

Oct. Memory Verse: "And without faith it is impossible to please him, for whoever would draw near to God must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who seek him." **Hebrews 11:6**

Series: Jesus Gives Better Faith (29)

Title: Jesus Gives Better Faith: Faith in Life and Death

Scripture: Hebrews 11:32-40

- 1. God works through saving faith alone regardless of how "good" or "bad" we have been. (Heb. 11:32-34)
 - a. Faith is sealed in trusting and acting on gospel truth. (Heb. 11:2, 4-6)
 - b. Faith involves Action & Attitude. (Matt. 11:28-29)
 - c. We cannot lead double lives and expect to experience the blessing of God. (Gal. 6:7-8)
- 2. God gives saving and sustaining faith through His Word and His Spirit, we do not conjure it up on our own. (Heb. 11:32-34)
- 3. Saving and sustaining faith is always tested and challenged. (Heb. 11:35-38)
 - a. It takes more faith to endure than it does to escape. (Heb. 11:35)
 - b. Faith trusts God and obeys Him even when He does not deliver us from death. (Dan. 3:16-18)
- 4. Saving and sustaining faith will conquer in the end. (Heb. 11:39-40)
 - a. We look to the promised reward, just like the people of faith who came before us.