



## CHANGE YOUR WORLD IN 2026

- Pray for your friends and family.
- Text, FB, or write a message of encouragement.
- Show mercy to those who don't expect it.
- Share your resources generously.

## GIVING RECEIPTS

Thank you for your generous giving in 2025. You will be receiving a GIVING RECEIPT before the end of January.



## CELEBRATE RECOVERY

Celebrate Recovery meets again on January 29 at 7:00 p.m. Any questions see Deb Perez.

## SOLID GROUND

As we usher in 2026, there are some things you can still choose: you can choose your **CONFESSION**; You can choose your **ATTITUDE**; and you can choose your **ACTIONS**.  
That's a solid place to start 2026!

*Vision for the Year  
and Beyond Our Comfort Zone  
Trusting God Through Faith  
Stepping into God's Purposes for Our Lives*

JANUARY TEACHING SERIES

# Living BOLDLY

*Vision for the Year  
Trusting God Beyond Our Comfort Zone  
Overcoming Fear Through Faith  
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Jan 04 » Vision for the Year

Jan 18 » Overcoming Fear Through Faith

Jan 11 » Trusting God Beyond Our Comfort Zone

Jan 25 » Stepping into God's Purposes for Our Lives

## Prayer REQUESTS

### ▶ SALVATION

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Noelle G. » Health Issues         | <input type="checkbox"/> Jerry A. » Health Issues          |



## METRICS THAT MATTER - 01/11/26

Attendance ▶ 25 Giving ▶ \$242 Guests ▶ 1  
Volunteers ▶ 14 Decisions for Christ ▶ 0

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# Living BOLDLY

Overcoming Fear  
Through Faith

How do you  
overcome fear  
through faith  
It's prepared for our lives



**WHAT IS FEAR?** Fear is the brain's survival mechanism, triggered by a perceived threat (real or imagined) to our physical or psychological well-being.



**WHAT CAUSES FEAR?** It stems from a mix of innate instincts (like fear of falling), past traumas, uncertainty, learned behaviors from family/culture, and genetic predispositions.

**WHAT IS THE EFFECT OF FEAR?** It triggers our initial response. Long term, it can manifest itself as depression, anxiety, helplessness, etc.

## Four Stages of Fear



**2 Timothy 1:7** "For God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of power and of love and of a sound mind."

**Matthew 14: 22-32** "Immediately, Jesus made the disciples get into the boat and go on ahead of him to the other side, while he dismissed

the crowd. After he had dismissed them, he went up on a mountainside by himself to pray. Later that night, he was there alone, and the boat was already a considerable distance from land, buffeted by the waves because the wind was against it. Shortly before dawn Jesus went out to them, walking on the lake. When the disciples saw him walking on the lake, they were terrified. "It's a ghost," they said, and cried out in fear. But Jesus immediately said to them: "Take courage! It is I. Don't be afraid." "Lord, if it's you," Peter replied, "tell me to come to you on the water." "Come," he said. Then Peter got down out of the boat, walked on the water and came toward Jesus. But when he saw the wind, he was afraid and, beginning to sink, cried out, "Lord, save me!" Immediately Jesus reached out his hand and caught him. "You of little faith," he said, "why did you doubt

## How do we overcome fear?

- Being in God's presence
- Relying on God's power
- Trusting in God's authority
  - Walking in Obedience
- Standing on God's word/promises
- Knowing our identity in Christ

## Power Verses

If God brought you to it, He will bring you through it! *Isaiah 41:10*

God works in the waiting not just the result! *Lamentations 3:25*

God is stronger than what is coming against you! *Isaiah 54:17*

God is not distant during your struggle! *Psalms 34:18*

Faith can move even when you are scared!  
*Joshua 1:9*

God is the author of your life not the world!