



**Objectives:** 

## **Reinforces Principles of:**

- **Talk about the importance and power of faith.**
- Emphasize that ancient prophets prophesied of Jesus Christ

## Faith

Sacrifice

# This Lesson contains 4 activities:

Choose the activities that fit your family's schedule. Use on Mondays to introduce the topic, or the following Sunday to review.

**Reverence Time:** Song, prayer, scripture and video clip **Lesson Time:** Lesson summary and points to ponder **Activity Time:** Object lesson or activity **Treat Time:** Prayer, theme related recipe



## Approximate Time: 5 minutes

Sing Together: "Faith" Children's Songbook page 96 If you wish to print sheet music or have an online music file to accompany you visit: https://www.lds.org/music/library/childrens-songbook/faith

#### **Prayer:**

Scripture Time: Hebrews 11:1

1 Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.

Video Clip: Watch clips from the Living Scriptures Streaming Library. You can find the clip at https://www.livingscriptures.com/fhe-lesson-by-faith



Approximate Time: 10-15 minutes

Lesson	
Summary:	In these chapters, we are reminded that ancient prophets taught of Jesus Christ. The ordinances performed in the traveling temples, or tabernacles by the Israelites were symbolic of the atonement of Jesus Christ. The ordinances we perform in the church today also point us to Jesus Christ.
	In Hebrews 11 it tells how the faith of the prophets from the time of Adam down to Jesus Christ brought about miracles. Noah had faith and built an ark to save his family from the flood. Abraham had so much faith that he was willing to sacrifice Isaac, and the Lord blessed him and his posterity. Moses had faith to leave the house of Pharaoh where he was raised and lead his people out of bondage, and the Red Sea was parted for him and his people. Do you know other people (in the scriptures, in your family, or in your community) who are examples of faith?
Points to	
Ponder:	<b>Can you name some of the ordinances of the church? How do they point you to Jesus Christ?</b> (Discuss ideas)
	<b>Did prophets teach of Jesus Christ before He was born?</b> (Yes, he is Jehovah and the Messiah of the Old Testament)
	What is faith? (Discuss ideas).
	How can you show your faith in Jesus Christ? (Discuss ideas)
Quote:	"We read of the unchangeable Lord in the holy scriptures. In the Bible the Old Testament prophets from Adam to Malachi are testifying of the divinity of the Lord Jesus Christ and our Heavenly Father. Jesus Christ was the God of the Old Testament, and it was He who

conversed with Abraham and Moses. It was He who inspired Isaiah and Jeremiah; it was He who foretold through those chosen men the happenings of the future, even to the latest

day and hour." President Spencer W. Kimball



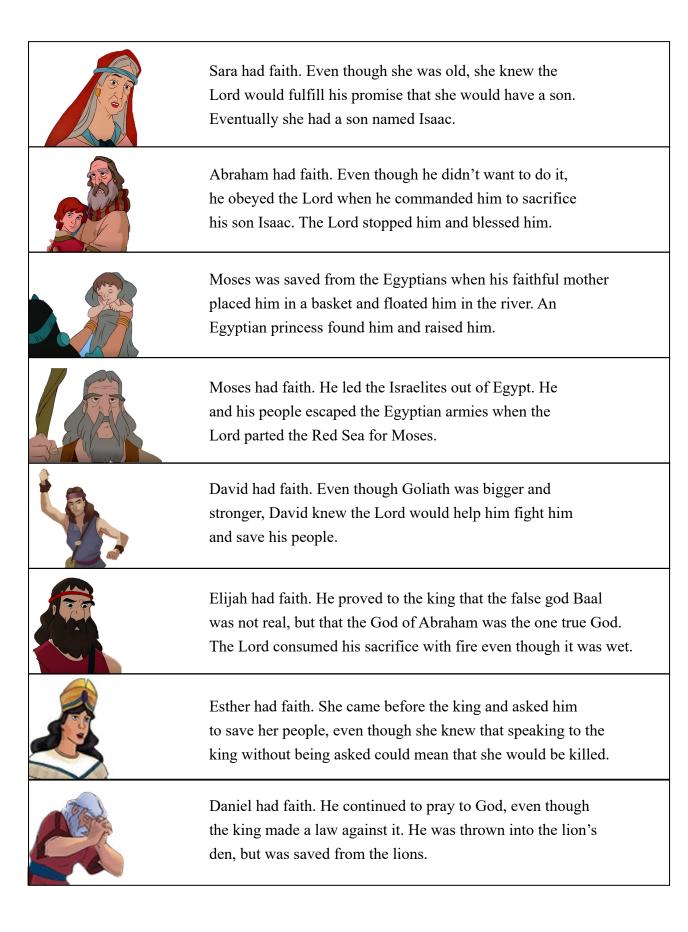
#### What you need: A copy of "Bible charades", scissors, a hat or bowl

#### **Preparation:** Print the "Bible charades" story strips and cut apart. Place the strips into a hat or bowl.

Activity: Explain: In Hebrews 11, several ancient prophets are mentioned. Each of these prophets had an obstacle to overcome. Through their faith, the Lord was able to help them through their trials, sometimes in miraculous ways. We're going to act out some of these stories and others from the Old Testament.

Play the game: To play, choose someone to go first. That person will draw a story strip and act out the story without using any words. The rest of the family tries to guess which story they are acting out. Once the story is guessed, another person takes a turn to draw a story strip and act out a story. Continue playing until all stories have been acted out, or everyone has had a turn.







## **Approximate Time: 65 minutes**

## Prep Time: 5 minutes Bake Time: 30 minutes Cool Time: 30 minutes

**Butterscotch "Altars"** 

2 cups brown sugar
1/2 cup melted butter (1 stick)
2 eggs
2 cups flour
2 tsp. baking powder
1/2 tsp. salt
1 tsp. vanilla
3 Tbs. powdered sugar (optional)
Small bag of pretzel sticks



Add melted butter to sugar. Stir until well blended. Remove from stove and add eggs. Beat well. Add flour, salt, baking powder and vanilla. Pour into prepared 13" x 9" square pan. Bake in preheated oven at 325 degrees F. for 30 minutes. Dust with powdered sugar if desired. Cool in pan for 30 minutes. Cut into bite-size squares.

**Treat Time:** Stack the Butterscotch squares to build an altar. Place the pretzel sticks on top for firewood. Use the pretzel sticks to pick up the squares to eat. Recipe makes 4–6 altars, depending on how small you cut your squares.

To sacrifice is to give up something valuable or important for somebody else. Sacrifice is an important part of the gospel of Jesus Christ. Unlike animal sacrifices of old, today we offer our means, time, and a desire to repent in order to follow Jesus Christ. When we sacrifice it helps us remember Jesus Christ's atoning sacrifice for all of Heavenly Father's children who have lived and will live upon the earth.

### Closing Prayer and blessing on the food.