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September 13, 2026

Adult Sunday School: 1:30p, WCN Auditorium

Worship Service: 2:45p, WCN Auditorium

Youth Sunday School: 1:30p, WCN West Wing

Children's Sunday School: 1:30p, WCN West Wing

Praise Factory for Kids: 2:45p, WCN West Wing

Highlight

MOVE-IN DAY IS ALMOST HERE | SEPT 19 | SIGNUP TODAY

We need your help moving everything back into the Summerhill building on Saturday, September 19! Today is the last chance to signup at the table in the foyer. Thanks in advance for your help! See Pastor Rick with questions.



Upcoming Events

THANK YOU CARDS FOR WCN | TODAY | WCN FOYER

We want to express our appreciation to WCN for Graciously hosting us all these months! Please stop at the table in the foyer to fill out a thank you card.

COMMUNION SERVICE | 3RD SUNDAY, MONTHLY | WCN

WELCOME BACK TO SUMMERHILL! | SEPT 27

Our first service back at Summerhill is in just two weeks! On that day only, there will be no Sunday School, and our worship service will begin at our traditional time of 10:45 AM. *There will be no nursery or children's classes during the service*, as we want everyone (volunteers included!) together for this special Sunday. Everyone is encouraged to come as early as 9:30 AM to walk through the building, check out the new spaces, and enjoy some donuts before the service!

YOUTH GYM NIGHT | SEPT 30 | 6:30P | SUMMERHILL

PRAYER GATHERING | OCT 7 | 6:30P | SUMMERHILL

Our next corporate prayer gathering and the first one in the new auditorium will be Wednesday, October 7. [Submit your requests](#) by Tuesday, October 6.



Upcoming Events

EMPTY NESTER BRUNCH | OCT 10 | 11:15A | CCF

Ladies who are empty-nesters—or could be—this fellowship opportunity is for you! Come enjoy brunch at the local Cheesecake Factory while you get to know other PBF ladies! [Signup online](#) by Friday, October 9, to save your spot. If you're already getting the email updates from Susanna, please let her know if you plan to attend.

THIRD QUARTER MEMBERS' MEETING | OCT 18 | 6:30P

PBF Members, join us for our first meeting in the new auditorium to hear updates on ministries, membership, budget and more!

MEMBERSHIP CLASS | DEC 5 | 9A-1P | ROOM 202

New to Providence? Come hear more about what membership here means. You will also learn about our history and what makes us distinct. This prerequisite does not obligate you to join. Signup by November 29.

FALL BREAK | NOV 25 | NO WEDS EVENING ACTIVITIES

CANDLELIGHT SERVICES | DEC 24 | 4 & 5:30P | AUDITORIUM



Growth Opportunities

LADIES' FALL STUDY | FRIDAYS | 10:00A | SUMMERHILL

The ladies' fall study will discuss the book, *Overcoming Bitterness: Moving from Life's Greatest Hurts to a Life Filled with Joy* by Stephen Viars. The book can be purchased online. Child care is available. See Becky Bolser for more information.

BIBLICAL COUNSELING TRAINING, PHASE 1

Grace Covenant Church is offering biblical counseling training for those interested in becoming a biblical counselor. The training is two days a month September-November. HERE are the details. Register HERE. Let Pastor Jason know once you've registered.

YOUNG ADULTS | SEPT 29 | 6:30P | TBD | PASTOR JOHN

FALL MEN'S STUDY | FRIDAYS | 9:00A | OCTOBER 2

Friday mornings this fall, PBF will host a ten week study for men on the Fruit of the Spirit. Register on the signup portal. Questions? See Dave Doerman.



Growth Opportunities

MEN'S REVEILLE | OCT 10 | 8:00A | GYMNASIUM

Men's Reveille meets the second Saturday of each month for fellowship and prayer. Questions? See [Anthony Mele](#).

BIBLE STUDY | WEDNESDAYS | 6:30P | PBF | G. BIRDWELL

There will be an adult study on Wednesday evenings on Revelation 1-3. The start date is TBD. Watch for more info.



Service Opportunities

MUSIC MINISTRY NEED

The music ministry is looking for a drummer to join the rotation on Sunday afternoons. If you can help, see Pastor Jason.

KIDS' MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS | [Pastor John](#) or [Hannah Martell](#)

We need more assistants on Sunday afternoons in the nursery and kids classes. [Signup online](#). These roles do not require prep! We also need Wednesday evening volunteers for Mission Kids.

GREETER TRAINING | [VOLUNTEERS NEEDED](#)

New and seasoned greeters, please watch the [training video](#) and follow-up with [Dave Felcyn](#) or [Pastor John](#) with any questions. We are always ready to take on more greeters! It's an easy way for members to serve.

SECURITY TEAM VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

If you'd be interested in serving on the security team, see [Rick Jones](#) or [Matt Wheeler](#). We could use at least 4-5 more men on Sunday afternoons.



Good to Know

COFFEE WITH A COUNSELOR

The Biblical Counseling Ministry is offering "Coffee with a Counselor," an opportunity for a low-key, informal conversation about whatever is on your mind. [Sign-up](#) on our website.

PBF DIRECTORY

Please check the directory periodically to see if it needs updating with a new child, photo, address, email or phone number. These can be edited through the app.

MEMBERSHIP CLASSES

If you'd like to know more about PBF and what it means to be a member here, this prerequisite class is the place to find out! Watch the bulletin and/or church calendar for upcoming dates and times.

NURSING MOM'S ROOM

There is a room available for nursing mother's at WCN. It is located down the west hallway on your left (marked 'prayer room'. See any deacon to direct you there.



Sermon Notes

Title: The Believer's Eager Longing - Pastor Greg Birdwell

Text: Roman 8:23-25

Next Week's Passage, for Preparation: 1 Timothy 6:11-21

Outline:

1. Our _____ has caused us to long for the fullness.

2. Our _____ implies the greatness of the unseen.
