



GROWTH GROUP SERMON CURRICULUM

HERO | July 21, 2019 | Hebrews 11:34, Judges 6-7.

"Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen." –Hebrews 11:1

FROM THE TEXT

- Read Hebrews 11:34 and Judges chapters 6 and 7. Is this a familiar or an unfamiliar story for you? If you had to pull out one truth you could apply to your life from these 2 chapters what would that be?
- One of the main themes in judges is verse 17:6 and 21:25. Look up those verses. Do you see this theme being lived out in Gideon's life as a judge? Why or why not?

FROM THE SERMON

- Pastor Andrew gave 3 application points that we can observe from the life of Gideon: 1) We should take all our fears to God. 2) We should trust in God's faithfulness. 3) We should obey God despite our fear. Which of these 3 do you struggle with the most and why? Which one of these 3 do you think that Gideon struggled the most with?
- Have you ever thought about taking your fears and anxieties to God in prayer as displaying your faith? If not, how have you traditionally viewed what displaying your faith looks like?

FOR YOUR LIFE | APPLICATION | ACCOUNTABILITY

- What is so difficult about admitting our fears and taking them to God? What happens when we do take our fears to God for help? Look up Philippians 4:6-7.
- What are you currently facing in your life right now that is causing you fear and/or anxiety? Can you name the root of the fear you are currently facing: what is behind it all? Where have you been placing your faith other than in Jesus?

PRAYER FOCUS

- 1) Praise God for His enduring faithfulness to us.
- 2) Pray for the fears/anxieties mentioned above by the others in your group?
- 3) Pray through Philippians 4:6-7 as a group. Ask God to guard our hearts with His peace!