<u>21 August 2011</u> - Preached by Rev Tan Kian Sing Message Topic: **A Good Report Through Faith**

Scripture Text: Heb 11: 39-40

- 1. The Old Testament men of faith obtained a good report by remaining faithful in the midst of difficult times.
- 2. We ought to emulate them to endure all temptations and give up everything to trust in Jesus. The God that these saints believe in is the same yesterday, today and forever.
- 3. The Old Testament saints endured on with the life of faith because they looked forward to Christ's first coming, though they did not see the fulfillment of this promise physically. Today, we must look forward to the second coming of Christ and also look back to Jesus Christ who has already come the first time to die for us.
- 4. We have a better view of Jesus Christ now because we have the full view of God's salvation plan as revealed to us from the entire Bible. Hence, we ought to have greater faith than the saints of the old testament. May God strengthen us to walk in faith!