**“Faith to Stand and Not Run Away”**

**Nehemiah 6:1-14**

**Main Point:** *Because our Savior gives us faith to stand in times of trial, we can stand in the face of any trial through faith in our Savior*

**I. Assassinate Nehemiah Outside the City**

**A) A Friendly Invitation to stop God’s Desire?**

**B) An Underhanded Threat to stop God’s Desire**

Numbers 12:1-2

***What should I do if someone is potentially slandering someone else in my church?***

1) Make \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ judgments.

2) Weigh the actions of person you know \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

 *: Are these the actions of a devil-like character or are these accusations devil-like?*

 3) Separate \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ from ‘unrealistic \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**II. Assassinate Nehemiah Inside the Temple**

**A) Taking a Stand will make you a target of Satan**

Satan’s Fear Tactics

 1) Discourage you so you won’t continue with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ calling

 2) Fear as a motivation to act in a sinful way to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ someone

2 Timothy 1:7

3) Attack Leaders

**B) Taking a Stand will make you a recipient of Grace**

**Isaiah 66:2**

Our Greatest Inheritance = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **John 14:16-18**

 1) He will show you that this is not from God

2) He will teach you to depend on God