## ALIGNING WITH THE WILL OF GOD – 6 FEBRUARY 12, 2023

## **REVIEW:**

• Saved and, filled, maintain, baptized, sanctification, finances, follow, take our place.

## **CONTINUE:**

- 9.) Live by Faith (Gal. 2:20).
  - **A.)** The importance of faith.
    - \* Saved (EPH. 2:8), live (ROM. 1:17), walk (2 COR. 5:7), fight (1 TIM. 6:12), justified (ROM. 5:1), access grace (ROM. 5:2), overcome world (1 JOHN 5:4), receive (JAMES 1:5-7), move mountains (MK. 11:23), inherit promises (HEB. 6:12), made whole (MK. 5:34), shield (EPH. 6:16), pleases (HEB. 11:6), releases gospel benefits. (HEB. 4:2).
    - **B.)** All men need saved from the penalty, power and presence of sin; and from God's wrath (**ROM. 5:8-9**). The role of faith:
      - Sin: **EPH. 2:8, ROM. 6:12-14, HEB. 10:35-39** Our faith in Christ delivers us from the penalty, power and presence of sin.
    - C.) Unbelief grieves and limits God (HEB. 3:17-19, MK. 6:6 AMPC).
      - Teaching cures unbelief (LUKE 6:17-19 NLT).
      - LUKE 4:17-19 was His message.
        The Joshua Generation (HEB. 11:30)
  - 1.) NUM. 13:26-14:4
    - **A.)** There are two kinds of unbelief: lack of knowledge and unpersuadableness. They knew what God said.

- B.) NUM. 14:5-10 They couldn't be persuaded to act on God's word, and God had to intervene on their behalf (NUM. 14:10-12).
- **C.) NUM. 14:13-19** Moses intercedes on behalf of the people.
- D.) NUM. 14:20-38 Unconditional judgment pronounced.
- 2.) Joshua's faith generation (JOSHUA 5 & 6). They couldn't be persuaded to act on God's word, so God raised up a new generation with their children.
  - A.) Know your enemy is defeated (JOSHUA 5:1).
  - B.) Remember your covenant with God (JOSHUA 5:2).
  - **C.)** Remember where you were, how you got out, and where you are now.
  - D.) Recognize it's a new day (JOSHUA 5:12).
  - E.) Know an invisible army is with us and we're not alone (JOSHUA 5:13-15).
  - F.) Know God already gave us the land (JOSHUA 6:1-2).
  - G.) Obey God, even if it's illogical (JOSHUA 6:3-5).
- 3.) Rahab and her family lived because of her faith (JOSHUA 6:16-17.)
  - **A.) HEB. 11:31** Rahab's name makes the Faith Hall of Fame!

## **Conclusion:**

It takes an active faith to make the gospel work. Without it, we're like the shorn Samson. Faith pleases God because it means we trust Him and believe in His integrity.