

## The Faith-Filled Catholic Women's Bible Study Program Participant's Worksheet

**Faith**

Insert D-1 through D-4

You can prepare for the discussions about the theme **Faith** by thinking about how you might answer the following questions:

What comes to mind when I think about the word faith?

How important is the Eucharist in the practice of my faith? Why?

**Read Genesis 22:1-19** (Page 27). Be prepared to discuss your answers to the following questions:  
When has God ever challenged me to demonstrate my faith in Him?

How has God rewarded me because of my obedience in faith?

Read the **Faith in Action** article "Just Pull the Chord" on insert Page D-4. Prepare to share with the group your answer to this question:

What is one area in your life in which I might need to "pull the chord" and trust God for a landing?

**Group Prayer** – My intentions for group prayer this week:

**Leader:** Dearest Lord, we ask You to accept our praises, hear our thanks and answer our prayers for the intentions we voice and for the intentions we keep in our hearts: **enter aloud all individual intentions.**  
We ask this with these words of faith. (All pray the Nicene Creed together)

The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, one in Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he was born of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered, died, and was buried. On the third day he rose again in fulfillment of the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

**Closing Prayer** – Say the “Prayer for Faith to St. Joan of Arc” at the bottom of the **Profile in Faith** insert page 3-D.

**My Personal Response in Faith for this week** - Place a different belief statement from the Nicene Creed in a prominent place at home or at work. Share and/or discuss that belief with a family member, colleague or friend.

Other Scripture on **Faith**:

Acts 16:31 (Page 1192) \* Ephesians 1:13 (Page 1278) \* James 2:19 (Page 1344)

Romans 5:1 (Page 1215) \* 1 Corinthians 15:14 (Page 1247) \* Philippians 3:9 (Page 1290)

Romans 4:13-16 (Page 1214) \* Mark 12:22-23 (Page 1081) \* Colossians 2:6-7 (Page 1295)



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