Harvest Baptist Church - 'Where church still feels like church' events and Opportunities Continued from the other side:

CHURCH CLEANING

Our church is prepared for services each week by HBC volunteers who do the vacuuming and necessary cleaning. Please sign up today on the signup sheet in the foyer.



Jesus Calling In quietness and confidence I shall be your strength. When you're in a tough situation, your mind tends to go into overdrive. You mentally rehearse possible solutions at breakneck speed. Your brain be-comes a flurry of activity! You scrutinize your own abilities and those of people you might call upon for help. If you find no immediate solution to your problem, you start to feel anxious. When you find this happening, return to Me and rest in quietness. Take time to seek My Face and My will rather than rushing ahead without clear direc-tion. tion.

tion. I want you to have confidence in Me and My ways - patiently trusting in Me even when you can't see the way forward. Whereas anxious striving drains you of energy, quiet confidence will give you strength. You can trust that I will not forsake you in your time of need. Keep com-municating with Me about your situation, and be willing to wait - without pushing for immediate resolution. Those who wait for the Lord will gain new strength new strength.

Isaiah 30:15 Deuteronomy 31:6 Isaiah 40:31

Put your hope in My unfailing Love. You live in a world where failure abounds - in gov-ernments and businesses, schools and church-es, friends, family, and you. Instantaneous worldwide communication makes the failures all the more evident, all the more heart-wrenching. So the idea of unfailing love is radical; there is no adequate model for it in this world. Clearly, such Love can be found only in Me—in the very essence of who I am. Even the most devoted parent, friend, or lover will let you down sometimes, but I am the eternal Lover who will never fail you. This is possible because I am infinite, perfect God. Yet I became a Man—with human understand-ing and empathy. In fact, My compassions never fail. So find hope in Me and in My amaz-ing provision for believers—salvation and righteousness that will never fail. This hope strengthens you and pleases Me. I delight in those who put their hope in My unfailing Love. *Psalm* 147:11 Lamentations 3:22 1 John 4:16 Isaiah 51:6 Psalm 147:11 Lamentations 3:22 1 John 4:16 Isaiah 51:6

	OFFERING UPDATE		
		For The Week of 2/27/2022 - 3/5/2022	Month Total February
	General	11,972.46	28,865.04
Missions		1,200.00	3,260.00
	TOTAL	13,172.46	32,125.04
	ative American /lissions, Inc.	830.00	3,380.00
R	egistrations and Fees	0.00	555.00

There are times when we are tempted to wonder if anyone cares. We may be let down by those on whom we depended most. That was Job's experience. In his time of great suffering and loss his friends came, but rather than comforting him they accused him of harboring hidden sin in his life and being proud and arrogant. Job knew that he was suffering, though he did not know about Satan's conversation with God that was behind his troubles, and he wanted the hurt of his heart to be taken seriously. When no one else cared, Job knew he could trust in God. "Though he slav me, yet will I trust in him: but I will maintain mine own ways before him" (Job 13:15).

No burden we face is unimportant to God, and no tear we shed escapes His notice.

> about everything that concerns you. So feel free to talk to him about anything

HARVEST BAPTIST CHURCH

Reverend K. Preston Gray, Pastor 535 N. Sarival Ave. Goodyear, AZ 85338 *** 602-361-8025 *** www.hbcgoodvear.org Men's Prayer Meeting 9:00 am Morning Worship 10:00 am Sunday Evening 6:00 pm Wednesday Prayer & Bible Study 7:00 pm



If you are visiting with us for the first time, we hope that you have already received a warm welcome by our Church Family. Our prayer is that the singing, teaching and preaching of the Word of God will meet a need in your heart and life.

Worship Service

Welcome To Harvest Baptist

Isaiah 42:10

Saved By The Blood - 42 He Is Mine - 11 Jesus Will Outshine Them All - 17 Welcome & Announcements **Instrumental Special** Amazing Grace - 3 Praver **Special Music** Message: Pastor Gray Invitation **Closing Prayer**



God Cares Dr. Paul Chappell

But Job answered and said, Oh that my grief were thoroughly weighed, and my calamity laid in the balances together! For now it would be heavier than the sand of the sea: therefore my words are swallowed up. For the arrows of the Almighty are within me, the poison whereof drinketh up my spirit: the terrors of God do set themselves in array against me. Job 6:1-4

At a young age, Frank Graeff committed his life to serving God. He trained for the ministry and spent many years working with children and young people. He was noted for his positive attitude, so much so that one of his contemporaries nicknamed him the "sunshine minister." Yet Graeff's life was far from simple or easy. He struggled with serious health issues that would take his life at just fifty-nine years of age. While still in his thirties, Graeff wrote a hymn that expressed his confidence in God during times of suffering.

Does Jesus care when my heart is pained Too deeply for mirth or song, As the burdens press, and the cares distress And the way grows weary and long?

Oh yes, He cares, I know He cares, His heart is touched with my grief; When the days are weary, the long nights dreary, I know my Savior cares.