

# FirstFruits Gathering At Harvest Christian Church

**Blessed of God**  
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The Lord is saying to us expand, grow, increase, get bigger and multiply. We do this by the blessing of God. We advance into our future through His blessing. Blessing has a prophetic edge that goes into our future. The kingdom of God is filled with the blessings of God and the kingdom of God is in us! There is a greater demand in the season we are in but God says, I have provided greater supply. I have increased My blessing on you.

In Genesis God blesses the land and all that He made, and He blessed Adam and Eve. The Lord told Adam and Eve to be fruitful and multiply. This would be accomplished through the blessing of God. The blessing of God imparts ability and works everything together for the good. The blessing of God is connected to our DNA and the call of God on our lives. God blesses the times and seasons. Blessing is connected to the knowledge of God – all blessing comes from Him.

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts;  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

In covenant God takes His blessing to a deeper place. He says what in Mine is yours and your enemies are My enemies. God told Abraham, "I will make you into a great nation, and I will bless you; I will make your name great, and you will be a blessing. I will bless those who bless you, and whoever curses you I will curse; and all peoples on earth will be blessed through you." Wow! God releases blessing into the earth and into people's lives through us! We are to be a blessing, walking in blessing, speaking blessing, releasing blessing, knowing we are blessed of God – we are a conduit of His blessings.

Blessing is walking in the favor and grace of the Lord. The blessing of God in our lives reiterates that God is for us and not against us. Blessing is about relationship with our Father in heaven. Our Father blesses the path we are to walk – He calls it the Highway to Holiness, no lion will be there nor any ferocious beast gets up on it. See the blessing of covenant with God – His protection and His supply. Deuteronomy 28 lists the blessing of the Lord if you obey God. You will be blessed in the city, blessed in the country, blessed is the fruit of your womb, blessed are the crops in your land, blessed are your livestock, blessed is your supply. Paul tells the Romans that when he comes to them, he will come in the FULL BLESSING of the Lord. I see equipping and ambassadorship in the blessing of the Lord.

The blessing of the Lord is filled with His love, His compassion and His goodness. Psalm 34 says to taste and see that the Lord is good. What do we taste? We taste His blessing and it is good! The blessing of the Lord is infused with hope and vision. Psalm 5 tells us that the blessing of the Lord is like a shield that surrounds us and protects us. Genesis 24 says that Abraham was very old and God had blessed him in EVERY WAY! This is an incredible statement! Blessed in EVERY WAY POSSIBLE by the hand of God – the blessing of God keeps us.

In Psalm 103 David says bless the Lord O my soul and forget not any of His benefits. What are God's benefits? They are His blessings. The Lord wants us to REMEMBER His blessings. We return blessing to the Lord through our worship, through our love for Him, through our acceptance of Jesus and the Holy Spirit. Going deeper and deeper in relationship with the Lord blesses Him. Our obedience blesses Him.

**Ephesians 1.3** NIV

<sup>3</sup>Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, **who has blessed us in the heavenly realms with every spiritual blessing in Christ.**

**Psalm 84.12** NIV

<sup>12</sup> **Blessed is the one who trusts in the Lord.**

**Job 5.17** NIV

<sup>17</sup> **Blessed is the one whom God corrects;** so do not despise the discipline of the Almighty.

**Proverbs 3.13-14** NIV

<sup>13</sup> **Blessed are those who find wisdom,**

those who gain understanding,

<sup>14</sup> for she is more profitable than silver

and yields better returns than gold.

**Psalm 146.5** NIV

<sup>5</sup> **Blessed is he whose help is the God** of Jacob, whose hope is in the Lord his God.

**2 Corinthians 9.8** NASB

<sup>8</sup> And **God is able to bless you abundantly,** so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work.

**Galatians 3.8-9** NIV

<sup>8</sup> Scripture foresaw that God would justify the Gentiles by faith, and announced the gospel in advance to Abraham: **"All nations will be blessed through you."** <sup>9</sup> So **those who rely on faith are blessed along with Abraham, the man of faith.**

We prophesy to Detroit and the United States:

**Isaiah 46.4-10** NIV

<sup>4</sup> I am he, I am he who will sustain you.

I have made you and I will carry you;

I will sustain you and I will rescue you.

<sup>5</sup> "With whom will you compare me or count me equal?

To whom will you liken me that we may be compared?

<sup>6</sup> Some pour out gold from their bags

and weigh out silver on the scales;

they hire a goldsmith to make it into a god,

and they bow down and worship it.

<sup>7</sup> They lift it to their shoulders and carry it;

they set it up in its place, and there it stands.

From that spot it cannot move.

Even though someone cries out to it, it cannot answer;

it cannot save them from their troubles.

<sup>8</sup> "Remember this, keep it in mind,

take it to heart, you rebels.

<sup>9</sup> Remember the former things, those of long ago;

I am God, and there is no other;

I am God, and there is none like me.

<sup>10</sup> I make known the end from the beginning,

from ancient times, what is still to come.

I say, 'My purpose will stand,

and I will do all that I please.'

We call upon the justice of God to be superimposed over our land and all of its institutions. May the justice of God dismantle the foundations of compromise and the turning away from the face of God. We declare that the foundations of this nation are being rebuilt in righteousness and justice. We declare that the blessing of the Lord and His heart purpose for our nation will prevail over the land and overturn what satan has set against our nation. We will be one nation under God with liberty and justice for all!