**FAITH TAKES ACTION**

**(Genesis 14:1-24)**

**May 31, 2020**

**I. THE TURMOIL OF SIN (Genesis 14:1-16)**

 **A. Personal Gain By Domination (Genesis 14:1-4)**

 **B. Personal Gain By Destruction (Genesis 14:5-12)**

 **C. Deliverance By God's Faithfulness (Genesis 14:13-16; Genesis 14:12:2-3)**

**II. THE TEMPTATION OF VICTORY (Genesis 14:17, 21-24)**

 **A. The Temptation For Personal Gain (Genesis 14:17 & 21; I Samuel 24 & 26; Luke 4:5-8)**

 **1. By Faith We Reject The World's Values**

 **2. By Faith We Embrace God And His Values**

 **B. The Devotion Of Faithful Obedience (Genesis 14:22-24; I John 2:15-17)**

**III. THE BLESSING OF FAITHFULNESS (Genesis 14:18-20)**

 **A. A Heart Of Generosity (Genesis 14:18)**

 **B. A Heart Of Gratitude (Genesis 14:19-20a)**

 **C. A Heart To Honor (Genesis 14:20b)**

**APPLICATIONS**

 **1. Temptation will come to those who walk by faith. This world and Satan will constantly resist the light (John 3:19-21) and lure the Believer into darkness.**

 **2. Nothing this world offers will ever satisfy our need for significance and security. Only Jesus provides what we need for this - redemption. With his blood he paid the price for sin so we no longer have to want for significance and security.**

 **3. Your walk of faith reveals the one you trust in. In Genesis chapter 14 Abraham chose to walk in God's ways and God filled his life with blessings for his faithful trust and obedience.**