Leadership Track

September 17, 2017

Agenda

- Why we should spend time in the Word
- Logistics
- Study methods
- Application to daily life
- Obedience

Why spend time in the Word...

- So that we can prosper according to *God's* standards (Joshua 1:8) read, obey and know
- Reprove, correct, train, and equip every believer for "every good work." (Second Timothy 3:16)
- **Storehouse** of powerful weapons to defend against temptations and tests and carry them through severe trials and tribulations. (Psalms 119:11)
- Sustenance in times of difficulty (Matthew 4:4)
- We know God through Jesus and we know Jesus through His word.

Logistics

- Be deliberate
- Find a friend (spouse, family member, Parkview, community group, friend)
- Technology (mobile, plans, audio)

Study Methods

- 2 introductory remarks (Chronological, and if not John / Matthew)
- The Bible project
- 3 Ponds
- Warren Wiersbe and other "deep dive" options (Study Notes from Life Application Study Bible NIV)
- Memorization / Topical Memory System

Application to Daily Life

- "Go to" resource in times of need for you and those around you
- Helpful to pass along scripture to children/family as well
- Useful in personal prayer life (Romans 8:26)
- Can shift your focus off of things of *this* world
- Helpful in conversations with friends and in counseling others
- Enjoyable in church :)

Obedience

- Memorization / repetition
- Bible Discovery Method (what we've learned about God, ourselves, how our life would be different
 if we applied and who else should hear this)

Questions / Comments / Concerns..?