

ORGANIZING MY TIME
#SermonTime
Skills For Living With Purpose - Part 6
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PRIORITIZE the values that matter most.
UNDERSTAND your God given SHAPE.
RESOLVE to fulfill God's purpose.
PRAYERFULLY establish a life mission.
ORGANIZE my time around my purpose.

Ephesians 5:15-16 Live life with a due sense of responsibility, not as those who do not know the meaning of life but as those who do. **Make the best use of your time...** (PH)

TIME MANAGEMENT GOD'S WAY

1. PRIORITIZE MY GOALS AROUND MY PURPOSE

1 Corinthians 9:26a So I run straight to the **goal** with **purpose in every step...** (LB)

Hebrews 11:6a And **without faith** it is **impossible to please God...** (NIV)

2 Corinthians 10:13b **Our goal** is to measure up to **God's plan** for us... (LB)

2. ORGANIZE MY ACTIVITIES AROUND MY RELATIONSHIPS

Ecclesiastes 8:6 There is a **right time** and a **right way** to do everything, but **we know so little!** (TEV)

Proverbs 17:24 An intelligent person aims at wise action, but a fool **starts off in many directions.** (TEV)

Proverbs 16:9 We should **make plans**—counting on **God to direct us.** (LB)

5 Relationships To Focus On

- **FOCUS ON MYSELF**

Luke 2:52 And Jesus increased in **wisdom**, in **stature**, and in **favour with God** and **with people.** (NJB)

- **FOCUS ON MY FAMILY**

1 Timothy 5:8 If anyone does not provide for his relatives, and especially for his immediate **family**, he has denied the **faith**... (NIV)

- **FOCUS ON MY CHURCH**

Ephesians 2:19 Now you are no longer strangers to God and foreigners to heaven, but you are **members of God's very own family**, citizens of God's country, and **you belong in God's household** with every other Christian. (LB)

- **FOCUS ON MY WORK**

Colossians 3:23 Whatever you do, work at it **with all your heart**, as **working for the Lord**, not for men. (NIV)

- **FOCUS ON MY WORLD**

Romans 14:7 For none of us lives to himself **alone** and none of us dies to himself **alone**. (NIV)

Proverbs 19:21 You can make many **plans**, but only the LORD's **purpose** will **prevail**. (NLT)

3. HARMONIZE MY SCHEDULE AROUND MY VALUES

Psalm 90:12 **Teach us to number our days** and recognize how few they are; **help us to spend them as we should**. (LB)

Proverbs 10:27 **Reverence** for God **adds hours to each day**... (LB)

Matthew 11:28 Jesus said, "**Come to me**, all of you who are weary and carry heavy burdens, and **I will give you rest**." (NLT)