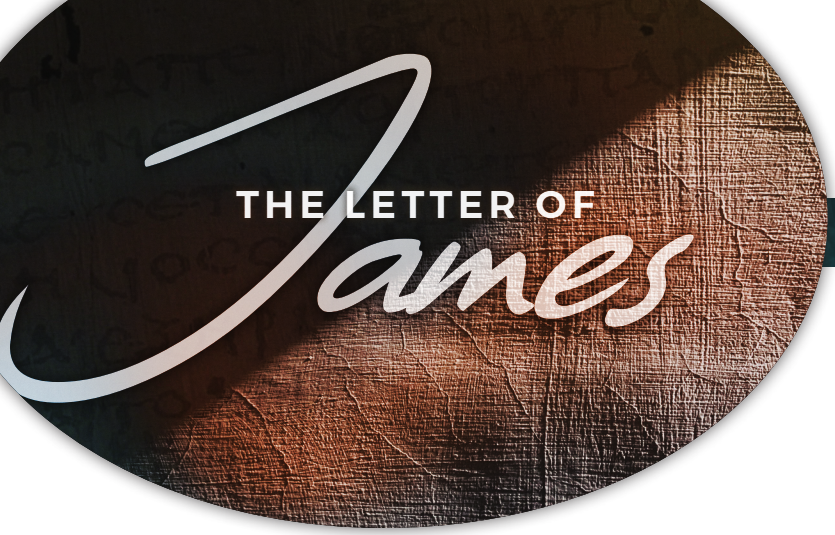


NOVEMBER 15, 2026

Faithful While We Wait

JAMES 5:7-11

Central Truth:
Because Christ is coming again, we can remain faithful through life's difficulties, trusting in His compassion and mercy.

1. Be Patient (verse 7)

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Application _____

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Faithfulness is our responsibility. The harvest belongs to God.

2. Stand Firm (verse 8)

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We can have a settled heart even when we don't have settled circumstances.

3. Don't Grumble (verse 9)

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A patient faith should produce patient relationships.

4. Remain Faithful (verse 10)

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Our circumstances do not change our calling.

5. Trust God's Goodness (verse 11)

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When we cannot understand God's purposes, we can still trust God's character.

Closing Truth:
The Lord is compassionate and merciful.
Our hope rests not in our own strength, but in the faithfulness of the One who has promised to return.

Three Questions for Today:

1. What do you need to entrust to God?

2. What needs to change in your heart?

3. Are you ready for the Lord's return?