



**SOUTH  
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## Let's stay connected during the week!

**GriefShare** begins Monday, February 9 at 1pm. This 13-week course is for anyone dealing with the loss of a loved one. Register at [griefshare.org](http://griefshare.org) or call the SSC office for more info.

**Sweet Sunday** is Sunday, February 15 between services. Who are you inviting?

**A Night to Repent is Ash Wednesday**, February 18 at 2pm and 7pm. Plan now to attend this time turning our hearts towards Easter.

**Nominations for SSC leadership** are now open. The Nominating team is seeking recommendations for Board positions, Elders, and Deacons. Please turn in to the Welcome Center.

### More info and sign ups in the Foyer or online for the following:

**Financial Peace University** begins Wednesday, February 4, 6:30pm

**Senior Board Game Social** is Friday, February 13, 1pm

**Men's Breakfast** is Saturday, February 14, 7:30am

**Love Knots** is Saturday, February 14, 9:30am

**Anchored in Christ Women's Event** is Saturday, February 28, 9am



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## Navigating Faith in Real Life

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### “Real Faith Works”

James 2:14-26

What good is it, my brothers, if someone says he has faith but does not have works? Can that faith save him? <sup>15</sup> If a brother or sister is poorly clothed and lacking in daily food, <sup>16</sup> and one of you says to them, “Go in peace, be warmed and filled,” without giving them the things needed for the body, what good is that? <sup>17</sup> So also faith by itself, if it does not have works, is dead. <sup>18</sup> But someone will say, “You have faith and I have works.” Show me your faith apart from your works, and I will show you my faith by my works. <sup>19</sup> You believe that God is one; you do well. Even the demons believe—and shudder! <sup>20</sup> Do you want to be shown, you foolish person, that faith apart from works is useless? <sup>21</sup> Was not Abraham our father justified by works when he offered up his son Isaac on the altar? <sup>22</sup> You see that faith was active along with his works, and faith was completed by his works; <sup>23</sup> and the Scripture was fulfilled that says, “Abraham believed God, and it was counted to him as righteousness”—and he was called a friend of God. <sup>24</sup> You see that a person is justified by works and not by faith alone. <sup>25</sup> And in the same way was not also Rahab the prostitute justified by works when she received the messengers and sent them out by another way? <sup>26</sup> For as the body apart from the spirit is dead, so also faith apart from works is dead.

James 2:14-26 (ESV)

#### Facts about Real Faith

- Faith always produces works
- Faith alone justifies but faith that justifies never stays alone
- Faith based on information not transformation resembles a demon not a disciple
- Faith that is declared but not demonstrated is dead

## Notes

#### Questions

- Is my faith mostly something I say or something I show?
- When I see someone in need, do I move toward them or do I only offer words?
- If someone examined my life this week, would they find compassion or just conversation?
- Is my Christianity more about attending religious things or obeying Jesus in everyday life?
- Is my faith producing love and generosity or remaining invisible and comfortable?
- Do I have faith that simply agrees with truth or faith that actually trusts Christ enough to act?
- If following Jesus cost me something, would my faith still show up?

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