

West Plains Christian Fellowship is a house of prayer!

*Dearly Beloved,*

*It has been five complete months. This is the last letter in the series, which began on June 3, 2007. I want us to finish this together with a God enlightened perspective on prayer found in the Book of Ephesians. This is the book renowned to be about the Church, the Body of Christ. At first glance, because it is about the Church, one might think this book is about Christians and for Christians only. However—*

*It should also be known as the book about the Family of God, in which God Himself wants everyone—yes, everyone—included.*

*“For He is (Himself) our peace (our bond of unity and harmony). He has made us both (Jew and Gentile) one (body), and has broken down (destroyed, abolished) the hostile dividing wall between us. By abolishing in His own (crucified) flesh the enmity (caused by) the Law with its decrees and ordinances (which He annulled); that He from the two might create in Himself one new man (one new quality of humanity out of the two), so making peace. And (He designed) to reconcile to God both (Jew and Gentile, united) in a single body by means of His cross, thereby killing the mutual enmity and bringing the feud to an end.” (Ephesians 2:14-16 Amp)*

*“(This mystery) was never disclosed to human beings in past generations as it has now been revealed to His holy apostles (consecrated messengers) and prophets by the (Holy) Spirit. (It is this:) that the Gentiles are now to be fellow heirs (with the Jews), members of the same body and joint partakers (sharing) in the same divine promise in Christ (through their acceptance of) the glad tidings (the Gospel).” (Ephesians 3:5-6 Amp)*

*Selah.*

*No hatred. No divisions. No striving. No exceptions. Everyone loved, welcome, and included—with an important part to play. Family.*

*Selah.*

*The Church—the one that God is building—is His Family.*

*Selah.*

*Pray accordingly.*

*(I recommend Ephesians 3:14-21 in The Amplified Bible. I have included a copy of this scripture passage with this letter.)*