

**Walking Wisely In a Woke World:
First Scots Sunday School
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Key Text: Ephesians 5:15-17- "Look carefully then how you walk, not as unwise but as wise, making the best use of the time, because the days are evil. Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is."

1. We All Have a Worldview

a. The Christian Worldview Hinges on Four Points:

- i. Creation
- ii. Fall
- iii. Redemption
- iv. Restoration

2. Understanding the Woke Worldview

- a. Woke: A contemporary worldview that interprets social problems primarily through categories of identity, power, oppression, and inequality, and seeks justice by transforming the structures and relationships that are believed to produce those inequalities.
 - i. Social Binary
 - ii. Hegemonic Power
 - iii. Lived Experience
 - iv. Social Justice

3. The Problem of Defining Inequality as Injustice

4. How Did We Get Here?

a. Three Key Steps:

i. Slavery and Racial Issues

ii. The #MeToo Movement

iii. The Sexual Revolution

5. **Walking Wisely:** To walk wisely in a confused world, we need to know the story God has told us about the world—and the gospel that stands at the center of that story.

6. Practical Responses As We Engage:

a. Pray

b. Know Scripture and Theology

c. Listen Well

d. Speak the Truth in Love