

# WEEKEND WARRIORS: MOVING FORWARD

"I feel like this is an additional word from God for our church in the coming year!"

Big Idea: Be strong, get to work, God is with you, don't be afraid!

Big Question: How do we move forward in the battle?

Main Scripture: Haggai 2:4-5

The Hebrew people were gloomy during this period. Selfishness crippled community spirit, and apathy and disillusionment detracted from their worship.

Haggai 2:4-5 <sup>4</sup> But now the Lord says: "Be strong, Zerubbabel (The Governor). Be strong, Jeshua son of Jehozadak, the high priest. Be strong, all you people still left in the land. And now get to work, for I am with you, says the Lord of Heaven's Armies. <sup>5</sup> My Spirit remains among you, just as I promised when you came out of Egypt. So do not be afraid."

## 1. Be strong

Haggai 2:4a <sup>4a</sup> But now the LORD says: Be strong...

Ephesians 6:10 <sup>10</sup> A final word: Be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power.

Haggai 2:4b <sup>4b</sup> And now get to work,

## 2. Get to work

We exist to guide people to experience life to its fullest, connect into meaningful relationships, and make a lasting impact.

- One large meeting room/sanctuary which seats 200 adults.
- A kitchen/food prep space
- Restrooms
- Electricity and water

Haggai 2:4c-5a <sup>4c</sup> ...for I am with you, says the Lord of Heaven's Armies. <sup>5a</sup> My Spirit remains among you, just as I promised when you came out of Egypt.

## 3. Remember, God is with you

Haggai 2:5b <sup>5b</sup> So do not be afraid.'

## 4. Don't be afraid

Isaiah 41:10 <sup>10</sup> Don't be afraid, for I am with you. Don't be discouraged, for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you. I will hold you up with my victorious right hand.