



**Sermon Notes – September 21, 2025**

**“The Prayer of Jabez”**

**1 Chronicles 4:9-10**

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**Key Thought:** *The Prayer of Jabez shows us the simplicity and power of prayer.*

**I. Prayer is a simple *conversation* with God.**

- Something I can talk about with God this week \_\_\_\_\_

**II. Pattern of Jabez’ prayer:**

- Address: \_\_\_\_\_
- Petition: \_\_\_\_\_
- Motivation: \_\_\_\_\_

**III. Jabez’ Four Petitions (Monday’s Prayer):**

1. **Blessing** – God, I want to know Your *goodness* in my life.
2. **Expansion** – Expand my *influence* for Your purposes.
3. **Presence** – Be present to *guide* and *sustain* me in every step.
4. **Protection** – Guard my *heart* and keep me from *sin* and *evil*.

*“The pray-er needs something that only God can give.”* – Dr. Samuel E. Balentine