



Sunday Bible Study Guide | March 8, 2026

Weekly Memory Verse

You no longer have to live as a slave because you are a child of God. And since you are His child, God guarantees an inheritance *is waiting* for you.

Galatians 4:7

Sermon

Heirs and Warriors - Pastor Jared Herd

Scriptures: Galatians 1:6-7, 2:11, 3:26-29, 4:1-7; Romans 8:17-19

Mixer

How does the time change "spring forward" affect you? Do you look forward to it or do you dread it?

Sermon Recap & Prayer

Pastor Jared shared that, in Christ, we find our identity, have an inheritance and are an instrument of war.

As you think about these three truths, pray together, then read the scripture passages aloud as a group.

Discussion Questions

Observation: What does the passage say?

1. Read Galatians 1:6-7. What does this passage say about keeping the main thing the main thing?
2. Read Galatians 2:11. Why did Paul confront Peter?
3. Read Galatians 3:26-29 and 4:1-7. What do these passages say about who we are in Christ Jesus?
4. Read Romans 8:17-19. What does this passage say about what awaits us?

Interpretation: What does the passage mean?

1. From Galatians 1:6-7, what does it mean to turn to a different gospel?
2. From Galatians 3:26-4:7, what does it mean that, in Christ, we are not Jew nor Gentile, slave nor free, male nor female?
3. From Galatians 3:26-4:7 and Romans 8:17-19, what does it mean for us to be heirs of God?

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

1. What are some ways we add something to Jesus plus nothing?
2. Why is it important that we not pervert the Gospel?
3. If, in Christ, it does not matter if we are rich or poor, Republican or Democrat (let's not discuss politics here), male or female, how does that affect the way we live out our faith?
4. Pastor Jared shared that, in Christ, we have identity, inheritance, and are an instrument of war. If we make Jesus plus something, we lose these. How do we keep from adding something to Jesus plus nothing?
5. Are there opinions and beliefs you have allowed to become convictions? What steps will you take to keep the main thing the main thing and hold fast to your identity, your inheritance, and become an instrument of war for God's Kingdom?

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?
- How are your rhythms going (e.g. Bible, prayer, mission, resting, worship)?
- Pray together for each other and the people in your life who need the hope of Jesus.

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Want to be baptized? Next one: April 19

