



WEEK 1 — The Motive of Faith

Romans 4:18–21

1. What stands out to you about Abraham's faith in Romans 4? What phrases describe the strength and nature of his trust?
2. Verse 20 says Abraham "gave glory to God." How does giving glory to God strengthen faith?
3. Why is authentic faith often revealed in impossible circumstances rather than manageable ones?
4. Read **1 Corinthians 10:23-31**. How does this verse turn everyday decisions into spiritual decisions?
5. Read **John 12:27–28**. How did Jesus model choosing God's glory over personal comfort? What does that teach us about motive?
6. How can self-satisfaction disguise itself as obedience?
7. What is the difference between wanting God to bless your plans and surrendering to God's purposes?
8. Why does Satan target our motivation rather than just our behavior?
9. How can FLOCK accountability help expose pride before it weakens faith?
10. What decision are you currently facing that requires you to ask, "Is this for God's glory or mine?"
11. How would your prayer life change if you consistently asked God to purify your motives before acting?



WEEK 2 — The Patience of Faith

Genesis 16; Psalm 27:14

1. What pressures may have influenced Abraham and Sarah to act before God fulfilled His promise?
2. How does impatience reveal something deeper about what we believe concerning God's timing?
3. Read **Psalm 27:14**. Why does waiting require strength and courage?
4. Read **Isaiah 40:31**. What does this verse promise to those who wait on the Lord?
5. How does **James 1:2–4** describe what God produces through delayed answers?
6. What fears often drive us to rush ahead of God?
7. How do we distinguish between decisive obedience and impulsive action?
8. What long-term consequences resulted from Abraham and Sarah's impatience?
9. When have you seen God's delay ultimately protect you?
10. What current situation in your life feels urgent but may actually require waiting?
11. How does waiting deepen dependence on God rather than self?
12. What practical step can you take this week to slow down and seek clarity before acting?



WEEK 3 — The Foundation & Fruit of Faith

Acts 27; Romans 15:13

1. Why did Julius trust the ship's captain more than Paul's warning? What does this reveal about human reasoning?
2. How does Acts 27 illustrate the consequences of ignoring God's Word?
3. Read **2 Timothy 3:16–17**. Why must true faith always be grounded in Scripture?
4. What are some modern examples of "Jonah found a ship waiting" — opportunities that look right but contradict God's Word?
5. How can culture subtly detach faith from obedience?
6. Read **Colossians 3:15**. What does it mean to let the peace of Christ rule in your heart?
7. Read **Philippians 4:6–7**. How does prayer guard the heart from panic-driven decisions?
8. What is the difference between emotional calm and Spirit-rooted peace?
9. When you contemplate a decision, what signs indicate anxiety versus spiritual confidence?
10. Why is joy and peace evidence of belief (Romans 15:13) rather than personality temperament?
11. How can you test whether your peace comes from surrender or simply from avoiding conflict?
12. Looking at the Four Tests of Faith together, which test challenges you most right now — motive, patience, scriptural foundation, or inner peace? Why?