HAROLD IS YOUR NAME MATTHEW 6:9 / 10-27-19 / A.M.

I. FIRST, WE HALLOW GOD'S NAME WITH OUR REVERENCE.

- A. Our reverence for what about God?
 - 1. First, reverence for God's existence—Romans 1:20.
 - 2. Second, reverence for God's creative power—Gen. 1:1.
 - 3. Third, reverence for God's character—Psa. 20:7.
- B. How can we show our own reverence for God?
 - 1. First, we can show reverence toward God by our conduct—Colossian 4:5 RSV
 - 2. Second, we can also show reverence toward God by our conversation—Col. 4:6.

II. SECOND, WE HALLOW GOD'S NAME IN OUR RELATIONSHIP.

- A. When we pray "Hallowed Be Your Name" we are placing God on the throne of our lives.
 - 1. Either God is on the throne of your life.
 - 2. Or you are on the throne of your life.
 - 3. There isn't room for both of you on the throne of your life!
- B. Therefore, acknowledging that God is on the throne of our lives means that we are pledging to live that day for His glory and not our own.

III. THIRD, WE HALLOW GOD'S NAME BY OUR REFLECTION.

- A. Jesus reflected the character of his Father—John 17:6a.
- B. Paul accused the <u>Jews</u> who rejected Jesus as the Messiah of not reflecting God to others—Romans 2:24a (Isa 52:5).
- C. We are called, however, to reflect God's character—Lev. 11:44a.