From *BELIEVE* … “One virtue that is most evident when it is missing is patience. We all have stress triggers-the proverbial buttons that when pushed caused us to lose our patience. Some of these triggers are other people. The way they act, move, or even look can set us off. Then there are those triggers of circumstances. We are too busy; we have a wayward family member who is making destructive choices; we suffer from a physical condition or a lingering illness. But if we long to be like Jesus, becoming a more patient person is nonnegotiable. So how does God provide the help **we need to deal with stress?”**

Sermon Notes

Patience

John 5:1-15 (Proverbs 14:29)

(Page 742 in the Pew Bible)

**Key Question**

* How does God provide the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ I need to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with stress?

**Key Idea**

* I am \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and endure patiently under the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ pressures of life

**Who Am I Becoming?**

* I am becoming a Christian who is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Patience is the Greek word \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
	+ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is a combination of two Greek words that mean \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
	+ The KJV \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and the 2011 NIV \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ are a better word picture
* The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of patience teaches me to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ all of life’s situations and pressures
* Am I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to grow in patience?

Each week of *BELIEVE* we ask that you read one chapter in preparation for the next Sunday. Please read Chapter 27 for next Sunday September 30th.