

# Children's memory work for 1st quarter (March – May) Hebrews 11:1-13, 16

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<b>Week 1—Hebrews 11:1-2 (to be quoted on March 3)</b>		
<p><sup>1</sup> <i>Now faith is the substance of <b>things hoped for</b>, the evidence of things not seen.</i></p> <p><sup>2</sup> <i>For by it the elders obtained a good report.</i></p>	<p><sup>1</sup> <i>Now faith is the assurance of things <b>hoped for</b>, the conviction of things not seen.</i></p> <p><sup>2</sup> <i>For by it the men of old gained approval.</i></p>	<p><sup>1</sup> <i>Now faith is the assurance of things <b>hoped for</b>, the conviction of things not seen.</i></p> <p><sup>2</sup> <i>For by it the people of old received their commendation.</i></p>
<b>Week 2—Hebrews 11:3 (to be quoted on March 10)</b>		
<p><sup>3</sup> <i>Through faith we understand that the worlds were framed by the word of God, so that <b>things which are seen were not made of things which do appear.</b></i></p>	<p><sup>3</sup> <i>By faith we understand that the worlds were prepared by the word of God, so that <b>what is seen was not made out of things which are visible.</b></i></p>	<p><sup>3</sup> <i>By faith we understand that the universe was created by the word of God, so that <b>what is seen was not made out of things that are visible.</b></i></p>
<b>Week 3—Hebrews 11:4 (to be quoted on March 17)</b>		
<p><sup>4</sup> <i>By faith Abel offered unto God a <b>more excellent sacrifice than Cain</b>, by which he obtained witness that he was righteous, God testifying of his gifts: and by it he being dead yet speaketh.</i></p>	<p><sup>4</sup> <i>By faith Abel offered to God a <b>better sacrifice than Cain</b>, through which he obtained the testimony that he was righteous, God testifying about his gifts, and through faith, though he is dead, he still speaks.</i></p>	<p><sup>4</sup> <i>By faith Abel offered to God a <b>more acceptable sacrifice than Cain</b>, through which he was commended as righteous, God commending him by accepting his gifts. And through his faith, though he died, he still speaks.</i></p>
<b>Week 4—Hebrews 11:5 (to be quoted on March 24)</b>		
<p><sup>5</sup> <i>By faith Enoch was translated that he should not see death; and was not found, because God had translated him: for before his translation he <b>had this testimony, that he pleased God.</b></i></p>	<p><sup>5</sup> <i>By faith Enoch was taken up so that he would not see death; and he was not found because God took him up; for he <b>obtained the witness that before his being taken up he was pleasing to God.</b></i></p>	<p><sup>5</sup> <i>By faith Enoch was taken up so that he should not see death, and he was not found, because God had taken him. Now before he was taken he <b>was commended as having pleased God.</b></i></p>
<b>Week 5—Hebrews 11:6 (to be quoted on March 31)</b>		
<p><sup>6</sup> <i>But without faith it is impossible to please him: for he that cometh to God must believe that he is, and that he is a rewarder of them that diligently seek him.</i></p>	<p><sup>6</sup> <i>And without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is and that He is a rewarder of those who seek Him.</i></p>	<p><sup>6</sup> <i>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.</i></p>
<b>Week 6—Hebrews 11:7 (to be quoted on April 7)</b>		
<p><sup>7</sup> <i>By faith Noah, being warned of God of things not seen as yet, moved with fear, <b>prepared an ark to the saving of his house</b>; by the which he condemned the world, and became heir of the righteousness which is by faith.</i></p>	<p><sup>7</sup> <i>By faith Noah, being warned by God about things not yet seen, in reverence <b>prepared an ark for the salvation of his household</b>, by which he condemned the world, and became an heir of the righteousness which is according to faith.</i></p>	<p><sup>7</sup> <i>By faith Noah, being warned by God concerning events as yet unseen, in reverent fear <b>constructed an ark for the saving of his household</b>. By this he condemned the world and became an heir of the righteousness that comes by faith.</i></p>
<b>Week 7—Hebrews 11:8 (to be quoted on April 14)</b>		
<p><sup>8</sup> <i>By faith Abraham, when he was called to go out into a place which he should after receive for an inheritance, obeyed; and he <b>went out, not knowing whither he went.</b></i></p>	<p><sup>8</sup> <i>By faith Abraham, when he was called, obeyed by going out to a place which he was to receive for an inheritance; and he <b>went out, not knowing where he was going.</b></i></p>	<p><sup>8</sup> <i>By faith Abraham obeyed when he was called to go out to a place that he was to receive as an inheritance. And he <b>went out, not knowing where he was going.</b></i></p>

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<b>Week 8—Hebrews 11:9 (to be quoted on April 21)</b>		
<i><sup>9</sup> By faith he sojourned in the land of <b>promise, as in a strange country</b>, dwelling in tabernacles with Isaac and Jacob, the heirs with him of the same promise:</i>	<i><sup>9</sup> By faith he lived as an alien in the <b>land of promise, as in a foreign land</b>, dwelling in tents with Isaac and Jacob, fellow heirs of the same promise;</i>	<i><sup>9</sup> By faith he went to live in the <b>land of promise, as in a foreign land</b>, living in tents with Isaac and Jacob, heirs with him of the same promise.</i>
<b>Week 9—Hebrews 11:10 (to be quoted on April 28)</b>		
<i><sup>10</sup> For he looked for a city which hath foundations, <b>whose builder and maker is God.</b></i>	<i><sup>10</sup> for he was looking for the city which has foundations, <b>whose architect and builder is God.</b></i>	<i><sup>10</sup> For he was looking forward to the city that has foundations, <b>whose designer and builder is God.</b></i>
<b>Week 10—Hebrews 11:11 (to be quoted on May 5)</b>		
<i><sup>11</sup> Through faith also Sara herself <b>received strength to conceive seed</b>, and was delivered of a child when she was past age, because she judged him faithful who had promised.</i>	<i><sup>11</sup> By faith even Sarah herself <b>received ability to conceive</b>, even beyond the proper time of life, since she considered Him faithful who had promised.</i>	<i><sup>11</sup> By faith Sarah herself <b>received power to conceive</b>, even when she was past the age, since she considered him faithful who had promised.</i>
<b>Week 11—Hebrews 11:12 (to be quoted on May 12)</b>		
<i><sup>12</sup> Therefore sprang there even of one, and him as good as dead, <b>so many as the stars of the sky in multitude</b>, and as the sand which is by the sea shore innumerable.</i>	<i><sup>12</sup> Therefore there was born even of one man, and him as good as dead at that, <b>as many descendants as the stars of heaven</b> in number, and innumerable as the sand which is by the seashore.</i>	<i><sup>12</sup> Therefore from one man, and him as good as dead, were born <b>descendants as many as the stars of heaven</b> and as many as the innumerable grains of sand by the seashore.</i>
<b>Week 12—Hebrews 11:13 (to be quoted on May 19)</b>		
<i><sup>13</sup> <b>These all died in faith</b>, not having received the promises, but having seen them afar off, and were persuaded of them, and embraced them, <b>and confessed that they were strangers and pilgrims on the earth.</b></i>	<i><sup>13</sup> <b>All these died in faith</b>, without receiving the promises, but having seen them and having welcomed them from a distance, and <b>having confessed that they were strangers and exiles on the earth.</b></i>	<i><sup>13</sup> <b>These all died in faith</b>, not having received the things promised, but having seen them and greeted them from afar, and <b>having acknowledged that they were strangers and exiles on the earth.</b></i>
<b>Week 13— Hebrews 11:16 (to be quoted on May 26)</b>		
<i><sup>16</sup> <b>But now they desire a better country, that is, an heavenly:</b> wherefore God is not ashamed to be called their God: for he hath prepared for them a city.</i>	<i><sup>16</sup> <b>But as it is, they desire a better country, that is, a heavenly one.</b> Therefore God is not ashamed to be called their God; for He has prepared a city for them.</i>	<i><sup>16</sup> <b>But as it is, they desire a better country, that is, a heavenly one.</b> Therefore God is not ashamed to be called their God, for he has prepared for them a city.</i>

Dear Parents,

Scripture memory plays an important role in the discipleship of our children, and our desire with this memory schedule is to assist you with a tool you may find helpful. For this quarter of children's Sunday School (March – May), we will focus our weekly memory work on verses from Hebrews 11. This record of saints who lived by faith correlates with our church's reading of *The Pilgrim's Progress* this year.

If your children participate, feel free to choose a Bible version for them. The teachers are prepared to hear recitation from the KJV, NASB, or ESV. You may also determine how much of the verse they are able to handle. For example, the **bolded portions** of the verses may be appropriate portions for the 2–5 year-old classes. Should you ever need them, the verses are posted online at <https://www.mountcalvarybaptist.org/children>.

Thank you,  
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