

PARENT'S DISCUSSION GUIDE

HEBREWS 11 - FAITH AT WORK

Noah – Genesis 6-9

- Read Genesis 6-9 (at least portions of it) and/or watch the “creative story telling” video using the link provided.

- **Discuss with your kids the following truths:**
 - Hebrews 11:7 speaks of the faith of Noah. Noah obeyed God even though he had never seen a flood or a boat like the Ark. When we obey God even though we don't fully understand or know what is happening that is called faith. This “Noah type faith” pleases God!
 - Because of Noah's faith, his family was saved from the flood! God used Noah to protect and help his family. God will use you and your faith to protect and help your family if you obey him.
 - The rest of the people in the world during Noah's time are called wicked and sinful. They disobeyed God and did not care what he had to say. This led to punishment and destruction. Everyone suffered, even the earth itself suffered. This reminds us how our sin brings suffering and hardship to the world.

- **Questions:**
 - How did Noah show faith in this story? Was there anything special about Noah? What made him different from all of the other people in the world?
 - When you think about Noah's faith do you wonder what you would do in his situation? What if God asks you to do something in your life that you don't really understand will you have enough faith to obey even if it doesn't make sense?
 - Do you know someone that you could share Noah's story with? Tell others how faith in God can make a difference in their life.