

Title: **Construction: Building Together**  
Text: **Nehemiah 3:1-32**  
Date: **April 2, 2023**

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## Big Idea

As God's people, we are called to serve Him together and one another for His glory!

### 1. The U\_\_\_\_\_ & D\_\_\_\_\_ of God's People

(cf. Exodus 35:30-25, John 17:21, 1 Corinthians 12:12-27, Ephesians 2:20-21)

### 2. The A\_\_\_\_\_ & A\_\_\_\_\_ of God's People

### 3. The H\_\_\_\_\_ & H\_\_\_\_\_ of God's People

(cf. Judges 5:1-12, John 13:14-15, Philippians 2:1-11, Mark 10:45, Matthew 21:6-11, Zechariah 9:9)

### Reflection Questions

- In what ways have you seen the power of the gospel to unite different people together?
- When was a time you experienced the joy of working alongside others for a common goal? What is it about serving together that unites people together?
- Have you ever been unwilling to serve or help out? What were the reasons why you didn't?
- What are some areas perhaps you can serve beyond your strengths, abilities, experiences or comfort? Are there new ways in our church community where you can serve?
- As we consider Palm Sunday (and Easter Sunday), how does this passage remind you of who Jesus is - and why He came to this world?

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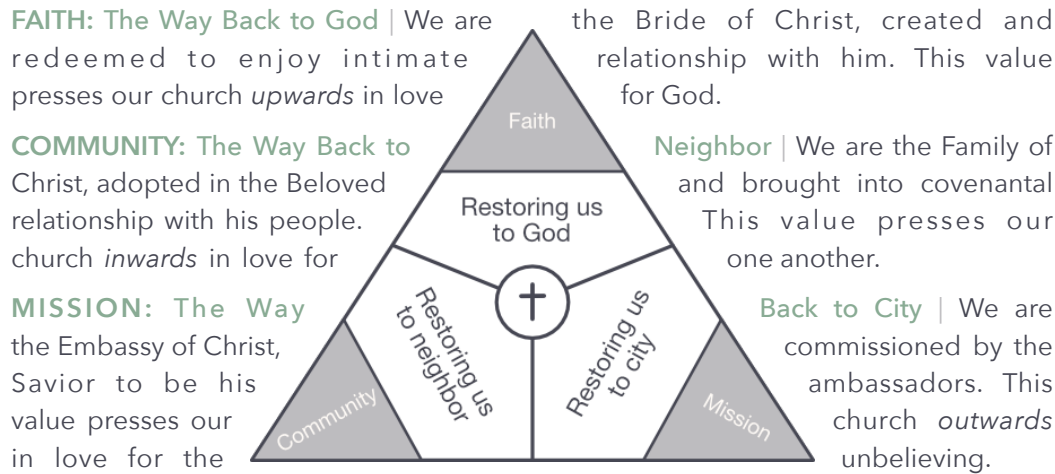


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*Mercy Hill Church exists to help restore us to God, neighbor, and city through the good news of Jesus Christ.*



## Your Next Steps

When approaching the Christian faith and life, it can be confusing to know where to even begin. Come find us at the Next Steps Table after the service—it would be our joy to help you along in the journey! And if you're a visitor, we have a special gift bag for you. Don't miss it!



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We are so glad you've joined us today!

## Announcement Spotlight

### Easter @ Mercy Hill!

With Easter just around the corner, here are some details we want to make you aware of . . .

#### EASTER EGG HUNT & NEIGHBORHOOD OUTREACH EVENT (SATURDAY 4/8):

We're mixing things up this year. In an attempt to better serve and reach the neighborhood around Mercy Hill, we are going to be hosting a standalone event on Saturday, April 8th. It will be held at 3:00pm in the pavilion around the back of Allen at Steinbeck Elementary. We'll have an egg hunt (with prizes!), face painting, bulb-planting, cotton candy, and a whole lot more. Of course, all Mercy Hill families are invited. And we hope you'll invite friends, neighbors, coworkers, etc. as well!

Please scan the QR code below to find a link to RSVP. This will help us know how many to plan for!

#### EASTER SUNDAY SERVICE (SUNDAY 4/9):

Join us at 10:00am for a special service celebrating the resurrection of Jesus. We'll sing songs of worship, spend time in God's Word, and linger after together over coffee and sweets.

#### Ever Wondered? - Sunday, April 16th

Every now and then we try to specifically take up a question it seems those curious or even skeptical about Christianity might be asking and devote a whole Sunday sermon to addressing it. These sermons are a part of what we've titled our ongoing Ever Wondered? sermon series. The Sunday following Easter, we'll be tackling another one: ***Aren't Christians Just a Bunch of Hypocrites?*** Have you ever wondered about this? Do you know anyone else who has? Please, INVITE your curious/skeptical friends. And pray God uses this Sunday to help encourage people towards him.

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