

MOVIE WORKBOOK

PART ONE

ESTABLISHING A HOUSE OF ORDER

Bringing Latter-day Prophetic Teachings to Life Through Film

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WEEK
MOVIE
COURSE



PASSING DOWN THE
FAITH
A MULTI-GENERATIONAL VISION

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Establishing a House of Order

“Mine house is a House of Order.”

In this life, each of us longs for belonging, purpose, and a true sense of home—something that speaks to the eternal part of our soul. Like Abraham, who yearned for “a better country” and a promised homeland (Hebrews 11), we are likewise called to build something higher and holier—an identity grounded in eternity and a home patterned after the ways of God.

If we truly desire this kind of home, there is a path already prepared for us. God has given us a divine blueprint—clear, revelatory instructions designed to lead us back to His presence. In Doctrine and Covenants 88, the Lord, through the Prophet Joseph Smith, reveals this sacred pattern. As the early Saints labored to build a House unto the Lord, they were not merely constructing a temple—they were learning how to anchor their lives, families, and communities on eternal truths.

Just as Abraham walked away from the comforts of the world in faithful pursuit of a promised land, we too are invited to forsake distraction and worldliness, and to begin building on the Rock of our Redeemer. The call is not just to believe—but to build. Not just to hope—but to act. And as we follow this pattern, our homes will become sanctuaries that point us back to God.



01 Module

All Have not Faith

Faith is more than belief—it’s aligning our life with God’s will. As we proceed through D&C 88, we will see that the Lord lays out a model for education, for teaching, for instruction and for action. He lays out a roadmap to develop valiant faith. Do we have enough faith to follow?

In the New Testament, a father pleaded for his suffering son. Jesus said, “If thou canst believe, all things are possible.” The father responded, “Lord, I believe; help thou mine unbelief.”¹ That cry is ours too.

We all face trials that test our trust in God. Real faith means surrendering our will, trusting His way, and knowing He keeps His promises. To truly exercise faith, we must know God exists, trust His character, and walk His path. Faith in Christ leads to healing and freedom.

¹Mark 9:14-29.

Additional Resources

All Have Not Faith

Movie(s):

- *China Cry* (1990).
- *Faith Like Potatoes* (2006).

Book(s):

- Ripken, Nik, and Gregg Lewis. *The Insanity of God: A True Story of Faith Resurrected*. Nashville: B&H Publishing Group, 2013.
- Elliot, Elisabeth. *Shadow of the Almighty: The Life and Testament of Jim Elliot*. New York: Harper One, 1979.

Article(s):

- Nelson, Russell M. "Let God Prevail." *General Conference*, October 2020. The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.
- Hinckley, Gordon B. "Faith: The Essence of True Religion." *General Conference*, October 1981. The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.
- Young, Brigham. "Faith and Belief." *Journal of Discourses* 8:68–75, July 24, 1860.

Scriptures/Music:

- Articles of Faith 1:4; D&C 68:25, JST, Hebrews 11:1; Alma 32:21; Ether 12:6, Romans 10:17, James 1:5–6; Joseph Smith—History 1:11–19; Mosiah 27:14; Moroni 10:4–5.
- My Shepherd will Supply My Need, by the Tabernacle Choir <https://youtu.be/zikYYUHt6t8?si=KHx9R-zUWyuSHpxu>

Activities:

- Blindfold a volunteer and have them do a simple task (like walking to a goal or carrying something) with a partner silently guiding by touch only. Debrief: How did it feel not hearing instructions? How is that like walking by faith when God is quiet?
- Watch the scene where the team loses a game but still grows stronger. In groups or families, talk about times you "lost" something but later saw it was a spiritual victory.
- Write: "I thought I was losing . . . but God was strengthening me by _____."
- After watching the movie, discuss or journal answers to these: What "giants" am I facing in my life right now? How did Coach Taylor show faith when nothing was working out? What does it mean to "leave the results to God"? What would change in my life if I truly believed God is enough?
- Write simple "faith actions" on paper strips (e.g., "Pray for someone," "Read a verse about Jesus," "Bear your testimony," "Fast for guidance"). Each day, pull one and do the activity. Journal or discuss at the end of the week what small acts built your faith.
- Pick 5–7 scripture stories where people showed great faith: act them out, or paint a wall gallery of these stories.
- Record a family member sharing a story of great faith, transcribe it and share it with the family.
- Using the definition of faith according to Joseph Smith discuss as a family where you are succeeding, and where you are failing. Make a family plan to strengthen your faith together.
- Assign quotes or talks (e.g., President Nelson's "Let God Prevail" or Elder Holland's "Lord, I Believe"). Act out the message. Discuss: "What can I apply this week?"