

SERMON APPLICATION SHEET FOR:

Pastor Tony Felich

Walking Wisely in Evil Days

Ephesians 5:15-21

January 3, 2021

Sermon Text	Sermon Notes
<p>Ephesians 5:15 Look carefully then how you walk, not as unwise but as wise, [16] making the best use of the time, because the days are evil. [17] Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is. [18] And do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery, but be filled with the Spirit, [19] addressing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody to the Lord with your heart, [20] giving thanks always and for everything to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, [21] submitting to one another out of reverence for Christ.</p>	<p><i>God's Word, Spirit, and People help us navigate evil days.</i></p> <p>I. God's Word is your guide.</p> <p>II. God's Spirit is your helper.</p> <p>III. God's People are your communion.</p> <p>Memory verses for 2021-</p> <p>Ephesians 5:15-21</p> <p>[15] Look carefully then how you walk, not as unwise but as wise,</p> <p>[16] making the best use of the time, because the days are evil.</p> <p>[17] Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is.</p> <p>[18] And do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery, but be filled with the Spirit,</p> <p>[19] addressing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody to the Lord with your heart,</p> <p>[20] giving thanks always and for everything to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ,</p> <p>[21] submitting to one another out of reverence for Christ.</p>

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Sermon Application Questions

1. How are the days in which we live evil?
2. How does understanding the will of the Lord grant wisdom for our walk?
3. Discuss this statement about being filled with the Holy Spirit from James Boice-
"Being filled with the Spirit refers to being so under the Holy Spirit's control and leading that our thought and life are entirely taken up with Jesus Christ, to whom it is the Spirit's chief responsibility to bear witness."
4. What is the main reason we practice submission to one another as brothers and sisters in Christ according to the text?
5. What does living out our communion with other believers look like in practical terms this year?

Prayer Requests

This week our family will lift up requests for:

This week our family will praise the Lord for:

HFG Notes & Actions:

Next HFG meeting is: