## Battle Ready: Suit Up! Shoes & Shield Enhesians 6:10–15: John 14:27; Romans 5:1-11, 10:9-17; 2 Corinthians 12:1-10; Philippians 4:6-7;

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## **Discussion Guide**

- 1. What is one thing from the message that God used to encourage, challenge, or grow you?
- 2. Have you ever felt like you were in the middle of chaos, uncertainty, or a situation that could have made you doubt your faith? What happened, and how did you respond? Share your story.
- 3. Thinking about our world and culture today, what do people think about peace from God and faith in Jesus, especially as it pertains to guidance and protection in life? What leads you to think this? Share your thoughts.
- 4. Read John 14:27, Romans 5:1, and Philippians 4:6-7 together. What do you learn about peace from these passages? How might recalling these verses in trying, chaotic, or uncertain moments help you experience peace? Share your thoughts.
- 5. Thinking about the enemy's tactics, what are some common "fiery arrows" he uses to attack us? Are there specific ones that you have experienced recently or repeatedly? How might a shield of faith provide protection?
- 6. Reflecting on the "shoes of peace" and how we acquire and grow peace, what do you find in that process to be the easiest? Which is the most challenging? Which is the most encouraging? Why?
- 7. Reflecting on the "shield of faith" and how we acquire and grow faith, what do you find in that process to be the easiest? Which is the most challenging? Which is the most encouraging? Why?
- 8. What's one step you can take this week to put on these pieces of armor to be battle ready? Share your step with the group so we can pray for one another to stand firm and be battle ready.
- 9. Take a few minutes to SOAP through one of the passages referenced in the message today. These are found on the top of the notes page. You may want to include verses before/after the passage listed too. Share your insights with the group.

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