



Wednesday, November 1st – December 27th, 2017:

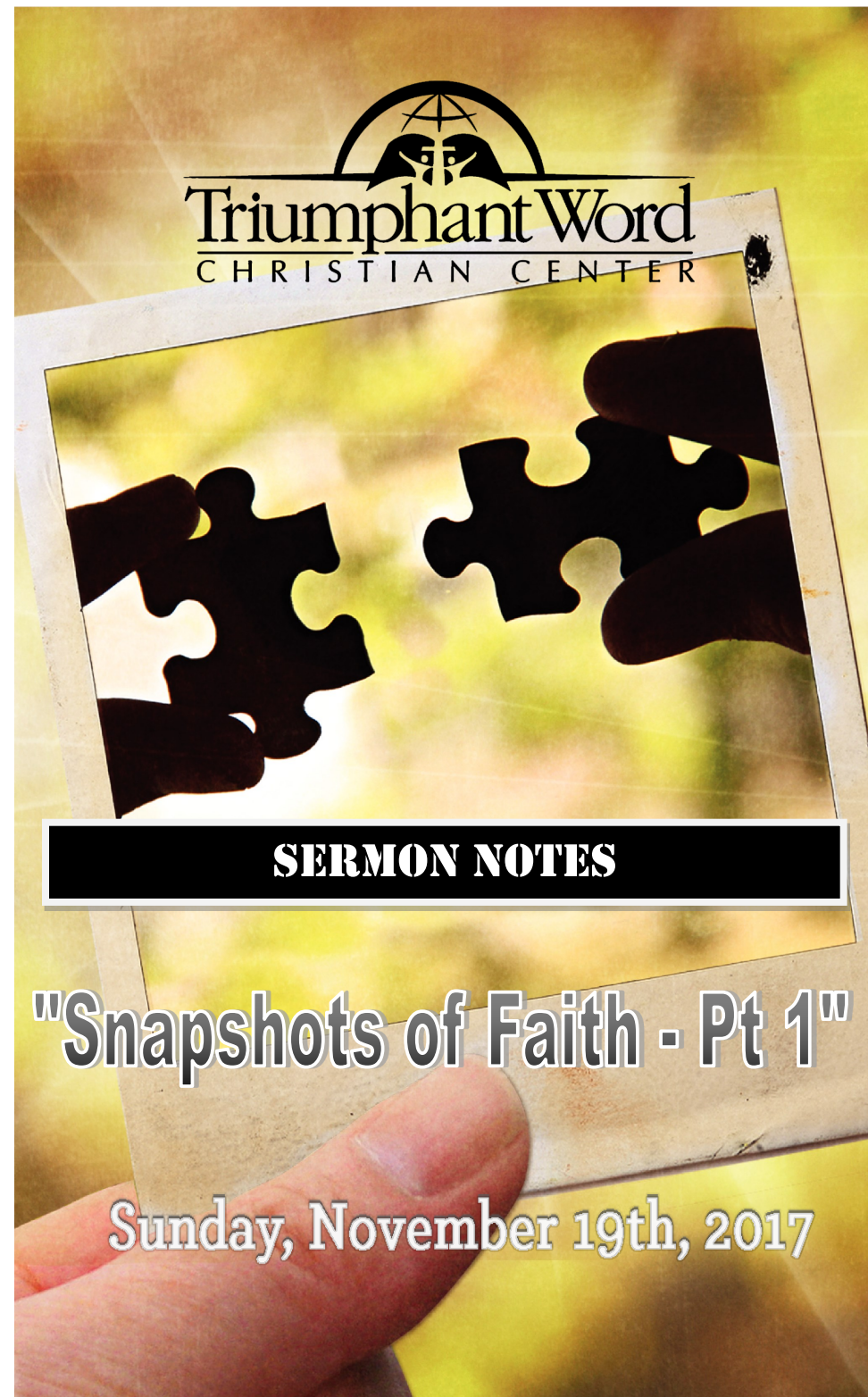
Location: Residence Inn San Antonio Sea World (Meeting Room) – 2838 Cinema Ridge, San Antonio, Texas 78238

Service Time: 7:00am – 8:20pm (Room from 6:00pm – 9:00pm; [Pre-Service Prayer: 6:15pm – 6:45pm])

Sunday, November 12th – December 31st, 2017:

Location: Holiday Inn Northwest – Sea World (Worship Service in Terra Room and SKA Children’s Church in Canyon Boardroom) – 10135 State Highway 151, San Antonio, Texas 78251

Service Time: 10:30am – 12:00noon; SKA: Yes (Rooms from 9:00am – 1:00pm [Pre-Service Prayer: 9:50am – 10:15am])



SERMON NOTES

"Snapshots of Faith - Pt 1"

Sunday, November 19th, 2017



"SNAPSHOTS OF FAITH" NOTES:

REACH
Reach the unsaved and un-churched!

RAISE
Raise and make disciples, followers of Jesus!

RELATE
Connect and care in love with one another!

REVOLUTIONIZE
Impact our Community and City for Christ!



Sermon: "Snapshots of Faith - Part 1" Sunday, November 19th, 2017

Hebrews 11:1 - 7 (NKJV) - *"¹Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen. ²For by it the elders obtained a good testimony. ³By faith we understand that the worlds were framed by the word of God, so that the things which are seen were not made of things which are visible. ⁴By faith Abel offered to God a more excellent sacrifice than Cain, through which he obtained witness that he was righteous, God testifying of his gifts; and through it he being dead still speaks. ⁵By faith Enoch was taken away so that he did not see death, "and was not found, because God had taken him"; ⁶for before he was taken he had this testimony, that he pleased God. ⁷But 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 diligently seek Him. ⁸By faith Noah, being divinely warned of things not yet seen, moved with godly fear, prepared an ark for the saving of his household, by which he condemned the world and became heir of the righteousness which is according to faith."*

- Faith is very vital to our walk as Christians. **FAITH IS AN ACT! FAITH IS OUR BELIEF IN ACTION! FAITH IS AN EXPRESSION OF OUR CONFIDENCE IN GOD AND HIS WORD. FAITH IS AN ACT MOTIVATED BY THE WORD OF GOD. FAITH OPENS THE DOOR TO THE SUPERNATURAL!**
- **FAITH IS...** (1) A _____ Force (2) God's _____ Power and (3) the _____ of things hoped for and the evidence not seen.
- Faith can grow or stay stagnant. Faith grows by (1) _____ it and (2) _____ it.

LAYING THE FOUNDATION: Hebrews 1:1 (NKJV)

- In church circles, _____ is one of those words used a lot, and in many different ways. But for many people, _____ isn't something they have been able to figure out in terms of how it affects them or applies to their life.
- One of the most intensive portions of Scripture about FAITH is Hebrews 11. Any time friends, God takes a truth and devotes so much attention to it, He is trying to get the point across to us clearly.
- **HEBREWS 11 IS ONE SUCH PASSAGE; IT IS A LONG DIALOGUE ON THE SUBJECT OF FAITH WHERE GOD ILLUSTRATES FAITH AGAIN AND AGAIN.** Faith backdrop is Hebrews 10, like the backdrop of jewelry is black, matte pad. This creates the optimal contrast so that the jewelry is as shiny, glittery, and bright as it can be. His backdrop is as important as the item he is showing. The writer of Hebrews sets the same contrast between **Hebrews 10 and 11**. He uses the second half of Hebrews 10 to act as the black pad to set the jewel we call **"The Faith Chapter"** to show off its brilliance. **Hebrews 10:32 - 11:1 (NKJV) Hebrews 10:32 - 39** teaches us some key insights into FAITH that would be negligent to ignore. Let's list some of these key insights:

- (1) **Faith is not _____.** *"But recall the former days in which, after you were illuminated, you **endured a great struggle with sufferings,**" - **Hebrews 10:32 (NKJV).** Anyone who tries to propagate the idea that walking in faith, having faith in God, or being a person of faith will somehow be a smooth road without conflict is not being honest.*
- (2) **There will be people who _____ down on your faith.** **Hebrews 10:33 (NKJV)**
- (4) **Faith gets you through the _____ times.** **Hebrews 10:34 (NKJV)**
- (4) **Don't _____ on your faith no matter what.** **Hebrews 10:35 (NKJV)**

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