



Sunday Bible Study Guide | February 1, 2026

Weekly Memory Verse

Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

Romans 12:21

Sermon

Wisdom In Conflict - Pastor Jared Herd

Scriptures: Proverbs 26:4-5, 10:18, 24:28-29, 11:12, 17:9, 25:21-22, 27:6; Romans 12:19-20

Christian Wisdom resists superiority, resists exaggeration, and is graceful in confrontation.

Mixer

1. Share about a time when you or someone else was right, but handled it the wrong way.

Sermon Recap & Prayer

Pray together. Review the main points of the sermon. Take a moment to read the scripture passages aloud as a group.

Discussion Questions

Observation: What does the passage say?

1. After reading each of the Proverbs, what virtues or values are being commended and affirmed? What sins or behaviors are disapproved of?
2. According to King Solomon, what is the relationship between wisdom and handling conflict?
3. What does the Apostle Paul write in Romans 12:19-20 about how we are to handle revenge? What were the two words Pastor Jared had us repeat out loud as a reminder to us?

Interpretation: What does the passage mean?

1. Richard Rohr wrote, "If we do not transform our pain, we will transmit it." What does this mean for us in our daily lives?

2. What do Proverbs 24:28-29 and 11:12 say about why we should not slander or deride our neighbor? (Pastor Jared talked about us finding happiness in their unhappiness. Why is this harmful?)
3. Re-read Romans 12:19-20. What does it mean for us to "Leave Room"?
4. Pastor Jared shared that we are only ready to confront someone when we hurt for them more than they have hurt us. What does this mean?

Application: How can we apply these passages to our lives?

1. What steps can/will you take to stop throwing gas on the fires of conflict?
2. Is there someone who has hurt you for who you need to offer the grace God has given you?

Huddles

Break into small groups of 3-4 people of the same gender for deeper sharing, accountability, and prayer.

- How have you seen or enjoyed God's grace this week?
- How have you felt weary or discouraged this week?
- Is anything (e.g. school, work, social media, entertainment) isolating you from important relationships?
- Pray together.

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