Sunday AM, March 9, 2025 (Flag Ceremony) Till the Whole World Knows – Romans 15:20-21

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²⁰and thus I make it my ambition to preach the gospel, not where Christ has already been named, lest I build on someone else's foundation, ²¹but as it is written, "Those who have never been told of him will see, and those who have never heard will understand."

- I. World Missions and First Baptist Church
 - A. For the last 35 years, the people of First Baptist Church have labored and fought to make world missions central to everything we do as a church.
 - B. It is up to all of you to keep the fire and passion of world missions burning in our church.
- II. Till the Whole World Knows
 - A. People must be told about Jesus because there is no salvation where the gospel of the crucified and risen Son of God is not heard and believed.

Romans 10:14-15

¹⁴How then will they call on him in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in him of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone preaching? ¹⁵And how are they to preach unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!"

Romans 1:16

¹⁶For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek.

B. The Apostle Paul had a passion to take the gospel to the utterly unreached and unengaged peoples of the world.