1. Be imitators of God
   a) Ephesians 4:32-5:2 What does it mean to be imitators of God? How is that even remotely possible? (1 Peter 1:13-16, 1 Corinthians 11:1)
   b) Why is it important to remember that we are “dear children” as we continue our growth in grace?
   c) Why is love the primarily attribute we are called to imitate? John 13:34-35, 1 John 4:7-8
   d) Ephesians 5:2 What does it mean to “walk in love”?

2. Not imitators of this sinful world
   a) Ephesians 5:3-7 What sinful practices common in Paul’s day are still common today?
   b) The condemnation in Ephesians 5:5 is very severe. What hope does Paul offer in 1 Corinthians 6:9-11?
   c) Who shared a word of hope with you when you felt trapped in a sinful life?

3. Walk as children of light
   a) Ephesians 5:8 What important lesson can we learn from Paul’s counsel here? (Philippians 2:14-16)
   b) Who enables us to walk as children of light? Ephesians 5:9 (See also Galatians 5:16,22-25)
   c) Ephesians 5:10 What are some ways we can find out what is pleasing to the Lord?
   d) What inspired insight in Hebrews 13:20-21 is an encouragement for those who desire to do what is pleasing to the Lord?
   e) Ephesians 5:6 What are some “empty words” we hear today from people who seek to divert us from walking as children of light?
   f) Ephesians 5:11-13 What should motivate us to expose the unfruitful works of darkness? Ephesians 4:15, Matthew 7:1, John 3:16-17, etc.

4. Redeeming the time
   a) Ephesians 5:15-16 What does Paul mean by the expression “redeeming the time”?
   b) Why is time so precious, especially in these last days of earth’s history? Revelation 12:12
   c) Ephesians 5:17 What promises can we find in the Scriptures for those who desire to walk wisely, making the most of every opportunity God provides? James 1:5, Psalm 32:8, Jeremiah 33:3, etc.

5. Engaging in Spirit-inspired worship
   a) Ephesians 5:18-20 Rather than engaging in drunkenness and immorality, what exhortation does Paul give to Christians in Ephesus?
   b) How does Paul’s exhortation reinforce the teaching of Jesus recorded in John 4:21-24?
   c) What blessings come when we share spiritual songs with one another and to the Lord?