

# STAND UP

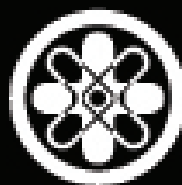
Going with the flow always seems to be the easy thing to do. That's perhaps never as true as when it comes to the things of God.

It's pretty easy to see that there is a big gap between doing things God's way and doing things the way culture dictates.

Sometimes you have to make unpopular choices.  
Sometimes you have to be brave in the face of adversity.  
Sometimes you have to prioritize things few do.  
Sometimes you're the only one rowing against the current as everyone else is rushing downstream.  
Sometimes you have to stand up. And what we stand for says a lot about what rules our hearts and minds.

Stand Up is a four-week series of messages about saying "yes" to God in a culture that says "no."

Become intentional as you spiritually lead your family, your friends or yourself with @Home! Select ideas from this guide for an easy way to share with your family what you learn at Grace @Home!



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## NAVIGATE THE BIBLE

Learning to use God's Word

- Daniel 1:1-21
- Daniel 2:1-49
- Daniel 3:1-30
- Daniel 6:1-28



## ARTICULATE YOUR FAITH

Intentional times to talk about God's Word

1. Why is it hard to stand for God in a culture that is against Him?
2. What are some things that are worth standing up for?
3. How do our priorities reflect the things we are standing for?
4. What do you do if you are the only one standing up for something?



## PERSONALIZE SCRIPTURE

Spontaneous times to relate your everyday life to God's Word

Make a "Stand Up Board" somewhere in your home. Provide Post-It notes and pens. As we work through this series, think of ways you can stand up for your faith. Write them down and post them on your Stand Up Board.



## WORSHIP WITH YOUR LIFE

Show what God has done in your life to others

There is a battle between the god of this world and the God of the Bible. When you feel that battle in your own life, acknowledge it and choose to stand up for what is right according to God.



## DIALOGUE WITH GOD

Prompts to pray with your family

Dear Lord, Daniel and his friends stood up for you against all odds. Please help us to look for ways to stand up for you at our workplace or school. Amen.