## Men's Ministry Vision 2024-2025

At Men's Ministry, we hope to create an environment that supports the Men of CCF to live their life as a Christian man as God intended.

We want to build genuine and intentional relationships between brothers so that we can continuously sharpen each other and also build each other up especially in times of struggle and hardship - experiences we all inevitably face. Often, these struggles are battles for our hearts - between God and fleeting earthly treasures. Unknowingly or gradually but knowingly, we let things take control of our lives and leave God as secondary. We let academic or career success or being liked by our friends dictate how we live, and we place our identity in these things rather than in Christ. Therefore, the role of Men's Ministry is to encourage and sharpen each other for God, for it is written in Proverbs:

As iron sharpens iron, so one person sharpens another.

Proverbs 27:17

The people we surround ourselves with often shape our lives, which is why it's very important that we create a strong community centered on God. At the Men's ministry, we aim first to cultivate deep and authentic relationships. We strive to create an environment where meaningful connections are formed through shared experiences and genuine friendships. We want to include everyone and make each and every guy feel at home at Men's min and be comfortable and vulnerable with each other.

Two are better than one, because they have a good return for their labor: If either of them falls down, one can help the other up. But pity anyone who falls and has no one to help them up Ecclesiastes 4:9-10

As a student, it's easy to put off thinking about God or how to glorify God in our daily lives or how to live out the great commission until Sunday. Thus, one goal of the Men's Ministry is to teach and encourage the men of the fellowship weekly to live their lives for Jesus. By gathering together, we aim to spur each other to hide the Word of God in our hearts so that we can live as faithful witnesses of God's Kingdom throughout the week, not just on Fridays or Sundays.

And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching

Hebrews 10:24-25

What does this look like?

We aim to discuss the most relevant and important topics such as sin, relationships, evangelism, and manhood in practical ways. But we don't want to stop there, we want to encourage one another and keep each other accountable to see real growth and conviction. Just like a man can train his body, we want to train the soul.

"For the training of the body has limited benefit, but godliness is beneficial in every way, since it holds promise for the present life and also for the life to come"

1 Timothy 4:8

Additionally, we hope to equip the men of the fellowship with a Biblical view of relevant topics such as money, future careers, manhood, and relationships so that they may be empowered to navigate these areas with a Christ-centered mindset. We hope this can transform our hearts and fill us with a desire to surrender wholeheartedly to God, training and empowering us to actively bring his kingdom to Earth by living in a Godly manner, full of faith, humbleness, and obedience.

But you, man of God, flee from all this, and pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance and gentleness. Fight the good fight of the faith. Take hold of the eternal life to which you were called when you made your good confession in the presence of many witnesses.

1 Timothy 6:11-12