

Welcome - what's the most exciting/inspiring race or sporting achievement you've ever seen?

Word - We are bringing the True North series in to land....

Read Hebrews 12 v. 1-3

These verses talk about our fifth compass for staying true North which is ENDURANCE

- What does this word convey or mean to you?
- What examples do you have where you have had to endure and you're glad you did?

The 3 challenges to running with endurance mentioned here could be stated as...

Discouragement - distraction - disqualification

- What do these 3 words mean to you?
- What examples could we give of these things at work in our lives?

The writer says the answer is to 'fix our eyes on Jesus.' He is our North Star, he is the ultimate compass we have to stay True North.

- Why is this so liberating and inspiring?
- What does it mean to you to fix your eyes on Jesus? How can that work out practically?

'Endurance is the product of anticipated joy'

- What does this mean to you?
- For Jesus the joy was you and I in relationship with him, why is that so powerful?

'It's not your endurance that's the key it's His!'

- What does this mean to you?
- In what areas of your life do you need His endurance right now, His help, His energy, His resources, His power, His guidance?

Finish by praying for one another, be open to speak words into each other's lives.
Thank God for His North Star and that He has a name.....JESUS!