

CHAPEL MESSAGES FOR THE WEEK ENDING 20th NOVEMBER 2020

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O le ala i le pule ma le manuia, o le tautua.
The path to leadership and success, is service.

MONDAY, 16th NOVEMBER 2020

Good Morning All

A warm spring day greets us! Giving thanks.

CONGRATULATIONS to our Senior School and Leaver's 2020 for your achievements and success which we gave thanks for and celebrated on Friday. THANK YOU to the Wesley Community, family and friends for your support.



Our theme for this week is

'STAY FOCUSSED.'

The Bible reading was from Proverbs 2: 1-11 on page 772 in the Wesley Bibles.

As we head to the end of our term and academic year, the encouragement is to STAY FOCUSSED! Don't drop the ball just yet! There is still work to be completed. It ain't over till it's over. Be encouraged. Sometimes when things draw to an end, we tend to think that we can start to take things easy, begin to kick back and some of us are thinking 'it's over already.'

The reading reminds us to STAY FOCUSSED and what facilitates this is the understanding that it requires our whole self not parts of our self - listening using our ears, keeping what has been told us in our hearts, watch what comes out of our mouths, make sure to set our eyes straight looking ahead, being careful where we walk, being steadfast in all that we do, keep our feet from wandering down the wrong path. When we involve our whole self in the act of STAYING FOCUSSED and on task ... STAYING FOCUSSED comes easily to us.

The school year isn't over just yet, in order for us to all finish together, in order for us to finish well STAY FOCUSSED!

STAY HUMBLE.
STAY FOCUSSED.
STAY BLESSED.

Have a blessed day and week.

TUESDAY, 17th NOVEMBER 2020

Good Morning All

Gorgeous spring day out here on the farm. God is good!

CONGRATULATIONS to the Senior School for their academic success which was celebrated at Senior Prizegiving.

Year 11 !st Troy Wigley

Year 12 !st Billy Tomu

Dual Dux Samsara Faitala and Anthony Gayner

CONGRATULATIONS to Old Boy Mr Ernie Lepper and Mrs Ngaire Lepper who were made Fellows of Wesley College at the Leaver's Dinner on Friday. A recognition and acknowledgement of their many years of service to the School.

We continue with our theme for this week: STAY FOCUSSED - Don't drop the ball just yet!
The Bible reading was from Philippians 3:15 to 20 page 1468 in the Wesley Bibles.

When we hear someone say 'They dropped the ball' and it's not referring to a game being played. It's usually describing an 'off the field' moment, someone who hasn't completed something properly, who has failed to finish a task, who didn't see things through to the end. who can't be depended on who has made a mistake, or has missed an opportunity. Sometimes people will say 'The goal was in sight, but they dropped the ball.'

It's the same with our faith, sometimes we aren't at all careful. We take our eye off the ball, we let it slip from our grasp, we fail to hold on to and to STAY FOCUSSED on those things important to our everyday life and faith.

We are encouraged to hold on tight to our faith, to STAY FOCUSSED on our hope, to sustain our confidence in Christ, to uphold our values, to defend our beliefs, to maintain our integrity, to affirm our self-worth, to cling to our Christian values.

In other words STAY FOCUSSED - don't drop the ball just yet!

Let's keep doing what we have to, surround ourselves with people who are on the same track so we won't be distracted.

Let's be committed to the end, to working hard and STAYING FOCUSSED. Only good things come from God's effort when we do.

today I
will:

- 1) BE THANKFUL.
- 2) SEE THE GOOD IN OTHERS.
- 3) TRUST GOD'S WAYS.
- 4) HAVE HOPE.
- 5) GO OUT OF MY WAY TO BLESS SOMEONE.

@JENESSAWAIT

Have a blessed day.

WEDNESDAY, 18th NOVEMBER 2020

There was no Chapel message today.

THURSDAY, 19th NOVEMBER 2020

There was no Chapel message today.

FRIDAY, 20th NOVEMBER 2020

There was no Chapel message today.

