

Hebrews 3v7-8, 12-13

DON'T HAVE A HARD HEART!

FOR YOUNGER KIDS

TEE IT UP

- Are there things God says that you don't like?
- What are some fo these things?

There is no kids slot this week.

PRAY

Dear Father, thank you for the Bible. Please help us to know You better as we read it. Amen.

PASSAGE

INTRO The book of Hebrews is helping Jewish Christians not to give up on trusting Jesus because He is **BETTER** than their Jewish religion.

7 So it is as the Holy Spirit says: "Today listen to what he says. 8 Do not be stubborn as in the past when you turned against God.

12 So brothers, be careful that none of you has an evil, unbelieving heart. This will stop you from following the living God. 13 But encourage each other every day. Do this while it is "today."

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THINK...

The Holy Spirit is Jesus' Spirit. Verses 7-8 are from another part of the Bible called Psalm 95. God the Holy Spirit speaks to us today through the Bible.

- 1) What does the Holy Spirit tell us to do? (To listen to what He says.)
- 2) What does He tell us to not do? (To be stubborn and not listen to Him. Being stubborn is when you don't want to listen to or do what someone else says.)
- 3) What should we be careful of having? (A heart that doesn't want to listen to Him.)
- 4) What must we do for each other? (Encourage each other today to trust Jesus.)

PRAY

Heavenly Father, thank you that you speak to us today by your Holy Spirit through the Bible. Please help us to listen to you, and encourage each other to keep trusting in you. Amen.

SING



Listen to and sing along to this song:

Faith is Being Sure (Hebrews 11:1 & 3) - Dumbrocks

https://youtu.be/E_C2zoAmbNw

PLAY!



Get some clay or play dough and some butter. Put each of these into separate jars. Leave them in the sun and see what happens! The clay goes hard and the butter melts. God's word is like the sun and our hearts are either like the clay or butter. They either go hard and we don't trust and obey God or soft and we do trust and obey.

Keep Chatting...

Find some things that are hard and some things that are soft. Talk about how our hearts can become hard or soft to what God says to us in the bible. Think about how as a family you can encourage each other to keep trusting in and obeying Jesus today.