**JONATHAN’S COURAGEOUS FAITH**

1 Samuel 13:23-14:52

Key Verse: 14:6

1. Review the situation of Saul’s army. Why did Jonathan not tell his father about his plan? (1)

2. How did Jonathan demonstrate his courageous faith in the Lord? (4-6) Think about his view of God and of the Philistines. How did his armor-bearer encourage him? (7)

3. How did Jonathan seek God’s sign? (8-10) Think about his co-working, his seeking God’s will and his act of faith. What can we learn from Jonathan about how to fight spiritual battles in our time?

4. Why did Saul decide to seek God’s will and then stop? (18-19) How did God give Israel a great victory? (23)

5. Why did Saul give the order not to eat food? (24) Why did he try to kill his son Jonathan, and how was Jonathan saved? (36-46)

6. How did God use Saul to deliver Israel from her enemies? (47-48, 52)