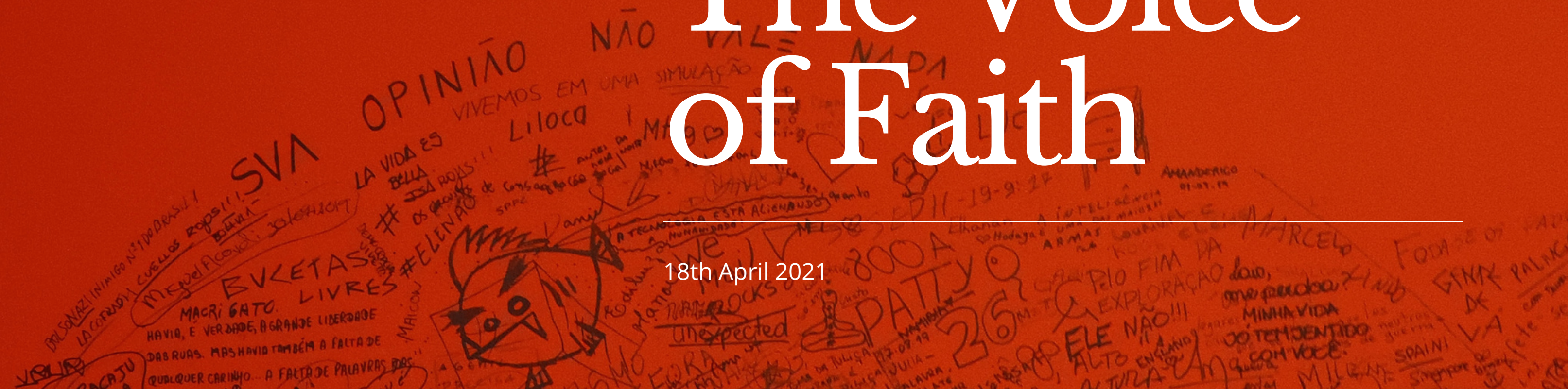




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# The Voice of Faith

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“for **we live by faith**, not by what we see with our eyes.

2 CORINTHIANS 5:17 (TPT)

“Now faith is the **assurance** (the confirmation, the title deed) of the things [we] hope for, being the **proof** of things [we] do not see and the **conviction** of their reality [faith perceiving as real fact what is not revealed to the senses].”

Hebrews 11:1-2 (AMPC)

# 3 voices of faith



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## 1 SAMUEL 17:24-30 (NLT)

“As soon as the Israelite army saw him, they began to run away in fright. “Have you seen the giant?” the men asked. “He comes out each day to defy Israel. The king has offered a huge reward to anyone who kills him. He will give that man one of his daughters for a wife, and the man’s entire family will be exempted from paying taxes!” David asked the soldiers standing nearby, “What will a man get for killing this Philistine and ending his defiance of Israel? **Who is this pagan Philistine anyway, that he is allowed to defy the armies of the living God?**” And these men gave David the same reply. They said, “Yes, that is the reward for killing him.” But when David’s oldest brother, **Eliab**, heard David talking to the men, he was **angry**. “**What are you doing around here anyway?**” he demanded. “**What about those few sheep you’re supposed to be taking care of? I know about your pride and deceit.** You just want to see the battle!” “What have I done now?” David replied. “I was only asking a question!” He walked over to some others and asked them the same thing and received the same answer. Then David’s question was reported to King Saul, and the king sent for him.”



## DAVID

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# God is the only giant in your life.

Don't let the *voice of human pride* steal your godly confidence. Rise up and take steps of faith to face the giants in your life.



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## JOSHUA 16:4-13 (NLT)

“As Caleb said to Joshua, “Remember what the Lord said to Moses, the man of God, about you and me when we were at Kadesh-barnea. 7 I was **forty years old** when Moses, the servant of the Lord, sent me from Kadesh-barnea to explore the land of Canaan. I returned and gave an honest report, 8 but my brothers who went with me frightened the people from entering the Promised Land. For my part, I wholeheartedly followed the Lord my God. 9 So that day Moses solemnly **promised me**, ‘The land of Canaan on which you were just walking will be your grant of land and that of your descendants forever, because you wholeheartedly followed the Lord my God.’ 10 “Now, as you can see, **the Lord has kept me alive** and well as he promised for all these forty-five years since Moses made this promise—even while Israel wandered in the wilderness. **Today I am eighty-five years old. 11 I am as strong now as I was when Moses sent me on that journey, and I can still travel and fight as well as I could then.** 12 So give me the hill country that the Lord promised me. You will remember that as scouts we found the descendants of Anak living there in great, walled towns. **But if the Lord is with me, I will drive them out of the land, just as the Lord said.**” 13 So Joshua blessed Caleb son of Jephunneh and gave Hebron to him as his portion of land.



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**God is a promise keeper.**

Don't let the *voice of unbelief* stop you  
from being ready to see and seize the  
promises of God.

## DANIEL 3:16-18 (NLT)

16 Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego replied, “O Nebuchadnezzar, we do not need to defend ourselves before you. 17 If we are thrown into the blazing furnace, the **God** whom we serve **is able** to save us. **He will rescue** us from your power, Your Majesty. 18 **But even if he doesn’t**, we want to make it clear to you, Your Majesty, that **we will never serve your gods** or worship the gold statue you have set up.”



## DANIEL

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**God is God.  
God can do whatever He wants.**

Don't let the *voice of misplaced faith* steal  
your life of worship.



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