

FAITH IN ACTION

THE BASICS

1. **BIBLE VERSE:** James 2:20 (ISV), "Faith without actions is worthless."
2. **BOTTOM LINE:** Act on your faith!
3. **BIBLE STORY:** The man who put his faith into action (Acts 14:1-10)

Paul and Barnabas were traveling and preaching and came to a town called Lystra. There they found a man who was crippled since his birth and could not walk. This man HEARD Paul and Barnabas preach God's Word and BELIEVED it. Paul looked directly at him, saw that he had faith to be healed, and called out to him, "Stand up on your feet!" When Paul said this, the man ACTED on God's Word and jumped up, walking around and praising God.

Point To Make: We have to be an ACTION MAN, and put our faith into action.

MAKE IT REAL

Picture: Face, girl sick in bed, boy with strong muscles

- We all have a face. EVERY ONE DOES. Just like we all have a face, everyone has faith.
- Our faith grows when we:
 1. Hear God's Word
 2. Believe God's Word
 3. Say God's Word
 4. Do God's Word
- If you are sick, you BELIEVE God's Word says you are healed. You SAY God's Word that you are healed, then you ACT on God's Word and get out of bed, because by faith you are healed!

QUESTIONS TO ASK:

1. Who has faith? (*Everyone*)
2. How does our faith grow? (*BELIEVE God's Word, SAY God's Word, DO God's Word*)
3. How do you act on God's Word? (If you are believing for healing, you BELIEVE God's Word says you are healed; you SAY God's Word that you are healed; then you ACT on God's Word and get out of bed, because by faith, you are healed)

SCHEDULE

1. **Pre-Service**
 - Group playtime
2. **Warm Up**
 - Color page
3. **Pre-Large Group**
 - President
 - Pastor Mac & Lynne
 - Offering
 - LG Rules
4. **Large Group**
5. **Small Group**
 - Small Group Notes
 - Prayer
6. **Wrap Up**
 - Snack
7. **End of Service**
 - Parent pick up
 - Put on video-if needed

HERE IS WHAT I SAY!

Father God,
Thank You for
Your Word. I
will believe, say
and DO Your
Word.

In Jesus' Name,
Amen.



ABC's of Faith: LESSON 8

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Bottom Line: *Act on your faith!*

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