



Woodland Park Community Church

We Follow Jesus and Lead Others to Follow Jesus

James: Patience and Endurance

James 5:7-12 Kirk Greenstreet
December 4, 2022

1. Be Patient and Anticipate the Coming of Jesus
 - a. First, you are to be patient
 - b. Second, you are to “Establish your hearts”
 - c. Third, you are not to grumble against one another
2. Be Steadfast and Endure through Suffering
3. Be Real with God

Small Group Questions:

Thinking about this week’s teaching, was there a particular point, verse, or comment that caught your attention, challenged you, raised a question?

According to James, why is it so important to our faith to not abandon a belief in Christ’s return and final judgment? How should this truth affect our outlook on life while we wait?

Jesus, the Judge, is standing at the door. How does this change how you live?

We all suffer and go through difficult times. According to James 5:7-12, how are we to respond to suffering and how do we live it out daily?

Is the patience that James calls for different from inactivity? Explain.

Why is faith in God’s character so crucial in our suffering? How are the prophets and Job a model for us in this regard?

What helps you remember that you are not to grumble about one another?