

You Are Blessed

Blessed are the Persecuted

1. Welcome and Testimonies: 15 minutes

- **Welcome (5 minutes)**
- **Testimonies (10 minutes)**

Particularly share if you have experienced making peace, or bringing reconciliation with someone in the past week.

2. Worship: 10 minutes

- o **Song 1:** [خوش به حال](#)
- o **Song 2:** [خداوندا تو آگاهی](#)

3. Engaging in the Word of God: 15 minutes

- **Question before the message (10 minutes)**

* Question 1: What experience have you had of suffering, persecution, or threats because of your faith in Jesus? How did you feel about it?

- **Reading the Bible (5 minutes)**

* Passage: [Matthew 5: 10 - 12](#)

4. Message: 15 minutes

- **Video:** [خوشا به حال آزار دیدگان](#)

5. Application: 25 minutes

- **Question after the message (10 minutes)**

* Question 1: : In response to the message today, why can you say "I am blessed"? (responses could include suffering shows that I am in the will of God, God wants me to be a witness, I will mature through these troubles)

* Question 2: What will give us comfort through persecution and suffering? (responses could include knowing God is with me - Isaiah 43:2-3, Matt. 10:20)

- **Prayer, worship, and intercession (15 minutes)**

* Song: [تو به یادم هستی](#)

- **What will we do between now and next week?**