

Warfare: Understanding our Spiritual Battle

Ephesians 6: 10-13

1. We face a real spiritual enemy

2. We face a cunning spiritual enemy

- Hindering a pastoral visit (1 Thess 2: 18)
- Getting believers put in jail (Revelation 2: 10)
- Promulgating Heresy (1 Tim 4: 1)
- Making Christians into legalists (Col. 2: 20-21).
- Disaster, tragedy and disease (Job 1-2)
- Discouragement through people (Mark 8: 33)

- **Whispering lies in our hearts (Gen 3: 1-4, Matt 4:1-11)**

3. We can withstand him through Christ

- ***Relying on Christ's power***
- ***Wearing Christ's armour***