



## SERMON NOTES

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Scripture: Hebrews 11:1-3 (NAS)

Topic: "Faith Is. . ."

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- 1 Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen.
- 2 For by it the men of old gained approval.
- 3 By faith we understand that the worlds were prepared by the word of God, so that what is seen was not made out of things which are visible.

### **I. FAITH IS NOT FULLY DEFINED HERE**

A. The Righteous Live By Faith *Habakkuk 2:4*

B. Saved By Faith *Ephesians 2:8,9*

C. Justified By Faith *Romans 3:38*

D. Faith Involves:

1. Trust *Proverbs 3:5*

2. Truth

3. Love *Ephesians 4:15*

### **II. THE NATURE OF FAITH**

A. Objective *Hebrews 11:1 KJV NKJV Hebrews 1:3*

B. Subjective *Hebrews 11:1 NAS NIV ESB*

C. Faith Allows Us To See The Reality Of God And His Promises

### **III. BY FAITH WE GAIN APPROVAL WITH GOD** *Hebrews 11:24-26*

A. We Are Call To Believe *Acts 16:31*

B. He Spoke And It Was Created

C. Man Foolishly Rejects God's Creating Power *Psalms 14:1*

*Is your faith solidly placed in the living God?*