

# Faith is trusting in what you can't see because of what you can see.

## DAY 1

### Read Hebrews 10:23

Have you ever played Tug-of-War at field day? What's the most important thing to do? Don't let go of the rope! But it's not enough to just hold on to the rope. What should you do with your feet? Plant them as firmly as you can! If everyone on your team holds onto the rope, plants their feet, and pulls with all their might, you have a much better chance of winning!

Just like you need teammates to help you win at Tug-of-War, God doesn't expect you to live out your faith on your own. God knows that our faith combined with the faith of others can make an even bigger difference in the world around us. We can hold onto the hope of what Jesus has done for us together because God is faithful and will never let us down.

### Pray For Faith

Name some people in your family or your small group at church who encourage you to have faith. Take some time today to pray for the people on your list, that God would make their faith even stronger!

## DAY 2

### Read Hebrews 10:24

#### Stir It Up

Do you have some Kool Aid or drink mix in your kitchen? With an adult's permission, fill a glass with water, pour in some drink mix and stir it up. Now, take a sip. Delicious, right? Those two things combined, drink mix and water, were better together.

Guess what? As a believer of Jesus, you can do lots of good things. You can show love to people around you in so many different ways. But imagine how much more you could do alongside other followers of Jesus! You should always be looking for ways to encourage or stir up one another to love.

Think about the people you named yesterday that you prayed for. How could you encourage them to love and do more good? What could you do together to show others Jesus' love?



## Read Hebrews 10:25

Do you remember the pandemic days? We stayed home. A lot. You may have even watched church services online with your family. What's the difference between watching a video of church and actually being in a church building? Unscramble the word below for the answer.

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The difference is people! Meeting together gives us the chance to pray together, play games to learn something new, listen to the Bible story, participate in worship, and talk about what it all means. The writer of Hebrews wants us to keep meeting together to encourage each other. Because our faith is stronger together.

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### Talk About It

Find a time to sit down with your family, read Hebrews 10:25, and ask:

1. What was church like during the pandemic?
2. Why do we go to church? Do we attend regularly? Why or why not?
3. What is the benefit of doing church with others? What could we do to make this a priority in our family?

*Answer key: People*

## Read 1 Corinthians 3:9

What does your church building look like? Does it have a big sign out front or a steeple? Does it have big stained-glass windows? Does your church meet in a school or a movie theater? Are you picturing your church in your mind right now?

What if I told you that church isn't really a building? The church is actually people. You are part of the church.

The church building is the place where you gather. The important stuff, the stuff that can actually change the world and lead others to follow God happens when you step outside the walls. Our faith is stronger when we work together outside its walls to make a difference in the world around us.



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