

How to avoid making a mess of your life - Connect group Notes

Intro

Can you think of any funny stories where you have made any foolish decisions? Maybe refer to your younger teenage years if that helps. Keep it light, haircuts, fashion choices etc.

Questions

- What is your understanding of the statement: 'Nobody plans to make a mess of their life, we just don't plan not to!'
- Read 1 Kings 3:5-14. Why do you think Solomon asks for wisdom? What would you have asked God for if you were in Solomon's shoes?
- Spend some time discussing the 3 questions Andy posed, where have you seen these work for you? Are any relevant right now? Would any of these have helped in the past?
 - Given the experiences of my past, what's the wise thing to do?
 - Given my present situation, what's the wise thing to do?
 - Given the decisions I've made about my future, what's the wise thing to do?
- Read Proverbs 9:9-12
 - Do you think you are the only one to benefit from wisdom? Are you the only one to suffer from 'scorning wisdom'?
- What decisions around wisdom do you need to make today to grow and cultivate wisdom in your life?

Pray

- Invite the Holy Spirit to give those that want it, the gift of wisdom.
- Pray for healing for those in the church facing major health battles right now.

Encourage

Please remind your group about the summer socials and to sign up on the website or at the connection point on Sunday.