



Faith Founded On Facts

Interactive Outline

Sunday, 10:30 a.m.

May 26, 2013

Scripture Reading: Acts 26:19-25

Speaker: Adam Pogue

Faith - Firm belief in something for which there is no proof. (Webster's Dictionary)

1) Biblical View of Faith

A. Historical Facts Not "Blind Faith"

- 1) What about Hebrews 11:1?
- 2) Did the apostles teach "Blind Faith?" (2 Peter 1:16; 1 John 1:1)

B. Apostles Asked Others to Believe Facts

- 1) What facts do we have today?
- 2) Hebrews 11:1-3,6

Notes:

2) Reliable Testimony

A. Mark 16:9-11, 14

- 1) Jesus expected belief based on "reliable testimony."
- 2) 1 John 5:9: "If we receive the testimony of men, the testimony of God is greater; for the testimony of God is this, that He has testified concerning His Son." (NASB)

B. 2 Corinthians 5:7 - "for we walk by faith, not by sight."

- 1) Reliable testimony was used to teach the Corinthians.

Notes:

3) God's Revelation

A. Luke 1:1-4

- 1) "2 just as those who from the beginning were eyewitnesses and ministers of the word delivered them to us."
- 2) "4 that you may know the certainty of those things in which you were instructed."

B. How Do We Build Faith? (Romans 10:17)

- 1) "So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God." (NKJV)
- 2) John 17:17 - "Sanctify them by Your truth. Your word is truth." (NKJV)