



home meeting discussion guide | week of November 15, 2015

Wakeful Walking

1. Read together

Ephesians 5:1-21

2. Questions:

1. What was the most impactful, encouraging, challenging or confusing from this text and sermon?
2. Do you agree that our culture is desensitized to the sexual sins Paul describes in this passage? Why or why not? Why might certain people be prone to become more desensitized to some types of sexual sin than others?
3. Why is our talk about sex important? Why does Paul contrast crude joking with thanksgiving? If sex is a good gift of God, how and in what context(s) should we talk about it with other people?
4. Becoming a Christian fundamentally changes our identity from darkness to light. How does that change our relationship with the darkness? What would it look like to expose the darkness with the right motives?
5. Practically, how can you make the best use of the time? What are ways you can "ransom the time from its evil bondage?" Is there some pressing change you feel you need to make when you hear that phrase?
6. What's one specific area where you need to wake up from your slumber and to let Christ shine on you? How can your home meeting pray for you and support you in that?

[Break into smaller groups for prayer.]