Every July in the middle of the month, Major League Baseball holds its All-Star Game. Since 1933 the American League stars and National League stars have met. Recently MLB has given the winning league in the All-Star game home field advantage during the World Series. Fans just like you and me, can vote for the starting line-ups for each team. Ballots are available at Major League and Minor League parks as well as online. When a person makes the All-Star team they are one of the very best in baseball and will always be known as an All-Star. It is a great honor and privilege to represent your team and league in the All-Star Game. The superstars of baseball gather each year for this very special event. The greatest players in baseball history all have earned the title of All-Star by their great pitching and hitting.

In our Scripture lesson today, the writer of Hebrews gives us a glimpse of how we can make God’s All-Star Team. Chapter 11 in the book of Hebrews has been called God’s All-Star Team. The one thing that enabled each of them to be considered an All-Star for God is faith. By faith we are able to do great things for God! When we put our faith and trust in Him, God will use us to do great things for his Kingdom. How is your faith today? Do you put your faith and trust in God? If you give your life to Him and believe in Him with faith and trust, congratulations you have just been selected a member of God’s All-Star Team. On the baseball field, All-Stars can do great things. In the game of life, God’s All-Stars can and will do great things for Him. Isn’t it time to make His All-Star Team?

Visual Aid: print out or secure an All-Star Ballot