

A MINISTRY OF HEARTSWAY BAPTIST CHURCH

THANKSGIVING WEEK | GENUINE THANKS

FRIDAY

Declare His Glory

TODAY'S SCRIPTURE (KJV)

1 Chronicles 16:24

"Declare his glory among the heathen; his marvellous works among all nations."

KEY TRUTH

Genuine thanks becomes a testimony that points beyond the gift to the glory of God.

GOOD MORNING!

Good morning! Thanksgiving is not meant to end when the meal is finished. Gratitude becomes fruitful when it leaves our lips as a testimony of God's glory.

David's song turned Israel's memory outward. The nations needed to hear about the Lord's marvellous works. In the same way, people around us need more than a list of our blessings; they need to know the God who gives grace and salvation.

A testimony does not have to be dramatic. Tell how God gave peace in uncertainty, strength in weakness, forgiveness in failure, or hope through His Word. Honest gratitude makes the Gospel personal and visible.

Carry Thanksgiving into the ordinary moments of today. Let your words be generous, your attitude be gracious, and your testimony be centered on Jesus. Genuine thanks always returns the glory to God.

TAKE FIVE CHALLENGE

Take five intentional minutes today.

1. **Read 1 Chronicles 16:23-24.**
2. **Write a one-sentence testimony of gratitude.**
3. **Thank God for the Gospel of Jesus Christ.**
4. **Spend five minutes praying for someone to hear.**
5. **Share your testimony naturally today.**

SONG FOR THE JOURNEY



"To God Be the Glory"
- Fanny J. Crosby

"To God be the glory, great things He hath done."

True testimony celebrates God's great works and directs every word of praise back to Him.

SHARE THE BLESSING

Call or message someone and tell them one specific way God's grace has changed your life.

PRAYER

Glorious God, receive the praise for every good work in my life. Give me courage and humility to tell what You have done. Keep my testimony centered on Jesus, and use my words to help someone see Your saving grace. Amen.

PASTOR MIKE'S THOUGHT

Gratitude becomes testimony when the blessing is named and the glory is given to God.

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)

TOMORROW'S TAKE FIVE

Thanksgiving Week | Saturday | Bring an Offering of Thanks | 1 Chronicles 16:29 (KJV)

Walking with you in Christ,

Pastor Mike

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