

## “THE HALL OF FAME OF FAITH”

Series: “Better Than All The Rest”, Part 8 of 10  
Sunday, March 21, 2021 at 9:00 and 11:00 AM

*Now Faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen -Hebrews 11:1 (ESV)*

*conviction of things not seen -Hebrews vs 1b (ESV)*

*By Faith we understand that the universe was formed at God's command, so that what is seen was not made out of what was visible. -Hebrews 11:3 (NIV)*

*For since the creation of the world, God's invisible qualities, his eternal power and divine nature – have been clearly seen, being understood from what has been made...” -Romans 1:20(ESV)*

*anyone who comes to him must believe he exists and that he rewards those who earnestly seek Him. -Hebrews 11:6 (ESV)*

### 1. People of Faith Act... Despite the Risk

*By faith when warned about things not yet seen in holy fear built an ark to save his family -Hebrews 11:7 (ESV)*

*By Faith the walls of Jericho fell, after the army had marched around them for seven days. -Hebrews 11:30 (ESV)*

*“By Faith Abraham, when called to go to a place he would later receive as his inheritance, obeyed and went, even though he did not know where he was going”. -Hebrews 11:8 (ESV)*

*“By Faith Moses, when he had grown up, refused to be known as the son of Pharaoh's daughter. He chose to be mistreated along with the people of God rather than to enjoy the fleeting pleasures of sin. -Hebrews 11:24-25 (ESV)*

*By faith he left Egypt not fearing the king's anger; he persevered because he saw him who is invisible. -Hebrews 11:27 (ESV)*

*By faith Abraham, when God tested him offered Isaac as a sacrifice. -Hebrews 11:17 (ESV)*

### 2. People of Faith Experience Reward ... a Better Tomorrow

*There were those who were tortured, refusing to be released so that they might gain an even better resurrection. Some faced jeers and flogging, and even chains and imprisonment. They were put to death by stoning; they were sawed in two; they were killed by the sword. -Hebrews 11:35b-37a (ESV)*

*"...were all commended for their faith" -Hebrews 11:39 (ESV)*