



How to Put on the Sandals of Peace.

Ephesians 6:15

A. The Structure of the Sandals

- 1. The sandals had soles of nails.
“A single sandal could have between 80 to 100 iron hobnails (clavi caligarii) hammered into the sole.”
Peter Connolly, Archeologist and Historian
- 2. The protection was in the open-air design.
“The openwork design was a deliberate solution to prevent ‘trench foot’ and other fungal infections that plagued soldiers in closed boots.”
Dr. Adrian Goldsworthy, Military Historian
- 3. Another protection was in the greaves.
“...on his legs he wore bronze greaves...”
1 Samuel 17:6 (NIV)

Notetakers are History Makers:

B. The Structure of Peace

- 1. Stability is essential to stand.
“And with your feet fitted...” Ephesians 6:15a (NIV)
- 2. Readiness is essential in order to move promptly.
“...with readiness...” Ephesians 6:15b (NIV)
- 3. Unity with God is essential for empowerment against our enemy.
“...that comes from the Gospel of Peace.”
Ephesians 6:15c (NIV)

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C. Putting on the Gospel of Peace

- 1. It means that we are hiding God’s Word in our hearts.
“I have hidden Your Word in my heart that I might not sin against You.” Psalm 119:11 (NIV)
- 2. It means being prepared to advance God’s Word in this world.
“Preach the Word; be prepared in season and out of season; correct, rebuke and encourage—with great patience and careful instruction.” 2 Timothy 4:2 (NIV)
- 3. It means to live a life worthy of the Gospel of Christ.
“Whatever happens, conduct yourselves in a manner worthy of the Gospel of Christ. Then, whether I come and see you or only hear about you in my absence, I will know that you stand firm in the one Spirit, striving together as one for the faith of the Gospel.” Philippians 1:27-28 (NIV)

“The acts of the flesh are obvious: sexual immorality, impurity and debauchery; idolatry and witchcraft; hatred, discord, jealousy, fits of rage, selfish ambition, dissensions, factions and envy; drunkenness, orgies, and the like. I warn you, as I did before, that those who live like this will not inherit the Kingdom of God.” Galatians 5:19-21 (NIV)

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Bottom Line:
You cannot fight a spiritual battle if you are slipping on your own uncertainty.

To begin a relationship with Jesus...
Text: "Jesus" to 570-273-0088

Next Sunday: Full Assembly Required:
Put on The Full Armor of God

Week 6: How to Put on the Shield of Faith
Ephesians 6:16

Milton Campus: Pastor Drew Lahr
Sunbury Campus: Shawnee Robel



Giving & Attendance Update

Giving last Sunday: 87.5%

Giving year to date: 91.1% of goal

Attendance Last Weekend: 1,884

Salvations to date: 7 | Baptisms to date: 45

Upcoming Happenings:

Friday, May 22nd - Soul Sisters Worship
Night/6:30pm/CWC Milton Youth Center

Wednesday, June 3rd – Classics' Fun Day at Knoebels.

Saturday, June 13th - Men's Breakfast/CWC Milton Youth
Center/8:00am-9:30am

Thursday-Saturday, June 11-13th – Production of "It
Runs in the Family."

Tuesday-Friday, June 16-19 – CWC Kidz Camp

"Reach the One" Campaign Update

161 Pledges

466 Total Participants

\$4,000,000 – Giving Goal by Nov. 2027

\$2,369,616.57 - Donations Anticipated by Nov. 2027

\$1,849,252.28 - Received Donations – 47% of \$4M Goal

Want to pledge, donate, or learn more?

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Looking for your next step at CWC?

Welcome Party: 1st Sunday of Every Month

- *If you are new* or if you've been around a bit and are looking to build friendships with others, our Welcome Party is for you! **Get to know others** who are newer at CWC as well as our welcome team and our pastors in a relational environment. There will be light refreshments and the opportunity to hear about our small groups, baptism, and your next step of Growth Track. If you're asking the question, "*How can I make friends here?*" then this is for you! No registration is required, you can just show up. Look for the signs on the first Sunday of the month.

Growth Track: 3-week classes/Sunday morning in-person and Wednesday evening online

- Growth Track exists to help you learn about the vision of CWC, the gifts God has given you, and how you can use them in specific opportunities to serve His church. The classes will guide you to not only become a vital part of our ministries, but more importantly, how to use what you learn to continue growing in your faith to share with others. Starting May 13th, we are launching an online-facilitated evening class in addition to the existing in-person Sunday class opportunities. You can see what classes are available by going to cwclife.churchcenter.com/registrations and select the Next Steps filter.

Membership Class: Once a quarter on Sundays after 2nd service

- Membership class is the last step of fully assimilating at CWC. Learn about our denomination, The Wesleyan Church and the bigger movement we are a part of across the world. This 3-hour class with the lead pastor provides you a place to **ask important questions about our beliefs as a church** and allows you to become eligible for our local board of administration. You also become eligible for denominational events like our district and general conferences. To sign up for our next class, let us know at the Hub or email: loretta.paulhamus@cwc.life