



Sunday, October 4th, 2020

NEW Sermon Series: "The Spirit of Faith"

TWCC Sermon Connection Outline: "Faith as a SERVANT"

2 Corinthians 4:13 (KJV) - "We having **the same spirit of faith**, according as it is written, I believed, and therefore have I spoken; we also believe, and therefore speak."

- Notice here that the Apostle Paul, didn't just say 'I have it', but 'We have it'. He quotes from David the king... **Psalms 116:10 (KJV)** - "I believed, therefore have I spoken: I was greatly afflicted."
- But the Spirit of _____ is not for people who don't want to do _____!
- The Spirit of _____ is for people who dare to believe God in the face of _____, _____ and _____.
- **Psalms 116:10 [AMPC]** - "I believed (trusted in, relied on, and clung to my God), and therefore have I spoken [even when I said], I am greatly afflicted."
- Friends, this season and this hour, our Father God wants us to rise up in _____, stir up and step up our _____! We have to _____ our faith to new levels in order to take new territories!
- The _____ of faith will be taught; but the _____ of faith must be caught! The Spirit of _____ affects every area of your life.

TWO NECESSARY INGREDIENTS OF THE SPIRIT OF FAITH:

2 Corinthians 4:13 (NLT) - "But we continue to preach because we have the same kind of faith the psalmist had when he said, "I believed in God, so I spoke."

- Paul, by the Holy Spirit, gives us two necessary ingredients to the spirit of faith: **(1)** _____ and **(2)** _____.
- The door to the Supernatural swings on these two hinges: _____ and _____.
- _____ is the _____ of faith. An attitude of _____ in God and in His Word.
- _____ is the essential _____ of faith.
- Friends, we can either choose _____, _____ and _____, or we can choose to have an _____ of faith and _____ in faith.
- **Even in the middle of adversity, your _____ will get you to your destination.** Your _____ will bring the manifestation of healing and deliverance. Your _____ will make you whole and keep you whole!
- **1 John 5:4 (NLT)** - "For every child of God defeats this evil world, and we achieve this victory through our faith."
- Your _____ level determines your _____ level!

- God will get you to your destination, your deliverance and your new territories if you _____ a spirit of faith.
- You will have to _____ to the mountains and _____ your attitudes. You have the choice to _____ and _____ what God says about you. You have the choice to be happy on the way to your divine destiny.
- **Read Mark 11:22 - 24 (NKJV)**
 - **BELIEVE** = Where? In your _____ (SPIRIT); don't _____ where? In your _____ (SPIRIT).
 - **SPEAK / SAY** = Three times: **(1st)** _____ of faith **(2nd)** your expressed _____ of faith and **(3rd)** Holding to and maintaining your _____ of faith.
- **Read Matthew 17:20 (NKJV)**
- Unbelief is ugly and ungodly! **Two types of unbelief: (1) _____ or (2) LACK OF PERSUASION (UNPERSUADED) TO ACT (DISOBEDIENCE).**
- All doubt, unbelief, unforgiveness and offense are _____ based and _____ dependent. They are self-centered rather than God-inside-minded. Fear tolerated is faith _____. We much judge ourselves at the Table and Altar of the Lord and tell ourselves before the Lord:
- We must willingly and obediently _____ in obedience to Jesus' command in **Mark 11:25 (NKJV)** - **"And whenever you stand praying, if you have anything against anyone, forgive him, that your Father in heaven may also forgive you your trespasses."** Why is this important? **Because your faith won't work if you don't _____.** Our _____ walk is determined by our _____ walk! Our _____ level will never outgrow or exceed beyond our _____ level!
- _____ breaks your _____. Your focus on BELIEVING and your focus on SPEAKING in faith. Latin root word for frustration is *frustari*, which means **"to deceive or disappoint."** **A _____ is a demonic attempt to deceive you that a _____ or _____ from God is not going to come to pass in your life.** The enemy _____ us through _____. **Proverbs 13:12 (NKJV)** - "Hope deferred make the heart sick; but when the desire comes, it is a tree of life."
- Today, we must work on our _____ and our _____ in faith as we partake of Communion. We must submit and commit before God that we will walk and live by faith. **2 Corinthians 5:7 (NKJV)** - "For we walk by faith, not by sight." (**Galatians 3:11b** - "...the just shall live by faith.")
- We must consecrate ourselves to _____ a spirit of faith! The Spirit of Faith is an **attitude of expectation and dependency** upon God and upon the Word of God.
- **WHEN I BELIEVE AND I SPEAK IT OPENS THE DOOR TO THE SUPERNATURAL; AND WHEN I BELIEVE AND WHEN I SPEAK THE SPIRIT OF FAITH IS WORKING!**

FAITH WORKING AS A SERVANT:

Read Luke 17:5 - 9 (NKJV)

- In response to His disciples' request to increase their faith, (Vs 5), Jesus made it clear to His staff they didn't need any more faith.
- He simply told them to _____ - to plant or use - the faith they already had. **FAITH IS THE SERVANT OF THE BELIEVER.** It is the _____ of the believers' faith to _____ what we _____ it to do. Our faith has been given to us by God to _____, in His Name, to meet our every need and to stand against all the fiery arrows and storms of the curse.
- _____ are expected to do the will of their masters or employers; their _____ is not a favor but a required _____. **In other words, Our FAITH in God and faith in the Word of God will WORK for us WHEN we put it WORK and keep it WORKING!** We must put our _____ to work instead of letting our _____ and _____ continue to work. (**Read Luke 17:1 - 6 (KJV)**).
- The Spirit of Faith as a _____ helps to take the _____ out of you and put _____ in you! As a _____ faith takes you into **new territories and possibilities** in Lord!