**Series Overview**

(designed for January)

Our world often tells us that being courageous is about strength, bravery, and heroic acts. This series explores what courage looks like in the New Testament and expands our understanding of courage. Together, we will learn how courage can help us raise other people up, transform our communities, and face new and challenging situations.

**Week 1: Courage to be Vulnerable | Scripture: Philippians 2:5-11**

Jesus shows us that there is courage in being vulnerable and calls us to follow his example.

**Week 2: Courage to be Gracious | Scripture: Philippians 1:2-12**

In hard situations, God’s grace can give us courage. As we allow God’s grace to shape us, we can become courageous enough to give others grace too.

**Week 3: Courage to be Last | Scripture: Philippians 2:1-5**

Sometimes, we are courageous for our own sake and to achieve our own comfort. But how can we be courageous for the sake of others and their wellbeing?

**Week 4: Courage to be First | Scripture: Philippians 3:10-16**

It takes courage to take the first step forward to face evil, to dare to be extraordinary for God.