

Bible Study for August 9-15, 2021

Read: Ephesians 5:15-20

Notes:

True wisdom integrates our new reality in Christ with our Christian fellowship and daily conduct. Because we are filled with the Spirit, Christians regularly rejoice together, give thanks to God for one another, and care for one another. In this way we revere our Lord Jesus Christ.

Questions to Ponder:

How hard has it been to rejoice together over the past year? What do you miss the most?

What have we been doing to care for one another while under pandemic restrictions?

How do you judge the difference between living as a wise person versus an unwise person?

What measuring stick do you use? Finances? Happiness? Family closeness? Something else?

What would you consider opportunities (verse 16) you can make the most of? What moves you to take or decline such an opportunity?

If we were to take verse 18 literally, does it allow us to get drunk on something other than wine? Why or why not?

How does singing and making music (verse 19) improve our mood? Could the same be said for giving thanks to God? (verse 20)