you have to remember that the act of reconciliation is personal  
You have to forgive and set things free regardless of what the other person does

- IV. Lets talk about Satan (Ask prayer partners to get together) 7:20
- a. Understanding Satan
  - b. Satan's destruction on our lives

- V. Movie clip (Kicking out the Devil) 7:25
- a. Discussion questions

- VI. God's plan vs Satan's plan 7:35

How many believe that God has a plan for your life

- a. Jeremiah 29:11

How many of you believe that the Devil also has a plan for your life

- b. 1 Peter 5:8-9

As we can see, God's plan for us and the Devil's plan for use are diametrically opposed  
Why?

- c. Genesis 3:13-15

Here we see that part of the curse that was placed upon Satan for deceiving Eve was that there would be enmity between Satan and Eve's offspring.

So we are warriors engaged in spiritual warfare

- VII. Spiritual warfare 7:45
- a. How to win the war

How do we win the war?

1. You must know your mission and embrace it (Matthew 28:18-20). The Bible defines our mission is to go therefore and make disciples of all nations.  
Remember we must live the gospel  
We may not see immediate results when we do this, but it crushes the Devil little by little
2. I will never accept defeat  
We all have moments when we are just tired of being sick and tired  
Sometimes victory is illusive  
Just when we have it all figured out we fall again and again  
Just when we are about to give up, God grabs our hands and gives us a little more Grace  
That Grace carries us across the finish line  
That also reminds us that no longer how many battles we lose, we are never defeated  
Romans 8:37
3. I will never quit  
God knows we are not perfect and we will never be  
We must always strive to be better than we are right now  
Philippians 3:12-14  
Don't give up on God and we won't give up on you
4. I won't leave someone who has fallen  
Remember your Christian accountability

John 15:13

When Jesus gave his life that was the ultimate sacrifice

We may be have to give up our lives, but what are you willing to do?

Think about the song, "I need you do survive."

How often do you consider that our spiritual, or someone else's spiritual survival depends upon us or another person?

We are all fallen soldiers and we need each other to survive.

b. Satan's attacks (exercise)

7:50

VIII. Homework for Week #4

7:55

IX. Final meeting – Wednesday, May 1 (Impacted by Grace)