

### **Prayer Requests**

Revival in Harvest Baptist Church  
Leadership of Harvest Baptist Church  
Revival all over the world  
That God would wake up sleeping Christians  
God's mercy on the U.S.  
Persecuted Christians worldwide

### **Our Missionaries**

Perry Demopoulos – Ukraine  
Dan Bardwell – Ukraine  
Gabe Cochran – Canada  
David Robinson – Malawi  
Gerald Rice – Rock of Ages Prison Min.  
Whites – Israel

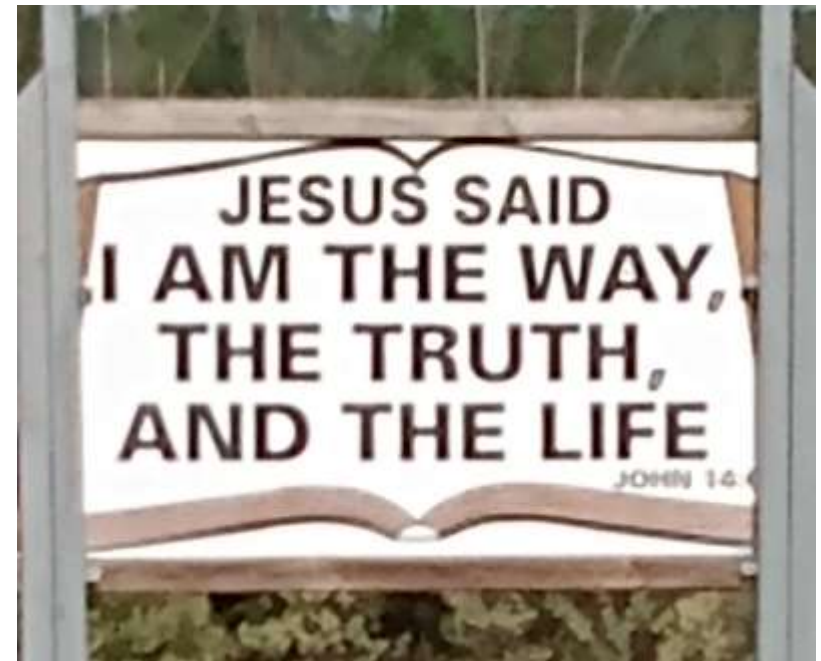
Sermon Title:

Preacher:

Date:

Sermon Notes:

# Welcome to Harvest Baptist Church



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# Harvest Baptist Church

September 24, 2023

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Our Mission Statement in a Nutshell:

To Glorify the Savior -  
To Edify the Saints -  
To Evangelize the Sinner  
(Acts 9:31)

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*We are very glad to see you here today. If you would like a visit or have any questions, please feel free to talk to the pastor after the service or call him at 834-1611.*

## About Harvest Baptist Church

Harvest Baptist Church is strictly a church and not a corporation. This is because churches that incorporate themselves, under U.S. corporate law, have voluntarily given up their 1st Amendment rights to Freedom of Speech and Freedom of Religion. Consequently, we have no 501(c)(3) status and we do not give tax receipts for donations. We can accept donations only by cash, or else by a check written directly to an individual and not to the church (donation box is located in back of the auditorium). We firmly believe that a Christian should pay his taxes and should render unto Caesar what is Caesar's and unto God what is God's (Mark 12:14-17). Because we are unincorporated, our church constitution is simply - the King James Bible.

## SERVICE TIMES

Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Sunday Morning Service	11:00 a.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting	7:00 p.m.

## SERVING THE LORD

Nursery today: AM Kristi Barton Next week: Judy Alderink

Church cleaning this week: Judy and Brad

## Announcements

We will be having the Lord's Supper after lunch today

Please remember the Harvest Party at the home of the Quicks on Saturday, October 7, beginning at about 1:00 p.m. There will be a bonfire, games, hayrides, etc. There is a sign-up sheet at the back of the auditorium, both for food items to bring and so that we know approximately how many folks will be there. Everyone is welcome.

## Bible Verse for the Day.

"And they that know thy name will put their trust in thee: for thou, LORD, hast not forsaken them that seek thee." (Psalm 9:10)

*Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman had an experience in his first pastorate in Philadelphia which ought to encourage other pastors and churches to establish the same kind of pastoral support. It is described in this clipping from an unknown source: "Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman in his first pastorate in Philadelphia was visited by a layman who frankly said to him, 'You are not a strong preacher. In the usual order of things you will fail here, but a little group of laymen have agreed to gather every Sunday morning and pray for you.' Dr. Chapman added: 'I saw that group grow to one thousand men gathered weekly to pray for this preacher.' Of course, he had great success. Almost any pastor would succeed if a group of leaders would thus back him up." – from The Presbyterian*

The apostle Peter was released from chains in a locked jail cell, with two soldiers sleeping next to him, and armed guards guarding the whole prison, because of a PRAYER MEETING – Read Acts Chapter 12