

Tuesday Chapel Service- 08/09/2015

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Series: Understanding the Power of Prayer

Topic: Prayer a platform for accessing divine wisdom

Introduction

The altar of prayer is the altar of empowerment to survive in this wicked world, 1 John 5:1 and one of the vital forces of redemption made available to us. Prayer is also a platform of turning trials to testimony.

Divine wisdom is available in the word of God because the Bible is the wisdom of God in print. Matthew 11:19, Job 28:7-11

What is Divine Wisdom?

- Divine wisdom is the applied knowledge of the truth Matthew 7:24&25
- It is also the Holy Ghost inspired insight from what one's sees, hear, read and observe, Proverbs 6:6-9.
- The knowledge of the right way to go and going there Romans 8:14, John 21:5&6
- Knowing the right thing to say by divine inspiration and saying it. Luke 21:15

How do we access Divine Wisdom?

- Through asking (Prayers): If anyone lacks wisdom, he should ask God, Who gives generously to all, James 1:5. We should accept our helplessness and depend on God to give us wisdom for our daily activities.
- Through the Fear of the Lord: Through the fear of the Lord, we obey His commandments by praying without ceasing Psalm 11:10, 1 Thessalonians 5:17.
- Through inspiration- one can access inspiration via prayers Proverbs 19:1, Job 32:8.

Examples of great men who had Divine Wisdom

- **Daniel:** Daniel was relevant for 65 years in the land of captivity Daniel 1:17, 20. If you want to excel in life, the God factor cannot be removed.
- **Paul** was also a man of prayer 2 Peter 3:15 &16
- **Joseph-** he feared God never to perpetuate evil even when faced with diverse temptations. Gen 41