

HOW FAITH WORKS

Romans 10:17

So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.

1. You must hear the Word preached to build faith.

Psalms 119:162

I rejoice at Your word As one who finds great treasure.

2. You must treasure God's Word.

2 Corinthians 1:20

For all the promises of God, whatever their number, have their confirmation in Him; and for this reason through Him also our "Amen" acknowledges their truth and promotes the glory of God through our faith.

3. You must verbally acknowledge God's Word.

Romans 4:17

(as it is written, "I have made you a father of many nations") in the presence of Him whom he believed—God, who gives life to the dead and calls those things which do not exist as though they did;

4. You must declare it in the present tense.

Proverbs 4:20

My son, pay attention to my words. Open your ears to what I say.

5. You must get rid of every contrary influence.

2 Corinthians 4:18

We concentrate not on what is seen but on what is not seen, since things seen are temporary, but things not seen are eternal.

6. You must only consider what God's Word says.

James 2:26

Removing action from faith is like removing breath from a body. All you have left is a corpse.

7. Faith must have corresponding action to work.