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Message Topic: **By Faith, Abraham...**

Scripture Text: Heb 11: 8-19

1. In order to live a well-pleasing life to God, we need to have faith in Him. It is not just saving faith but living every day in faith as a Christian. Abraham is a good example for us.
2. We must have faith in God to lead, direct and show us the way in our lives. Abraham received God's call to depart out of his homeland and he obeyed in faith even though he does not know the final destination. God leads him step by step. There are difficulties along the way but Abraham trusted God.
3. We must have faith in God that He will enable things to be done. God gave to Abraham and Sarah the promised son Isaac even though they were passed the child bearing age. God can do the impossible. We must trust Him and let God work in His way.
4. We must have faith in God to provide. Abraham was told by God to sacrifice his son Isaac. He obeyed and trusted God to provide even in the offering of his son. God can raise Isaac from the dead or God can provide another sacrifice for Abraham. In the end, God was pleased with Abraham's faith and stopped him from sacrificing Isaac.