

What's Happening in Sunday School?

Today's lessons talk about Justification, how God reaches into our lives with His grace to save us.

The lesson in Genesis begins the story of God reaching out to Abram and Abram's faithful response. God asks Abram to leave everything he knows and with which he is comfortable. Abram has to trust that God will bless and protect him. Abram acts in faith. He travels until God tells him to stop. God promises that this land of Canaan will be Abram's and his descendants after him. Abram again acts in faith and thanks God for what he hasn't yet received. His faith is all that God requires.

In the Epistle, we also read about Abraham. God has given him a new name as a sign of his new life in covenant with God. Paul repeats what we see in Genesis, that Abram's faith is all that God required for him to receive the promises of God and be reborn as Abraham. Paul says because of this, we can understand that our faith is all that God requires for us to receive his promises. God will provide the rest.

Finally, in John's Gospel we see how God will provide for those who are willing to act in faith. If anyone believes in Jesus, through Him they can be in covenant with God and receive the inheritance of everlasting life.

Digging Deeper

*How is the Holy Spirit like the wind?

*Baptism is a sacrament of the Church. What is the definition of a sacrament (BCP p.857)?

*What are the other sacraments?

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“No one can enter God’s kingdom without being born through water and the Holy Spirit.” - John 3:5