

***“The Riches of The Gospel”***  
**Romans 5:3-11**



**Music:** James Garcia and Team  
**Host:** Todd Kvamme  
**Message:** Shawn Reese

*Please pray for...*

- our sister in Christ, who will have surgery on November 11<sup>th</sup> to remove the cancerous area from her lung. May she have a successful outcome and a smooth recovery.
- my sister who has multiple myeloma cancer and has recently been moved to a skilled nursing facility as she recovers from a brain bleed from a fall. Please pray for both physical and emotional strength so she can move back to assisted living.

*We gather in worship to remind ourselves who God is, what he has done in Christ and what he is doing through his Spirit. Our desire is to praise God and receive afresh his Spirit in us, to affirm that we are family reconciled one to another and to be empowered to reach out to the world.*

**PBCC Financial Information:**

<u>General Fund</u>	<u>Received</u>	<u>Disbursed</u>	<u>Gain/(Loss)</u>
August 2024	\$218,125	\$205,120	\$13,005
12-month average	\$170,719	\$176,435	(\$ 5,716)

<u>Missions Fund</u>	<u>Received</u>	<u>Disbursed</u>
August 2024	\$ 13,651	\$ 13,928
12-month average	\$ 17,442	\$ 17,947

<u>Need Fund</u>	<u>Received</u>	<u>Disbursed</u>
August 2024	\$ 1,640	\$ 150
12-month average	\$ 2,815	\$ 1,934

**Family Life (see our website at PBCC.org for more info):**

Nov 10: **Turkey Drive**  
Nov 16: **OCC Packing Party** 12-4pm  
Nov 17: **Friendsgiving**  
Nov 25: **Thanksgiving Eve Service**  
Every Sunday: **Sunday AM Prayer Meeting** 8:30am  
Every Sunday: **Body Life in Mandarin** 10:30am  
Every 2<sup>nd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> Sunday: **Church-Wide Prayer** 7:00am  
Every Wednesday: **Intercessory Prayer** 6:30am (Zoom)



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**Call to Worship:** Based on John 4:24; 2 Corinthians 5:17-21 (NIV)

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**Scripture Reading:** Romans 5:1-11 (NIV)

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**Romans 5:3-11 (NIV)**

#### **I. Introduction: Boasting in the Cross (v 6-8)**

<sup>6</sup> You see, at just the right time, when we were still powerless, Christ died for the ungodly. <sup>7</sup> Very rarely will anyone die for a righteous person, though for a good person someone might possibly dare to die. <sup>8</sup> But God demonstrates his own love for us in this:

- While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

#### **II. Boasting in Hope (v 3-5)**

<sup>3</sup> Not only so, but we also glory in our sufferings, because we know that suffering produces perseverance; <sup>4</sup> perseverance, character; and character, hope. <sup>5</sup> And hope does not put us to shame, because God’s love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, who has been given to us.

- Suffering
- Perseverance
- Character
- Hope
- God’s love
- Holy Spirit

#### **III. Boasting in God’s Plan (v 9-11)**

<sup>9</sup> Since we have now been justified by his blood, how much more shall we be saved from God’s wrath through him! <sup>10</sup> For if, while we were God’s enemies, we were reconciled to him through the death of his Son, how much more, having been reconciled, shall we be saved through his life! <sup>11</sup> Not only is this so, but we also boast in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.

- Salvation
- Reconciliation

#### **IV. Implications**

A. We live within His love.

B. We become agents of reconciliation.