



LISTEN ONLINE TO:
**Belief, Unbelief,
Partial Belief**
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SERMON OUTLINE

LOOK AT THE DISCUSSION
QUESTIONS FOR
APPLICATION AT YOUR HOME
FELLOWSHIP GROUP
MEETING THIS WEEK

Looking Ahead
1/15 Mark 9:30-41
1/22 Mark 9:42-50
1/29 1 Samuel 1
2/5 Mark 10:1-12

o January 8, 2012

Sermon notes

A WEEKLY RESOURCE FOR AIDING THE APPLICATION OF THIS SUNDAY'S SERMON AT REDEEMER TO YOUR LIFE.

APPLICATION QUESTIONS

1. How can you relate your faith struggle to this father's?
2. What areas of your life do you need to entrust to Jesus and rest in Him for?
3. How does what you don't pray for reflect what you are trying to do in your own power (like the disciples)?
4. How have failures in your life made you more dependent on Jesus?

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Mark 9:14-32
Pastor Tony Felich

Mark 9:14-32 [14] And when they came to the disciples, they saw a great crowd around them, and scribes arguing with them. [15] And immediately all the crowd, when they saw him, were greatly amazed and ran up to him and greeted him. [16] And he asked them, "What are you arguing about with them?" [17] And someone from the crowd answered him, "Teacher, I brought my son to you, for he has a spirit that makes him mute. [18] And whenever it seizes him, it throws him down, and he foams and grinds his teeth and becomes rigid. So I asked your disciples to cast it out, and they were not able." [19] And he answered them, "O faithless generation, how long am I to be with you? How long am I to bear with you? Bring him to me." [20] And they brought the boy to him. And when the spirit saw him, immediately it convulsed the boy, and he fell on the ground and rolled about, foaming at the mouth. [21] And Jesus asked his father, "How long has this been happening to him?" And he said, "From childhood. [22] And it has often cast him into fire and into water, to destroy him. But if you can do anything, have compassion on us and help us." [23] And Jesus said to him, "If you can! All things are possible for one who believes." [24] Immediately the father of the child cried out and said, "I believe; help my unbelief!" [25] And when Jesus saw that a crowd came running together, he rebuked the unclean spirit, saying to it, "You mute and deaf spirit, I command you, come out of him and never enter him again." [26] And after crying out and convulsing him terribly, it came out, and the boy was like a corpse, so that most of them said, "He is dead." [27] But Jesus took him by the hand and lifted him up, and he arose. [28] And when he had entered the house, his disciples asked him privately, "Why could we not cast it out?" [29] And he said to them, "This kind cannot be driven out by anything but prayer." [30] They went on from there and passed through Galilee. And he did not want anyone to know, [31] for he was teaching his disciples, saying to them, "The Son of Man is going to be delivered into the hands of men, and they will kill him. And when he is killed, after three days he will rise." [32] But they did not understand the saying, and were afraid to ask him.

The emphasis of Jesus is not on the quality of our faith but rather on His power, to whom we are joined by faith.

- Jesus and His disciples meet a desperate Father
- The disciples fail to deliver the man's son
- Jesus explains

Redeemer Happenings

» **Sunday School Canned Food Drive:** We will be collecting canned food for the New Hope Food Pantry from the Children Sunday school classes (Toddler-6th grade) January 8th-29th. The class who brings in the most food will win a tasty prize in February.

Marriage & Family Class: Pastor Nathan will be teaching this Monday evening class starting January 25th. [Registration is now open](#). For more information see your monthly newsletter, [our website](#), or contact Pastor Nathan.

