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BIG IDEA: What you _____ into your suffering will determine

_____ your suffering will _____ you.

The Truth About Suffering

1. _____. – *John 16:33*

2. Christ does not _____ you in your suffering.

– *1 Peter 1:3-6; 2 Corinthians 1:3-6; Ephesians 3:20-21*

3. You have a choice to make for _____ or _____.

– *Romans 8:28; Genesis 50:19-20*

The Hope in Suffering: Your suffering will not last _____,

but you _____. – *2 Corinthians 4:16-18*

Monday

READ: Genesis 3:16-19; Romans 6:23

REFLECT: Both Adam and Eve (and even the serpent) experienced consequences for their sin. The good news is that God provided them with coverings to hide their shame. This covering points to the future covering of Christ's sacrificial death. Thankfully, even though we deserve death, he gives us the gift of eternal life. All we have to do is take it!

RESPOND: Think about a consequence you experienced as a result of your sin. Did you view it as a form of God's love? Spend time thanking him for his discipline in your life.

Tuesday

READ: Genesis 4:1-12

REFLECT: Cain dealt with the sin of bitterness toward Abel. God warned Cain about his sin; however, Cain did not listen to this warning. He failed to control his bitterness and it grew into anger and rage, resulting in the murder of his brother, Abel. Cain refused to listen to God's warning signs and suffered as a result.

RESPOND: Are you ignoring God's warning signs in your life? Why? Spend time with God asking him to reveal any warning signs you've ignored.

Wednesday

READ: Romans 5:12-17

REFLECT: The contrast between Adam and Jesus is often made in Paul's writings. This passage is a good example. Whereas Adam brought death into the world, Jesus brings life. In short, the grace offered to us in Jesus overpowers Adam's sin. And the same is true for us today! When we sin, God's grace is greater than our sin.

RESPOND: Thank God for his grace in your life. If you are in a season of suffering, ask him to reveal how he displays his grace to you during your difficulties.

Thursday

READ: 2 Corinthians 1:3-6

REFLECT: From our own suffering, God gives us a ministry. We can be present with and comfort those who are experiencing what we've experienced. No one needs to suffer alone because those who have been down the road of suffering can provide direction to those just beginning to travel the road.

RESPOND: How has God given you this ministry? Are you using what you've gone through to comfort and help others? Remember... God does not waste our suffering.

Friday

READ: Psalm 23:4; Psalm 112:7

REFLECT: When we've gone through a period of suffering, it can be easy to live in fear of the next hard time. However, while we do not know what the future holds, our trust in God can provide us with a peace and confidence in the present.

RESPOND: Are you afraid of the future? Spend time with God and ask him to calm your heart about the future. Ask him to make you aware of his presence and peace.



Pack the Pantry!

OCTOBER 23+24, 2021

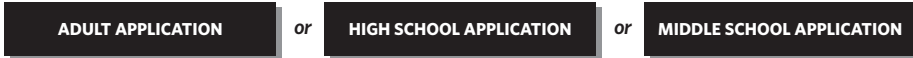
To participate, simply pick up some items from this list and bring them to our new food pantry located behind the maintenance building. If you have questions, email gomissions@pccfw.org.

Our mission in KidCity is to impact kids for Christ. We are looking for people who want to make KidCity the best hour of the week for PCC kids.

VOLUNTEER ONLINE

Apply online at: pccfw.org/ministries/children

Scroll down to "Join Our Team" and click on



and you will be directed to our ministry application.

OR FILL OUT THE FORM BELOW

If you have any questions, please contact Katie at kbrown@pccfw.org

NOTE: This form indicates your interest, not a commitment.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP: _____

BEST PHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____

GIVE US AN IDEA WHERE YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO SERVE:

- CAREGIVER (infant - age 2)
- SECURITY
- STORYTELLER/DRAMA TEAM
- SMALL GROUP LEADERS (3 years - 4th grade)
- GUEST SERVICES
- NOT SURE

Drop this form in an offering box or return it to the KidCity welcome desk in the lobby.

- BOXED CEREAL
- OATMEAL
- PANCAKE MIX & SYRUP
- POP TARTS
- MACARONI & CHEESE
- INSTANT/BOXED POTATOES
- HAMBURGER HELPER
- MANWICH
- RICE/RICE SIDES
- PASTA & PASTA SAUCE
- PASTA SIDES
- CANNED RAVIOLI
- SOUPS
- BEANS
- APPLESAUCE
- CANNED FRUIT
- CANNED VEGGIES
- CANNED BEEF & CHICKEN
- CANNED TUNA & SALMON
- SPAM
- CAKE/BROWNIE MIXES
- COOKIE/MUFFIN MIXES
- BOXED COOKIES
- CRACKERS, CHIPS, PRETZELS
- POPCORN
- GRANOLA BARS/CEREAL BARS
- JELL-O/PUDDING
- PEANUT BUTTER & JELLY
- KETCHUP
- MUSTARD
- MAYONNAISE
- SALAD DRESSINGS
- BBQ SAUCE
- GROUND COFFEE/TEA
- JUICE
- SHAMPOO/CONDITIONER
- BODY WASH
- TOOTHBRUSH/TOOTHPASTE
- DEODORANT
- FEMININE PRODUCTS
- HAND SOAP
- LAUNDRY DETERGENT
- DISH SOAP
- MULTIPURPOSE CLEANER
- TRASH BAGS
- TOILET PAPER
- TISSUES
- PAPER TOWELS
- DIAPERS/PULL-UPS
- DIAPER WIPES

ITEMS NEED TO HAVE A LONG SHELF LIFE.
Please check expiration dates; expired items will be discarded.





Ministries & Events

OCTOBER 2021

PLEASE NOTE: all events may be subject to change based on current COVID conditions. Stay tuned to pccfw.org or pccfw.events for updates.



CONNECT

CHILDREN

SUNDAYS | 9+11am

KIDCITY (Infant – 4th Grade)

✉ kbrown@pccfw.org

STUDENTS

SUNDAYS | 9+11am

PROJECT 5 (5th Grade)

✉ bbullock@pccfw.org

SUNDAYS | 9+11am

IMPULSE: DIGGING DEEPER

✉ impulse@pccfw.org

WEDNESDAYS | 6:15pm

IMPULSE (Middle School)

✉ impulse@pccfw.org

WEDNESDAYS | 7:30pm

IMPACT (High School)

✉ sdize@pccfw.org

OCT 6 | 7:30pm

IMPACT SMALL GROUP OUTINGS

✉ sdize@pccfw.org

OCT 6 | 6:15pm

IMPULSE MINUTE-TO-WIN-IT NIGHT

✉ impulse@pccfw.org

OCT 22-24

IMPULSE FALL RETREAT

✉ impulse@pccfw.org

OCT 24

NO WEEKEND IMPULSE

✉ impulse@pccfw.org

SPORTS

MONDAYS | 6:30pm
THRU OCT 25

OPEN-PLAY PICKLEBALL

✉ info@pccfw.org

MARRIAGE & PARENTING

OCT 10+17 | 9am

PARENTING FROM THE HEART CLASS

✉ hnorthington@pccfw.org

CARE & SUPPORT

TUESDAYS | 7pm

CELEBRATE RECOVERY

✉ CelebrateRecovery@pccfw.org

TUESDAYS | 7pm

DIVORCE CARE

✉ care@pccfw.org

TUESDAYS | 6:30pm

GRIEF SHARE

✉ care@pccfw.org

OCT 10 | 4pm

ANNUAL MEMORIAL SERVICE

✉ care@pccfw.org

OCT 23 | 9am

INFERTILITY & LOSS SUPPORT

✉ karambishop@gmail.com



SERVE

MISSIONS & OUTREACH

OCT 2+3 | After Services

MISSIONS FAIR

✉ gomissions@pccfw.org

OCT 2-31

HATS & GLOVES FOR SOUTHWICK

✉ gomissions@pccfw.org

OCT 10-NOV 30

GIVING TREE RECOMMENDATIONS

✉ gomissions@pccfw.org

OCT 23+24

PACK THE PANTRY

✉ gomissions@pccfw.org

OCT 24 | 6pm

SHORT-TERM MISSIONS INFO MEETING

✉ gomissions@pccfw.org

OCT 28-30

HABITAT BUILD

✉ gomissions@pccfw.org

FEATURED SERVE OPPORTUNITIES

See more opportunities at pccfw.org/serve



GO

BETHEL UNIVERSITY AT PATHWAY

OCT 7 | 6:30pm
OCT 25 | 6:30pm

STUDENT & PARENT INFO MEETINGS

✉ BethelU@pccfw.org

EVENTS

OCT 29 | 5pm
OCT 30 | 8am

CRAFT BAZAAR

✉ cward@pccfw.org

WAYS TO GIVE

- 1 Text GIVE to 1-833-568-5410
- 2 Click GIVE on pccfw.org
- 3 Drop your gift in the offering buckets or boxes
- 4 Tap GIVE on the PCC at Home app



Saturdays 5pm | Sundays 9am+11am
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Scan to get the PCC app



GROW

NEXT STEPS

OCT 23 | 6:15pm
OCT 24 | 12:15pm

INTRO

✉ mblocher@pccfw.org

OCT 24+31 | 11am

BIBLE BASICS

✉ hbuchanan@pccfw.org

NOV 7+14 | 9am

LIFE AT PATHWAY

✉ hbuchanan@pccfw.org

ADULTS

ONGOING
DAYS/TIMES VARY

LIFE GROUPS

✉ dlitwiler@pccfw.org

OCT 28 | 6:30pm

PRAYING FOR OUR ADULT CHILDREN

✉ ds5cents@frontier.com

WOMEN

MONDAYS | 9am

WOMEN'S COFFEE & CONVERSATION

✉ annebatt57@gmail.com

OCT 26 | 9am

MOM2MOM

✉ hbuchanan@pccfw.org

SINGLE ADULTS

SUNDAYS | 10:45am

SUNDAY SINGLES GROUP

✉ singles@pccfw.org

OCT 15-17

SINGLES RETREAT

✉ singles@pccfw.org

YOUNG ADULTS

(18-25 year olds)

ONGOING
DAYS/TIMES VARY

YOUNG ADULT LIFE GROUPS

✉ bvongunten@pccfw.org