

# **bottom line**

Consecrating time & space is the first step to living in God's purpose.



### corresponding teaching content

Invite your group members to watch the corresponding sermon by Pastor Andrew on <u>LivingInhabit.com</u>'s Media page before you begin this week's discussion guide.

## group icebreaker

How does our generation avoid boredom? How about the generations above/below?

## reading scripture together

Read Daniel in the Lion's Den (feel free to split it up) — Daniel 6.

## play today's group intro video



## suggested discussion questions

#### getting connected with scripture:

- How do you imagine Daniel avoided being corrupted in a position of power in a pagan empire? (Extra ideas if needed: godly friends, formational habits)
- Read Verse 10 again. Why do you think Daniel would continue this habit after the king's decree? What about this habit might have made it non-negotiable to him?

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	(TIME)	in	(PLACE)		

### getting real with each other:

- Do you have any non-negotiable spiritual formation habits yet? If so, can you share?
- What are the greatest obstacles you will face in carving out more time for God?
- What are the greatest obstacles you will face in finding a quiet place?
- Do you agree with this week's bottom line? Why or why not?

### getting practical with our faith:

- What would you think about trying Daniel's plan of kneeling to pray 3x a day?
- Based on what you know about yourself and your life, when will be your best opportunity to consecrate or devote 10 minutes of your day to God?
- What will you need to do to create a quiet, distraction free location?
- Have you known or heard of people who do this well? What do they do?