

Sunday, October 24, 2021 | Her Faith In Action | Rev. Connie Robinson

OVERVIEW

This October we are beginning a new teaching series called "Building Blocks Of Faith: Walk In It!" As we enter the fourth quarter of the year we must stay focused, fight distractions, and understand the building blocks of faith. This new teaching series will give us the fuel to finish this year strong amidst all the things that have transpired in the past nine months.

SCRIPTURES REFERENCED Mark 5: 24-29 (NIV)

24 So Jesus went with him. A large crowd followed and pressed around him. 25 And a woman was there who had been subject to bleeding for twelve years. 26 She had suffered a great deal under the care of many doctors and had spent all she had, yet instead of getting better she grew worse. 27 When she heard about Jesus, she came up behind him in the crowd and touched his cloak, 28 because she thought, "If I just touch his clothes, I will be healed." 29 Immediately her bleeding stopped and she felt in her body that she was freed from her suffering.

KEY TAKEAWAYS

- 1. She heard. Scripture says a woman who bled for 12 years heard about Jesus. When faith is all you have, you must turn to the word of God. Hearing the word is an act of faith. Build your faith on His word. Romans 10: 17 says that faith comes by hearing the Word.
- 2. She thought. "If I could just touch His clothes, I will be healed." She was focused, not distracted by the crowd. Her main goal was just to get to Him. I need to get to the source of my strength, my healing, my peace, my hope, and my comfort. When faith is all you have, you will be made whole. Psalm 1: 2 says "But they delight in the law of Lord, meditating on it day night."
- **3. She acted.** Immediately her bleeding stopped, and she felt in her body that she was freed from her suffering. Your faith requires action and application, according to James 1: 22. Don't just listen to God's word. You must do what it says. Otherwise, you are only fooling yourselves. She reached out and touched His clothes, showing faith in action and application. She acted after realizing that to be freed, she must apply what she knew, thought on, and heard about. She didn't have to wait another twelve years, 12 months, 12 days or 12 seconds for her healing. Her faith healed her immediately.