Persevering by Faith

Hebrews 11:1-6 (series #27)

Intro: the chapter and verse divisions in the Bible - chapters in 1227 A.D. by Stephen Langton

- verses in 1555 A.D. by Robert Stephanus
- I. The Description of Faith v. 1
 - A. The assurance of things hoped for
 1st Peter 1:8
 - B. The conviction of things not seen
 Romans 8:24; 2nd Corinthians 4:18
- II. The Commendation of Faith v. 2
- III. The Example of Creation v. 3
 Gen. 1:3, 6, 9, 11, 14, 20, 24, 26, 29
- IV. The Example of Abel v. 4
 Genesis 4:1-15; Hebrews 12:24
- V. The Example of Enoch v. 5 Genesis 5:21-24
- VI. The Priority of Faith v. 6

 A. Believe that God exists
 - B. Believe He rewards those who seek Him

Conclusion: God rewards faithfulness!