

“A Blessed Perseverance”
James 5:7–12 (NIV)



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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)

October 18: **How to Share Your Faith Class** 10:30am
October 18: **Worship Night & Concert** 6:30pm
October 24: **GriefShare: Surviving the Holiday** 9:30-11:30am
October 25: **Vaccination Clinic #2** 9:45am-1:00pm
October 31: **Trunk or Treat** 4:00-6:00pm
2nd & 4th Sunday: **Church-wide Prayer Meeting** 7:00am
Every Sunday: **Sunday AM Prayer Meeting** 8:30am
Every Sunday: **Body Life in Mandarin** 10:30am

Call to Worship: Lamentations 3:22–26 (NIV)

Scripture Reading: Matthew 5:1–12 (NIV)

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Patience in Suffering

⁷ Be patient, then, brothers and sisters, until the Lord’s coming. See how the farmer waits for the land to yield its valuable crop, patiently waiting for the autumn and spring rains. ⁸ You too, be patient and stand firm, because the Lord’s coming is near. ⁹ Don’t grumble against one another, brothers and sisters, or you will be judged. The Judge is standing at the door!

¹⁰ Brothers and sisters, as an example of patience in the face of suffering, take the prophets who spoke in the name of the Lord. ¹¹ As you know, we count as blessed those who have persevered. You have heard of Job’s perseverance and have seen what the Lord finally brought about. The Lord is full of compassion and mercy.

¹² Above all, my brothers and sisters, do not swear—not by heaven or by earth or by anything else. All you need to say is a simple “Yes” or “No.” Otherwise you will be condemned.

Praises & Prayer Requests

Please pray for...

- my husband to make a decision and commitment for the restoration and reconciliation of our marriage.
- my life-threatening allergy attacks to stop, and to find the correct solution. I cannot get my vaccines because of my serious and severe allergy attacks now.

Praise for...

- provision of a home for my family.