

2022–2023 CHARACTER TRAITS

AUG/SEPT	BIBLE TIMELINE	<p>"You study the Scriptures diligently because you think that in them you have eternal life. These are the very Scriptures that testify about me." John 5:39</p>
OCT	<p>RESPECT Honoring what God says is true about Himself, others, and me</p>	<p>"Respect everyone, and love your Christian brothers and sisters. Fear God, and respect the king." 1 Peter 2:17</p>
NOV	<p>FEAR Having the right view of God's perfect authority, justice, and grace</p>	<p>"And now, Israel, what does the LORD your God require of you? He requires only that you fear the LORD your God, and live in a way that pleases Him, and love Him and serve Him with all your heart and soul." Deuteronomy 10:12</p>
DEC	<p>FAITH Trusting in God, His Word, and His Promises</p>	<p>"Faith is the confidence that what we hope for will actually happen; it gives us assurance about things we cannot see." Hebrews 11:1</p>
JAN	<p>RIGHTEOUSNESS Being declared right in God's sight and living in a way that honors Him</p>	<p>"May you always be filled with the fruit of your salvation – the righteous character produced in your life by Jesus Christ – for this will bring much glory and praise to God." Philippians 1:11</p>
FEB	<p>JOY Delighting in God in all circumstances</p>	<p>"Always be full of joy in the Lord. I say it again – rejoice!" Philippians 4:4</p>
MAR	<p>PEACE An untroubled heart that comes from trusting God</p>	<p>"I am leaving you with a gift—peace of mind and heart. And the peace I give is a gift the world cannot give. So don't be troubled or afraid." John 14:27</p>
APR	<p>GOODNESS A heart that reflects the excellent character of God</p>	<p>"A good person produces good things from the treasury of a good heart, and an evil person produces evil things from the treasury of an evil heart. What you say flows from what is in your heart." Luke 6:45</p>
MAY	<p>HUMILITY Living with the right understanding of who God is, who I am, and who you are</p>	<p>"Don't be selfish; don't try to impress others. Be humble, thinking of others as better than yourselves. Don't look out only for your own interests, but take an interest in others, too." Philippians 2:3-4</p>
JUNE	<p>DILIGENCE Consistently working with all my heart to bring glory to God</p>	<p>"So, my dear brothers and sisters, be strong and immovable. Always work enthusiastically for the Lord, for you know that nothing you do for the Lord is ever useless." 1 Corinthians 15:58</p>
JULY	<p>WISDOM An understanding of God's truth that guides my actions</p>	<p>"But the wisdom from above is first of all pure. It is also peace loving, gentle at all times, and willing to yield to others. It is full of mercy and the fruit of good deeds. It shows no favoritism and is always sincere." James 3:17</p>