

WELCOME Date: _____

Tell us more about you!

Names (s) _____

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Please contact me by

☐ U.S Mail ☐ Phone ☐ Email

First visit to our church? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Member of a church? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Church Name _____

City, State _____

Guest of _____

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Circle all ages or grades visiting:

Preschool 0 1 2 3 4 5

Children K 1 2 3 4 5

Students 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

Adults: 18-24 25-34 35-44

45-54 55-64 65-74 75+

How did you learn about our church?

☐ Friend ☐ Mailing ☐ Newspaper

☐ Internet Other _____

New to community? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Comments: _____

Sermon Outline



Victory over Cumbered Christianity (2)

Luke 10:38-42

Intro: Last week we mentioned that **ANXIETY, STRESS, and WORRY** were Words that we have all experienced and, at times, battled!

In our story, Martha was unnecessarily overextending herself.

1. Cumbered - to drag all around
2. Cumbered Christianity
 - a. Unrealistic plans
 - b. Must be the first to arrive, the last to leave
 - c. Always in a hurry
3. Complaining - Does no one notice?

When we practice “Cumbered Christianity”, we can impair the spirit of our home or even our church.

A quick re-cap of Mary’s Choices, and we will go to point three.

Her Choices were Worry-Free, Anxiety-Calming, and Stress-Free.

Notice:

I. The Preference of her Choosing

II. The Position of her Choosing

III. The Purpose of Her Choosing

A. She Chose the Spiritual.

Four Steps to Help Develop a Passion for the Word of God

1. Commit to being in the Word daily.
2. Pray for understanding as you read.
3. Make your time in the Word Special.
4. Find a private place to study and pray.

B. She Chose the Eternal.

Conclusion: Mary chose that which shall never be taken away.

***Christians must choose Spiritual rest-stops – worship services, Bible studies, and church socials – They gear down the soul that has been revved to the max in a world that wants to run wide-open and non-stop.**

Purpose in your Heart to Choose the Spiritual things that are Eternal.

Spiritual joy is what you experience when you choose to give thanks to God no matter what happens—even when things go wrong.

Jim George

Sermon Notes



May 7, 2023

*Welcome to Harvest
Baptist Church*

If you are visiting with us for the first time, we hope that you have already received a warm welcome from 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.

HARVEST BAPTIST CHURCH

of Goodyear

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Men’s Prayer Meeting 8:30 am

Sunday School for all ages 9:00 am

Morning Worship 10:00 am

Sunday Evening 6:00 pm

Wednesday Prayer & Bible Study 6:30 pm

Harvest Baptist Church

of Goodyear

'Where church feels like church'

Worship Service

Welcome and Opening Prayer

Choir Special

Heaven Came Down - 249

Chorus: Isn't He Wonderful - 99

Greetings & Brief Fellowship

Chorus: Isn't He Wonderful - 99

Announcements

Are You Washed In The Blood - 40

Offering and Offertory Ministry

****Dismiss children to Children's Church****

I Am Resolved - 243

Prayer

Scripture Reading

Special Music

Message: Pastor Cook

Invitation

Closing Prayer: Pastor Cook

ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICES

are available for use during the church services. Please see Robert in the sound booth if you wish to use this equipment.

NURSERY SCHEDULE		
SUNDAY AM	SUNDAY PM	WEDNESDAY
5/7 Mary / Ethel	5/7 JoAnn	5/10 Agnes
5/14 Christina / Carla	5/14 Marianne	5/17 JoAnn
5/21 Mary / Ethel	5/21 Agnes	5/24 JoAnn



May Anniversaries

Disbrow 5/16
Wyatt 5/16
Zacharia 5/24



May Birthdays

Enoch Arellano 5/2
Michelle Cook 5/7
Mary Garcia 5/9
Sam Hagadorn 5/10
Sue Ritter 5/11
Bonnie Stone 5/11
Faye Almand 5/13
Joe Dolney 5/14
Jan Brumbaugh 5/16
Tina Gray 5/16
Marlene Pedersen 5/21
Frank Fausto 5/27
Jeanette Hill 5/31

Events and Opportunities



THANK YOU

Thank you to all our church members who give of their time, energy and talents to keep our church looking nice.



Saturday May 27 - 9:45 AM

- Men's coffee fellowship — Fellowship Hall: Tuesday 8:30 AM
- Ladies' Discipleship class: Weekly on Thursdays at 10 AM.
- Sunday evening, May 7th, WCBC Tour Team will be preaching/singing.
- Clothing collection for the Navajo Indian Reservation. Please bring to church: new, used, clean clothing, for children & adults. The clothing will be given to Pastor Ryan Nez ministry in Window Rock, AZ.

David and Joyce Pyland have attended HBC for many years. Joyce went home to be with the Lord Friday. Please pray for David and the family .

Condolences can be sent to:
16302 W. Magnolia
Goodyear, AZ 85338



OFFERING UPDATE

	For The Week of 4/30/2023 - 5/6/2023	Month Total April
General	4,344.00	29,317.00
Missions	1,795.00	5,445.00
TOTAL	6,139.00	34,762.00

The Mulars in Argentina - March 2023

Hello dear praying friends,

These last few weeks found us visiting a new church for us in Lebanon, MO and participating in two Missions Conferences in Oklahoma City, OK. Each one was a blessing.

When congregations are engaged enthusiastically in the plan of God for world evangelization, it always awakens that spirit of revival, making it, not a burden, but a joy to partner with its missionaries in doing what the Lord commanded us to do.

We had the privilege of leading a set of grandparents and an 18-year-old granddaughter named Marlene to the Lord. We talked to Manuel, the grandfather, about the necessity of the new birth. We rejoiced at the gift of God he received. I mentioned that it was my birthday. He told me that his was the day before.

There is no better gift than eternal life to be received by whosoever will. Praise the Lord!

Uma, a neighbor girl to Pastor Jorge (in Argentina), asked Jesus into her heart Sunday, March 19th. Praise the Lord! We ask for prayer for the salvation of her mother and brother.

Talking about births, we welcomed Liam Mikael Harris (our 5th great grandchild) to the family last month. Andrea (López) and Michael Harris, his parents, live here in OKC, where Michael is studying at Heartland Baptist Bible College. So much for the past.

On April 14th our grandson, Josué López, will be marrying Haven Huffman at Southwest Baptist Church. Family and friends will be here for the joyous occasion. We are thankful for one more visit with them before our trip back to the field on Monday, April 24th.

Farewells are never a fun thing. We ask for your prayers for God's grace for our return to Argentina and for fruit that may abound to your account as we minister there for the Lord.

Thank you for all your love and care shown through the years. Your prayers and financial support are an essential part in reaching this world for Christ.

In His hands, Al & Marty Mular

MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK

please pray for... **Al & Marty Mular,**
our missionaries to Argentina



Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest. John 4:35

DECISION—INFORMATION

(Please complete contact information on reverse side and check all that apply.)

- ☐ I'm making a first-time commitment to Christ.
- ☐ I am renewing my commitment to Christ.
- ☐ I want to become a member of the church.
- ☐ I want to find out about baptism.
- ☐ I want to join a Bible Study.
- ☐ I want to commit my life to full-time Christian Service.
- ☐ I want to serve where needed.

I would like information on:

- ☐ How to become a Christian
- ☐ How to join the church
- ☐ Family activities
- ☐ Adult activities
- ☐ Single adult ministries
- ☐ Student ministries
- ☐ Preschool/Children ministries
- ☐ Music and worship ministries
- ☐ Other _____

Requests

- ☐ I would like to speak with Pastor Cook.
- ☐ I would like more information on the church.
- ☐ Prayer requests and other needs:

NAME _____

PHONE _____