**Series: Good Dirt May 14, 2023  
Message: Weeds**

Luke 8:4-15 | Matthew 6 | Mark 4:18-19 | Philippians 4:6-7 | John 14:27

A collaboration

* Farmer
* The Seed
* The Dirt (we are formed from dirt)

The Farmer’s intent: a huge harvest.

I am the caretaker of the soil of my life.

Identifying Weeds

* Cares, anxieties, and worries
* The lure of wealth and pleasure.

Pulling Weeds

* Prioritize
* Give it to God.

Get the roots out.

Removing strongholds:

* Recognize – What’s wrong?
* Root - What’s the cause?
* Repent - What hinders the work of the Holy Spirit?   
  (Pride, unforgiveness, unconfessed sin, etc.)
* Release - Cast it to the feet of Jesus.
* Receive – Freedom.

Filling the gap:

* Praise
* Gratitude
* Peace

Notes: