

**January 1<sup>st</sup> 2023**  
**John the Baptist Prepares the Way**  
**Mark 1:1- 4**

**I. The good news.**

A. This can be \_\_\_\_\_ of the Year of Our LORD 2023.

B. This is where \_\_\_\_\_ can \_\_\_\_\_ 2023, \_\_\_\_\_ the good news about Jesus Christ, the Son of God!

**II. My Messenger.**

A. Isaiah prophesied my \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.

B. We are a \_\_\_\_\_ calling out to the desert of our world.

**III. Prepare the way.**

A. We are to \_\_\_\_\_ the way for the Lord.

B. John \_\_\_\_\_ people in the desert.

C. John preached people should be \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ from their sins.