

Home Group Questions  
For the week of January 13, 2019

**Discussion Questions: Esther 9&10:**

1. Chapter 9 verses 10, 15 and 16 tell us the Jews did not take the plunder, even though the law allowed them to take it. What do you think stopped them? Are there times when we need to stop ourselves doing things that are legitimate? How do we approach those times?
2. Why do you think it was so important that the Jews observe Purim? What would happen if they didn't celebrate Purim and how would this affect their relationship with God?
3. To what extent is communion like Purim? Does it have the same importance?
4. How do you think Mordecai is like Jesus in chapter 10? How is Jesus different from Mordecai? Read 2 Corinthians 5:21. What assurance do you take from this verse?