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## UNSEEN: SPIRITUAL WARFARE

May 3, 2015 • Pastor Gregg Matte • Ephesians 6:10–12

***“If one accepts the Scriptures as revelation from God, rather than merely a record of man’s thoughts about God, then the reality of Satan cannot be denied.”***

***Basic Theology by Charles C. Ryrie, p. 137***

► **The reality of the UNSEEN shifts life from a playground to a \_\_\_\_\_.**

*1 Peter 5:8*

► **Our hope is in the strength of the \_\_\_\_\_.**

• We fight \_\_\_\_\_ victory, not for victory.

*1 John 4:4, Revelation 12:11*

► \_\_\_\_\_ **against the devil’s tactics.**

*2 Corinthians 2:11*

### **The Devil’s Top 10**

1. He instigates false doctrine. *1 Timothy 4:1–3*

2. He perverts the Word of God. *Genesis 3:1–4*

3. He hinders the works of God’s servants. *1 Thessalonians 2:18*

4. He blinds men to the truth. *2 Corinthians 4:4*

5. He accuses Christians before God. *Job 1:7–12; 2:3–6; Zechariah 3:1–4; Revelation 12:10*

6. He lays snares for men. *2 Timothy 2:26; 1 Timothy 3:7*

7. He tempts. *Matthew 4:1; Ephesians 6:11*

8. He afflicts. *Job 2:7; Luke 13:16; 2 Corinthians 12:7; Acts 10:38*

9. He deceives. *Revelation 12:9; 20:8, 10*

10. He undermines the sanctity of the home. *1 Corinthians 7:3–5*

Wilmington, H. (1987). *Wilmington’s Book of Bible Lists* (p. 302–303). Wheaton, IL: Tyndale.

► \_\_\_\_\_ **your enemy.**

*Proverbs 27:6; 2 Corinthians 11:3*

• Proper ID brings \_\_\_\_\_ for the person and

\_\_\_\_\_ for the truth.

► **How do we win? Trust that \_\_\_\_\_ has won.**

*Zechariah 9:9; Romans 8:37*

### **SCRIPTURE MEMORY VERSE**

Previous: *Ephesians 1:17–19; Ephesians 2:4–5; Ephesians 3:20–21; Ephesians 4:26–27, Ephesians 5:6–8*

Current: *Ephesians 6:13–17*

***“This is why you must take up the full armor of God, so that you may be able to resist in the evil day, and having prepared everything, to take your stand. Stand, therefore, with truth like a belt around your waist, righteousness like armor on your chest, and your feet sandaled with readiness for the gospel of peace. In every situation take the shield of faith, and with it you will be able to extinguish all the flaming arrows of the evil one. Take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is God’s Word.”***

# WEEK AT A GLANCE

## 2015 GRADUATING SENIORS

### CONGRATULATIONS, SENIORS!

Pastor Gregg Matte and the Houston's First family congratulate our graduating High School Seniors on their accomplishment. Pray for them as they follow God's will into the next season of life!

|                     |                     |                   |
|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| Mary Beth Abbott    | Chandler Hill       | Cole Peveto       |
| Michael Bagnasco    | Griffin Hill        | Sarah Rademacher  |
| Chris Beatty        | Abigail Jackson     | Crystal Ramon     |
| Montgomery Billings | Abby Jardine        | Ruby Ramon        |
| Kirsten Binkley     | Brandon Jessurun    | David Rivera      |
| Viviel Bohler       | Sarah Johannesen    | Josue Rivera      |
| Daniella Bovell     | Parker Johnson      | Alexis Romero     |
| Levi Briscoe        | Greg Johnson        | Elizabeth Salinas |
| Will Burns          | David Khan          | Joey Sbar         |
| Jenna Bunyan        | Cole Kindrick       | Macy Schmidt      |
| Troy Castrow        | Abby Leija-Cardenas | Andrew Sellers    |
| Ryan Cho            | Kayla Loebl         | Danielle Shannon  |
| Elizabeth Conn      | Jaren Marshall      | Joshua Shawn      |
| Adam Conoley        | Kenneth McComas     | Davis Smith       |
| Reagan Czuba        | Michael McCreight   | Kenzie Smith      |
| Gabriel Diaz        | Darby McKinney      | Nehemiah Tang     |
| Amani Dotson        | Simeon McLane       | Wade Touchstone   |
| Kyra Dunbar         | Anna McLeod         | Daniel Velasquez  |
| Steffany Fischer    | Dylan McSwain       | Hannah Vonnannon  |
| Brittany Fitzgerald | Jonathan Michael    | Hellen Wainaina   |
| Bailey Fritcher     | Danh Nguyen         | Hannah Wendland   |
| Evan Gobble         | Ian O'Jon           | Shantel Wilson    |
| Lauren Grimes       | Sarai O'Jon         | Bethany Wilson    |
| Megan Hanus         | Andrew Overshiner   | Zachary Wimbush   |
| Andrew Hernandez    | Jack Pappas         |                   |

## ATTENDANCE APR 26, 2015

|                                 |              |
|---------------------------------|--------------|
| Life Bible Study (all campuses) | 4,900        |
| Mission Bible Study             | 397          |
| <b>Total Bible Study</b>        | <b>5,297</b> |
| MidLink (The Loop)              | 968          |

Generosity  
AT HOUSTON'S FIRST

Week ending Apr 26, 2015

First-time givers

31

Total number of givers

1,096

**Great Commission Giving total**

**\$442,506**

Thank you for giving to the ministry and missional impact of Houston's First!

## DECISIONS APR 26, 2015

### Baptized

Rachel Champ

Alejandro Martinez

Laura Flores

### For Baptism

Adrienne Chen

Angela Harris

Callen Corley

Shereen Sampson

Berenice Cruz

Nicholas Swanson

Mark Fackler

Adriana Ulin

Ben Golson

Danny Wilson

Taylor Golson

Derrick Wilson

Ashleigh Grimes

### From Other Fellowships

Gerson Ake

Kathy LeCrone

Ashley Pope

Lauren Briley

Paul LeCrone

John Pope

Joey Burns

David Luna

Doug Rawlings

Christine Chaluparambil

Adrian Mendoza

Chloe Shrout

Phil Chaluparambil

Haydee Mendoza

Young Shrout

Susan Clark

Modesto Mendoza

Randi Stanford

Justin Cox

Ira Mendoza

Haley Sullivan

Joseph Etsibah

Adrielle Mendoza

Chloe Taylor

Tasha Etsibah

Kathrin Milbury

Shannon Wang

Yemi Ijagbemi

Dustin Myers

Grace Young

Mary Jackson

Pamela Myers

Andrew Lai

Veronica Myers

### Statement

Leo Lanza

Craig Roberts

Claudia Muniz

## BIRTHS

- Randy & Brooke Keeney in the birth of their son, Andrew Levi.

## SYMPATHIES

- Family and friends in the loss of Austin Anths.
- Robbie & Connie Schilhab in the loss of his brother, Dickie Schilhab.
- Jay & Jackie Andrews in the loss of his father, Jack Cameron Andrews.

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