**28 August 2019 Word on Wednesday James 2:14-26**

Schedule

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| **No** | **Date** | **Topic** | **Text** |
| *1* | *10-Jul-19* | *Overview / Trials and Temptations* | *James 1:1-18* |
| *2* | *24-Jul-19* | *Doers not Hearers* | *James 1:19-27* |
| *3* | *14-Aug-19* | *Do not show favoritism* | *James 2:1-13* |
| 4 | 28-Aug-19 | Faith and Works | James 2:14-26 |
| 5 | 25-Sep-19 | Tame our Tongues with Wisdom | James 3:1-18 |
| 6 | 9-Oct-19 | Submission to God | James 4:1-12 |
| 7 | 23-Oct-19 | Warning for the Proud and Rich | James 4:13-5:6 |
| 8 | **\*6-Nov-19** | Patience in Suffering | James 5:7-12 |
| 9 | 27-Nov-19 | Summary / Prayer of Faith | James 5:13-20 |

\*Take note of the change in date for the November WOW

**Question and Answer Exercise**

**James 2:14-26 (ESV)**

**14**What good is it, my brothers, if someone says he has faith but does not have works? Can that faith save him?

**15**If a brother or sister is poorly clothed and lacking in daily food,

**16**and one of you says to them, “Go in peace, be warmed and filled,” without giving them the things needed for the body, what good is that?

**17**So also faith by itself, if it does not have works, is dead.

**18**But someone will say, “You have faith and I have works.” Show me your faith apart from your works, and I will show you my faith by my works.

**19**You believe that God is one; you do well. Even the demons believe—and shudder!

**20**Do you want to be shown, you foolish person, that faith apart from works is useless?

**21**Was not Abraham our father justified by works when he offered up his son Isaac on the altar?

**22**You see that faith was active along with his works, and faith was completed by his works;

**23**and the Scripture was fulfilled that says, “Abraham believed God, and it was counted to him as righteousness”—and he was called a friend of God.

**24**You see that a person is justified by works and not by faith alone.

**25**And in the same way was not also Rahab the prostitute justified by works when she received the messengers and sent them out by another way?

**26**For as the body apart from the spirit is dead, so also faith apart from works is dead.

**Personal Application**

1. What has God revealed about Himself?
2. How must I now live?