1. The Righteous Will Live By Faith
   a) Hebrews 10:35-36, 11:1-2,6 Why is persevering faith in Jesus vitally important?
   b) How does the message of the LORD to the prophet Habakkuk relate to our lives today? Hebrews 10:37-38 (see Habakkuk 2:3-4)
   c) God gives a measure of faith to everyone (Romans 12:3). What, if anything, can we do to nurture a resilient persevering faith?
   d) Is Mark 9:24 a prayer we can also pray?

2. Early men and women of faith
   a) Hebrews 11:4, 5, 7, 8-12, 17-19, 20-22 Why does the author highlight these men and one woman of faith through the time of Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, and Joseph, and not others?
   b) What did these individuals all have in common? Hebrews 11:13-16
   c) What important lessons can we learn from Hebrews 11:13 for our lives today?

3. By Faith Moses
   a) Hebrews 11:23-29 Why do you think the author places great emphasis on Moses?
   b) How did the experience of Moses parallel the experience of the recipients of this letter? Hebrews 10:32-35, Hebrews 13:3
   c) What are some struggles or tribulations you have faced because of your faith? Share a time when you were tempted to abandon your faith in God.

4. By Faith Rahab, and the Rest
   a) Hebrews 11:31 (see also Joshua 2:9-11, 6:21-23) Why was a pagan cult prostitute included in this honored list of great men and women of faith? You would have expected Joshua to be highlighted, not Rahab. (see also Matthew 1:5)
   b) Hebrews 11:32-38 What impacts you the most of you hear this summary statement?
   c) What is the meaning of Hebrews 11:40? Are we also part of this great race of faith?

5. Looking to Jesus, the Author and Perfecter of Our Faith
   a) Hebrews 12:1-3 Jesus is the Foundation and perfect embodiment of persevering faith.
   b) What are some weights that might hinder us as we run the race of faith?
   c) Various Bible characters were ensnared by different sins. Consider, for example, David, Nebuchadnezzar, Judas. How do we identify the sin that so easily ensnares us? (see Psalm 139:23-24, John 16:7-8)
   d) What was the joy set before Jesus that He focused on while running the race of faith? What about us?