

HOMECELL NOTES

PS AIDAN – Men full of faith and the Holy Spirit

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WELCOME: Welcome everyone in the HC and all FTV's.

WORSHIP: Sing 2 Praise and 2 Worship Songs.

WORD

MEN FULL OF FAITH AND THE HOLY SPIRIT

Read: Acts 6: 1-6, Acts 11: 19-24

- Being a good man, full of faith and full the Holy Spirit
- God is going to activate men for Him
- Our world needs men who can make a difference in it:
 - Men who can show and lead the way
 - Men who can alleviate pain and suffering in our world
 - Men who will fight for the safety of women and children in our country
 - Men who live as true ambassadors for Christ
 - Men who will not be silenced, roll over or be intimidated
 - Men who will not sell out
 - Men who can't be bought, bribed or corrupted
 - Men who can reform society by addressing social and economic injustices
- Our world needs good men, who live for more than themselves
- It's easy to get onto a plane and fly away, but it's another thing to stay and make a difference
- We must use our faith for more than just ourselves and our family
- Our world needs good men like Stephen and Barnabas
 - Who lived for the cause of Christ
 - Who pursued a purpose much bigger than themselves
 - Who understand that this world is not their home
- These men were unstoppable because they were full of faith and the Holy Spirit
- If men wants to raise Godly children, lead our families, please God and fulfill your destiny – they need to be full of faith and full of the Holy Spirit
- Because of the many challenges men face such as pressure or carry the burden of responsibility to provide they need to know how to be men full of faith and the Holy Spirit

Being a man full of faith

- Being men of faith is nothing more than putting God and His word at the centre of your life and obeying Him
- Abram – Heb. 11:8-12
- Caleb – when Moses sent the 12 spies to spy out the promised land they all saw the same thing, but only two chose to focus on the main thing

Read: Num. 13:30-33

When men are no longer full of faith

- They start talking about giants
- They start magnifying problems
- Their conversations are now filled with excuses and reasons
- When you minimize yourself the world will minimize you

Caleb pleased God because he had a different spirit

- He was full of faith and the Holy Spirit
- We be well able, let us go up at once

Read: Num. 14:28-30

- You need to hear the voice of God and not the echo of negativity

Read: Heb. 11:6 and John 15:4-5, 7-8

- The only way to feed and strengthen your Faith is through a continual abiding relationship with the Father through His Word
- Without faith you cannot please God
- Faith is what separates you from the world
- You have to abide in God – walk with Him always – without Him you can do nothing

You can't buy faith

Read: Rom. 10:17

- Faith comes as you spend time in His Word
- Your relationship with God should be your top priority and never become a by the
 - You live by faith
 - You overcome by faith
 - You please God by faith
- Protecting and feeding your faith should be a top priority in your life
- Bringing your family to church should be your first responsibility of the week
- Joshua said "As for me and my house we will serve the Lord
- You will not possess the promised land if you are not full of faith

Read: Jos. 1:5-9

Our faith journey

- As men never give up, back down or throw in the towel
- Keep on keeping on
- Persevere in faith, until

Read: 2 Cor. 4:8-9, 13, 18, Cor. 5:7, Heb. 6:11-15, Heb. 10:35-38

WORKS:

OUR MANDATE STATEMENT: WIN THE LOST AT ANY COST

Reminders:

- Invite your world to Church and Homecell!
- Word through your invite lists and pray for the people you want to invite

