

Take 5

WITH
PASTOR MIKE



A DAILY MOMENT.
GOD'S TRUTH.
LASTING IMPACT.



A MINISTRY OF HEARTSWAY BAPTIST CHURCH

WEEK ONE • HOLDING ONTO FAITH



WEDNESDAY



KEY TRUTH

Faith does not deny the storm; it trusts the Savior who is present in it.

Faith Through the Storm

TODAY'S SCRIPTURE (KJV)

Isaiah 43:2

"When thou passest through the waters, I will be with thee; and through the rivers, they shall not overflow thee."

Good Morning!

Storms often arrive without warning. One conversation, one diagnosis, or one unexpected change can make calm waters feel dangerous.

God never promised that faith would keep us from every storm. He promised something better: His presence in the middle of it. The waters may rise, but they cannot remove Him from your side.

Faith looks beyond the wind and remembers the One who rules it. It refuses to measure God's goodness by today's weather. The same Lord who was faithful in yesterday's trial is already present in today's trouble.

You may feel shaken, but you are not abandoned. Keep praying. Keep listening. Keep taking the next obedient step. The storm has a boundary, and God has not surrendered His authority.



TAKE FIVE CHALLENGE

Take five intentional minutes today.

- 1 Read Isaiah 43:2 slowly.
- 2 Name the storm you need to place in God's hands.
- 3 Recall one past trial God carried you through.
- 4 Spend five quiet minutes resting in God's presence.
- 5 Encourage someone currently walking through difficulty.



SONG FOR THE JOURNEY

"Til the Storm Passes By"
— Mosie Lister

The storm may continue for a season, but the sheltering presence of God remains.



SHARE THE BLESSING

Someone near you may be hiding a storm. Offer a listening ear, a faithful prayer, and the reminder that God is near.



PRAYER

Lord, when the waters rise and fear presses in, remind me that You are with me. Calm my heart, steady my steps, and help me trust Your authority over every storm. Use this trial to deepen my faith and reveal Your faithfulness. In Jesus' name, Amen.

Walking with you in Christ,

Pastor Mike

Heartsway Baptist Church

Doing God's work, God's way,
in Jesus' name!

THE GOSPEL IN ONE VERSE

"For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life."

John 3:16 (KJV)



PASTOR MIKE'S THOUGHT

Peace is not always the absence of a storm; sometimes it is the presence of Christ within it.



TOMORROW'S TAKE FIVE

Week One • Thursday • Walking by Faith
• 2 Corinthians 5:7 (KJV)



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