

PANDEMIC PROOF FAITH

Wk 3

- 11 This is what the Lord says to me with his strong hand upon me, warning me not to follow the way of this people:
 12 “Do not call conspiracy everything this people calls a conspiracy; do not fear what they fear, and do not dread it.
 13 The Lord Almighty is the one you are to regard as holy, he is the one you are to fear, he is the one you are to dread.
 15 Many will stumble; fall and be broken, be snared and captured.”
 17 I will wait for the Lord...I will put my trust in him.

Hebrew 8:11-17

OPENING THOUGHTS

USING A NUMBER BETWEEN 1-10 ON YOUR WORST DAYS OVER THE THE PAST 6 MONTHS...

HOW MUCH DID YOU DOUBT GOD’S ABILITY TO REALLY WORK IN YOUR LIFE? _____ WHY?

HOW MANY TIMES DID YOU BELIEVE SOMETHING THAT TURNED OUT NOT TO BE TRUE? _____ WHY?

HOW MUCH DID FEAR STOP YOU FROM DOING SOMETHING ? _____ WHY?

USING A NUMBER BETWEEN 1-10 ON YOUR BEST DAYS OVER THE THE PAST 6 MONTHS...

HOW IN CONTROL DID YOU FEEL OVER YOUR LIFE? _____ WHY?

HOW STRONG WAS YOUR FAITH? _____ WHY?

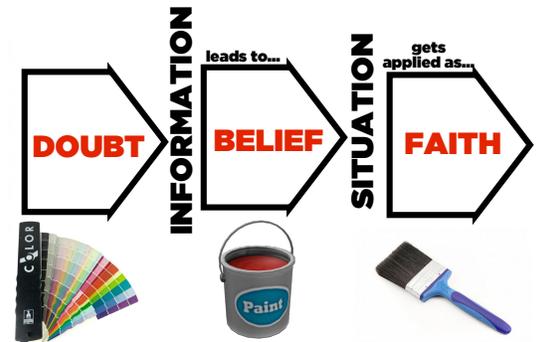
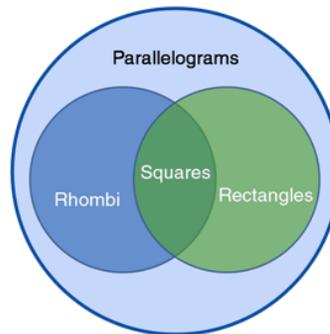
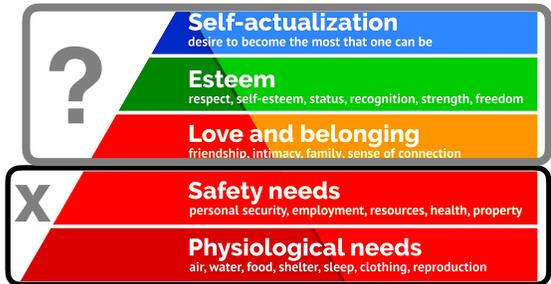
HOW CONVINCED WERE YOU OF GOD’S PLAN FOR YOU? _____ WHY?

WEEK THREE: DO YOU SEE WHAT I SEE

First Week

Last Week

This Week



Discussion Part I

I Doubt It...

Doubting is simply admitting I don't have all the I _____
 and/or that I'm picking one A _____ over others.

My thoughts...

“36 While they were talking about this, Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, “Peace be with you.”

37 **They were startled and terrified,**
 and **thought that they were seeing a ghost.**

38 He said to them, “Why are you frightened,
 and **why do doubts arise in your hearts?**

39 Look at my hands and my feet; see that it is I myself.

Touch me and see; for a ghost does not have flesh and bones
 as you see that I have.”

40 And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet.

41 While in their joy **they were disbelieving and still wondering,**”

Luke 24:36-41

Discussion Part II

Believe What You Want...

“Then (Jesus) said to Thomas,
“Put your finger here and see my hands.
Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe.”
John 20:27

**Belief is simply O _____ those things
that I’ve E _____ (seen and/or internalized).**

Do I really believe in...? *check those that you’re sure of, circle those you’re still working on*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> God, | <input type="checkbox"/> He ascended into heaven |
| <input type="checkbox"/> the Father, | <input type="checkbox"/> is seated at the right hand
of God the Father |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Maker of heaven and earth. | <input type="checkbox"/> from there He will return |
| <input type="checkbox"/> And in Jesus Christ, | <input type="checkbox"/> to judge the living and the dead. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> His Son | <input type="checkbox"/> I believe in the Holy Spirit |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Our Lord | <input type="checkbox"/> the holy, catholic* church |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Who was born of the virgin Mary | <input type="checkbox"/> the resurrection of the body |
| <input type="checkbox"/> suffered under Pontius Pilate | <input type="checkbox"/> and the life everlasting. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> was crucified | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> dead | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> and buried. | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> On the third day, he rose from the dead | <i>*universal, world-wide</i> |

My thoughts...

Discussion Part III

Gotta Have Faith...

“Faith is the assurance of things hoped for,
the conviction of things not seen.”
Hebrews 11:1

**Faith is A _____ what I’ve come to believe
in a situation where I still have H _____ doubts.**

My thoughts...

CLOSING THOUGHTS

FROM DISCUSSION 1- I DOUBT IT

OVER THE LAST 6 MONTHS, WHAT REOCCURRING DOUBTS KEEP SHOWING UP IN MY MIND/HEART?
HOW HAS THAT AFFECTED ME?

FROM DISCUSSION 2- BELIEVE WHAT YOU WANT

OVER THE LAST 6 MONTHS, HOW DOES WHAT I BELIEVE SHOW UP IN HOW I EXPERIENCED LIFE?
HOW HAS THAT AFFECTED ME?

FROM DISCUSSION 3- GOTTA HAVE FAITH

OVER THE LAST 6 MONTHS, WHERE DID I STEP OUT (MAYBE NOT JUST PHYSICALLY) TRUSTING IN
GOD, EVEN WHEN I WASN’T QUITE SURE OF THE WHAT THE RESULT MIGHT BE?
HOW DID THAT CHOICE AFFECTED ME?

CLOSING PRAYER

Father, give me strength. Move me beyond my doubts. Move me beyond what I believe.
Help me to step out in Faith, trusting YOU even in places where I cannot see You at work. Amen.