

## The Test of Knowledge

PASTOR ZAC HESS • 1 JOHN 4:1–21

By This  
We Know

### SHARE

Briefly share when you trusted Christ as Lord and Savior.

### COMING UP

**Baptism Class** Sunday, March 15 at 10:45 a.m. • WC 10 • If you're a follower of Jesus but haven't been baptized, join us for this one-week class to gain a biblical understanding of baptism. RSVP for this required class and apply to be baptized at [GracePolaris.org/Baptism](https://www.gracepolaris.org/Baptism) or text **BAPTISM** to **614-888-7733**.

**Family Worship Night led by Grace Kids Choir** • Sunday, March 15 at 4:00 p.m. • WC Auditorium Everyone is invited to join us for a special night of worship! The Grace Kids Choir will lead us in remembering and rejoicing in God's goodness and faithfulness. A small celebration reception will follow in the Ministry Center Multipurpose Room.

[GRACEPOLARIS.ORG/EVENTS](https://www.gracepolaris.org/events)

### MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY

**Sunday Morning Hospitality** • Greeting, Hosting, & Coffee Ministry • Get involved at [GracePolaris.org/Serve](https://www.gracepolaris.org/Serve).

### GLOBAL WORKER HIGHLIGHT—JERRY & CINDY WALKER SERVING IN UKARUMPA, PAPUA NEW GUINEA

Pray for the audio recordings and discipleship workshops to cause the truths of God's Word to penetrate the cultural barriers and beliefs that hinder people from wholeheartedly following Jesus as Lord of their lives.

### WITNESS

Who are the people in your sphere of influence you're praying will come to know Jesus? Share any progress/updates. Pray together for God to use you and your Grace Group to influence these people for Jesus.

### EXPLORE

- 1 How would you explain the sermon to a friend?
- 2 What is the significance of verse 4? How does this give you confidence and courage in everyday life or for the future?
- 3 Read verses 1–6. Why does John speak of testing the spirits? What is at stake? How do we experience this on a daily basis?
- 4 In what ways do we camouflage hate? How have you personally done this? What does loving others look like?
- 5 What specifically will you seek to apply from today's sermon?

### PRAY

Pray that we would love others as God has loved us.