Sermon Notes: Ephesians 5:1-21
Imitating God

MAIN POINT: Christians imitate God.

4 WAYS TO IMITATE GOD

1. **We imitate God by loving others.** (Ephesians 5:2)

2. **We imitate God by living purely.** (Ephesians 5:3-14)

3. **We imitate God by acting wisely.** (Ephesians 5:15-17)

4. **We imitate God by being controlled by the Holy Spirit** (Ephesians 5:18-21)

Applying the Sermon Passage

Take some time this week to reread Ephesians 5:1-21 and answer these application questions as a family, with some friends or individually.

1. Identify one person you know of who displays characteristics of God. (ie. Is an imitator of God)

2. Identify one practical example of how a Christian can imitate God in the following ways?

   - Loving others (Ephesians 5:2)

   - Living purely (Ephesians 5:3-4)

   - Acting wisely (Ephesians 5:15-17)

   - Being filled with the Holy Spirit (Ephesians 5:18)

3. Which one of these can you put into practice this week?