
HAVE FAITH IN GOD

Mark 11:12-35 // Pastor Patrice Charade
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When my faith is in Jesus, I will...
...pursue what pleases him 12-14
...offer him my true worship 15-19
...draw near to him with confidence 20-25

GROUP DISCUSSION

1. The world tells us to 'believe in ourselves,' but Jesus calls us to 'have faith in God.' How do these two approaches to life differ, and what results can we expect from each one?
2. From a distance, the fig tree that Jesus approached seemed healthy, but once he was closer to it, he saw it had no fruit. This challenges us to examine our own faith and walk with God. How do I aim for my faith to be genuinely alive and producing fruit that please God, rather than seeming well on the outside only?
3. Is my participation in things like church attendance, personal and corporate worship, or any other Christian "activity", aimed at serving self or am I truly looking to encounter God?
4. Jesus emphasized faith and forgiveness as essential for our prayers to be unhindered. How does forgiving others change the way I perceive God's forgiveness for me? Is there someone I need to forgive?