

## NEXT STEPS

Sometimes God's promises are fulfilled quickly, but often they require patient waiting. In those seasons, it can feel like nothing is happening—even when God is actively at work behind the scenes. That's why Hebrews 10:23 calls us to *hold unswervingly to the hope we profess*, because God is faithful to keep His word. Our hope isn't in the timing of the promise, but in the faithfulness of the Promiser.

**What is one promise from God you need to intentionally hold onto this week, even if you haven't seen it fulfilled yet?**



## PRAYER REQUESTS

What/who can you be praying for this week?

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# Talk It Over Questions

For the week of February 1, 2026  
The Promise of God's Faithfulness  
2 Corinthians 1:20

## QUICK REVIEW

Looking back at your notes from this week's teaching, was there anything you heard for the first time or something that caught your attention, challenged, or confused you?

## MY STORY

The Bible tells us that every promise God has made finds its "Yes" in Jesus. Because of who He is and what He has done, we can trust that God is always faithful.

**Where have you seen Jesus confirm God's promises in your life recently?**

We know in our heads that God is faithful, yet when prayers go unanswered or circumstances feel overwhelming, our hearts can begin to question what we know is true.

**Why do so many believers struggle with believing that God is faithful to His promises with them?**

**What keeps us from trusting that God's promises are just as true for us as they are for everyone else?**

## DIGGING DEEPER

More times than not, our minds are often filled with thoughts, doubts, and emotions that contradict what God has said and promised. That's why Scripture calls us to *take every thought captive* and bring it into obedience to Christ (2 Corinthians 10:5). Read the following passages and answer the corresponding questions.

2 Corinthians 1:20; 2 Corinthians 10:5

**What are some recurring thoughts that we need to "take captive" so that it lines up with God's truth instead of our feelings?**

On the other hand, there are moments when our emotions tell us one thing, and God's Word tells us another. Learning to trust God's truth in those moments takes intentional practice.

**What are some ways we can train ourselves to rely on His promises instead of our feelings?**

God's commands call for our obedience, but His promises depend on His character. He doesn't ask us to accomplish what only He can do. Yet many of us still carry the weight of outcomes He has already promised to handle.

**Where have you been trying to "do" something that God has already promised to "do" for you?**

Sometimes we approach God's promises as if they exist to serve our comfort, our success, or our personal desires. But God is not a heavenly vending machine, and His promises are not meant to fulfill every preference we have. The ultimate purpose of His promises is to glorify Himself and draw us into deeper trust, obedience, and worship.

**In what ways might you be expecting God to serve your plans instead of surrendering to His purpose?**