

Review

Initial comments, questions, and reactions about the sermon?

Main Points:

1. **Why do we walk with Jesus?**
2. **How do we walk with Jesus?** Walk in love, Walk in the light, Walk in wisdom.

Reflect

Read Ephesians 5:1-21.

Questions:

1. **Focus on verse 2.** Pastor Todd said that “You will never be motivated to do what God wants you to do unless you understand what God has done for you.” What does verse 2 tell us about what God has done for us? Often as we grow in our relationship with God, our understanding of the Gospel develops. Share with your group one way God has opened your eyes to His truth throughout your walk with Him.
2. Love is the unmistakable mark of a Christ-follower. Verse 2 teaches this truth as Paul communicates that we must “walk in love.” How are you doing with loving others? Where or when is it hard for you to love others?
3. **Focus on verses 8-12.** Practically speaking, what does it mean to walk in the light versus walking in darkness? Read Galatians 5:16 together. How does this verse relate to Ephesians 5:8-12?
4. **Focus on verse 18-20.** Pastor Todd shared that wisdom is what we need for the times that the Bible doesn’t tell us exactly what to do – like what job to take, where to send our kids to school, etc. Worship is the soundtrack for our soul and can guide us and connect us to God in amazing ways. Discuss within your group ways that worship helps you, grows you or affects you?

Respond

Application.

Understanding what Christ has done for you – that you have literally moved from death to life, should cause us to be all in with Jesus. What areas of your life are you in darkness? Like Pastor Todd shared about hitting the snooze button, are there areas that you continue to put aside instead of surrendering to God?

Pray

Go around as a group and ask for prayer requests. Pray as a group together.

Dig Deeper

If you have time.

Read Ephesians 5:15-21.

Main Points:

1. In verse 18 it talks about the difference between being full of alcohol and full of the Spirit of God. What does that comparison teach you about the role of the Spirit in our lives?
2. In verse 19 it takes about the priority of worship and singing to each other. What does that say about the weekend service, and why do you think it's so important?
3. In verse 21 it uses the word that no one like – submit. How would you define that word, what is the benefit of submission, and who is this command for?

Announcements

Please share with your group! Encourage them to visit the CCC website to sign up or to get more information

1. **CCC 101:** Another session of CCC 101 kicks off on November 7, for three weeks. To discover what that means, get familiar with our church doctrine, and become a member, find out more and sign-up at ccchapel.com/CCC101.
2. **CCC Members** can sign up online for **Serve 101** on Wednesday, November 28 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. The class is designed to help you understand how you are wired, what your passions are and how you can best use your gifts to serve inside and outside of CCC.
3. **re | engage** has open sessions on the first Monday of the month. Join us for November 5 for all couples who want to invest in a marriage that will thrive. The group meets from 6:15-8 p.m. to hear testimonies and encourage one another through God's word.

Don't forget to edit a few scripture references in your devotional:

- p. 101 (week 9, day 4): Philippians 2:3-8 should be Matthew 19:4-9. The question following it is correct.
- p. 109 (week 10, day 2): Philippians 2:3-8 should be Genesis 3:1-21. The question following it is correct.