Engine Room November 2023 - Oiling the Engine

Men of Devotion

Christ-centred Men John 13:13

 Adam as a blueprint Genesis 2

 Recovering our male responsibility – helped by the Holy Spirit

 Renewing our mind - Philippians 1:9-11

 Renewing our will – Psalm 51: 10-12

 Devoted to Christ - Romans 5:5

“Man of God” - warrior

 OT - leaders (with a militarist undertone)

 NT Timothy Fight the good fight 1 Tim. 6:11-12

 Equipped for every good work 2 Tim. 3:17

 The full armour of God Ephesians 6

Men of Prayer 1 Timothy 2:8

 Psalm 23:3a

 Isaiah 12:3

DISCUSSION

What obstacles do you face (social, spiritual, personal) in having a regular time with the Lord ?

How can you encourage yourself/others to be more disciplined when it comes to setting aside time for the Lord?

A Devotional Life

 When? Where? How often?

DISCUSSION

Share some Tips about finding time & space for time with God

**How Should I pray?** Psalm 62:8

 The Lord’s Prayer

We pray - To the Sovereign Lord - who we call “Abba”

 - Through the Son – we have access through the blood of Christ (Eph.2:18)

 - by the Holy Spirit - he helps us in our weakness (Romans 8:26)

A doration

C onfession

T hanksgiving

S upplication

**How should I read the Bible?** 1 Pet.1:25 - 2:2