

**October 12, 2025 – Questions to Discuss and Consider at Home or in Small Group**

**“Faith That Pleases God” – Hebrews 10:32-11:6**

**Questions for Younger Ones (ages 5-18) to Answer from the Text:**

1. What hard struggles did early Jewish Christians face (10:32-34)?
2. What brings great reward to believers (10:35)?
3. What did these Jewish Christians need (10:36a)?
4. What happens if Christians stay faithful to Christ (10:36b)?
5. How are God’s people to live (10:37-38a)?
6. In what does the LORD take no pleasure (10:38b)?
7. What is the essence of faith (11:1)?
8. Who were attested and commended for their faith (11:2)?
9. What does faith enable us to understand about the world (11:3)?
10. Which two ancient people were commended for their faith (11:4-5)?
11. What is required to please God (11:6a)?
12. What two convictions must those who have faith in God possess (11:6b)?

**Questions for Reflection and Discussion:**

13. How does faith operate in the acquisition of knowledge?
14. Where should the pursuit of knowledge start?
15. What is meant by describing faith as “assurance” and “conviction”?
16. Do people that deny God exists have faith?
17. Which comes first: faith or regeneration? Please explain.
18. What makes the Word of God produce faith in someone?
19. Can saving faith ever entertain any doubts? Why or why not?

20. What are the central aspects of saving faith?
21. In what ways do people in the Church misunderstand or distort faith today?
22. Does God have faith? Explain.
23. Some contemporary philosophies and ideas posit that it is not essential as to *what* one believes. What is necessary is *that* one believes something (e.g. Existentialism). Critique this viewpoint.
24. What Old Testament contest demonstrated the true object of faith that is real and powerful in ultimate issues of life?
25. Share a time when your faith felt weak.
26. What can you do to make your faith stronger?