

## **FUSION Q's... Relationships that Honour God 7: Living in the Light**

### ***Discussion Starter...***

Ask the students how their week went. Are there things your students want to pray about?

### ***Discussion Questions***

Q1. What do you think it means to “live in the light” (what does it look like)?

Q2. Why do you think God desires us to live in the light? What is the alternative?

Q3. Do you tend to hide the bad things you do, or let everyone see? Why do you think this is?

Q4. Who are the people you want to hide things from the most? Why do you think this is?

### ***Read Ephesians 5:6-17***

Q5. What does living in the light produce in people?

Q6. How can we determine what pleases the Lord?

Q7. Our culture wants us to live in darkness because darkness hides sin, but our passage tells us to live in the light and that everything will eventually be exposed. Is this incentive for you to start living your life in the open now instead of hiding behind privacy? Why or why not?

Q8. What steps do you need to take to start living your life in the light?

### **Bible Passages for Fusion Discussion**

#### **Ephesians 5:6-17 (NLT)**

<sup>6</sup> Don't be fooled by those who try to excuse these sins, for the anger of God will fall on all who disobey him. <sup>7</sup> Don't participate in the things these people do. <sup>8</sup> For once you were full of darkness, but now you have light from the Lord. So live as people of light! <sup>9</sup> For this light within you produces only what is good and right and true.

<sup>10</sup> Carefully determine what pleases the Lord. <sup>11</sup> Take no part in the worthless deeds of evil and darkness; instead, expose them. <sup>12</sup> It is shameful even to talk about the things that ungodly people do in secret. <sup>13</sup> But their evil intentions will be exposed when the light shines on them, <sup>14</sup> for the light makes everything visible. This is why it is said,

“Awake, O sleeper,  
rise up from the dead,  
and Christ will give you light.”

<sup>15</sup> So be careful how you live. Don't live like fools, but like those who are wise. <sup>16</sup> Make the most of every opportunity in these evil days. <sup>17</sup> Don't act thoughtlessly, but understand what the Lord wants you to do.