

## Running Our Leg of the Race

Hebrews 11:30 - 12:2

### **Hebrews 11:39**

1. These having **obtained** a good testimony **through** faith,
2. did not receive the promise.

### **Hebrews 11:40**

1. God having provided something better for us.
2. That they should not be complete apart from **us**.

### **Hebrews 12:1**

1. Therefore, we also are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses.
2. Let us lay aside every weight and sin which so easily ensnares **us**.
3. Let us run with endurance the race that is set before **us**.

## **How Do We Run**

### **Hebrews 12:2**

1. Looking unto Jesus.
  - a. The originator and perfecter of our faith.
  - b. Who for the joy set before Him endured the cross.
  - c. Despising the shame has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

### **Hebrews 3:12-15**

1. Be on watch lest there be in any of you an evil heart of unbelief.
  - a. Departing from the living God.
  - b. V-13 Exhort one another daily while it is called today.
  - c. Lest any of you be hardened through the deceitfulness of sin.
  - d. V-14 We have become partakers of Christ if we hold the beginning of our confidence firm to the end.
  - e. Today if you will hear His voice
    1. Do not harden your hearts as in the rebellion.

## **Hebrews 4:1-2**

“Therefore, since a promise remains of entering His rest, let us fear lest any of you seem to have come short of it. For indeed the gospel was preached to us as well as to them; but the word which they heard did not profit them, not being mixed with faith in those who heard it.”