

“Tax Collectors and Sinners”
Mark 2:13–17 (NIV)



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Message: Darren Johnson

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.

Family Life (see pbcc.org for more info)

September 27: **Parenting Seminar** 10:30am
October 3: **WGBC Garage Sale** 7am – 12:00pm
October 4: **Vaccination Clinic** 9:45am -1:00pm
October 8: **Women's Bible Study Kick Off** 9:30am
2nd & 4th Sunday: **Church-wide Prayer Meeting** 8:00am
Every Sunday: **Sunday AM Prayer Meeting** 8:00am
Every Sunday: **Body Life in Mandarin** 10:30am

Call to Worship: Psalm 100 (NIV)

Scripture Reading: Joel 2:12-14 (NIV)

“Faith and Forgiveness”
Mark 2:1–12 (NIV)

Jesus Calls Levi and Eats With Sinners

¹³ Once again Jesus went out beside the lake. A large crowd came to him, and he began to teach them. ¹⁴ As he walked along, he saw Levi son of Alphaeus sitting at the tax collector's booth. “Follow me,” Jesus told him, and Levi got up and followed him.

¹⁵ While Jesus was having dinner at Levi's house, many tax collectors and sinners were eating with him and his disciples, for there were many who followed him. ¹⁶ When the teachers of the law who were Pharisees saw him eating with the sinners and tax collectors, they asked his disciples: “Why does he eat with tax collectors and sinners?”

¹⁷ On hearing this, Jesus said to them, “It is not the healthy who need a doctor, but the sick. I have not come to call the righteous, but sinners.”

Praises & Prayer Requests

Please pray for...

- Please pray that my cancer doesn't get worse from the stress of a recent and personal attack that the issue can be resolved quickly.