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Text: **Nehemiah 7**
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Big Idea

Whatever God calls us to, we do so with His people by faith for His glory!

While the rebuilding the walls of Jerusalem was complete, Nehemiah's work wasn't completely finished...

1. ...R_____ God's G_____ (v.1)

(cf. Romans 12:1-2, 1 Corinthians 10:31, John 17:4)

W_____ matters to God

2. ...R_____ & Raise Up L_____ (vv.2-3)

(cf. 1 Timothy 3:1-13, 1 Corinthians 13:1-3, Luke 11:39-52)

F_____ matters to God

3. ...R_____ the P_____ (vv.4-73)

(cf. Deuteronomy 4:9, 32:7, Psalm 145:4, Hebrews 11, 12:1-3)

P_____ matter to God



Reflection Questions

- Why is it so easy for us to do things for God and yet forget about God in the process?
- In what ways have you perhaps lost sight of why you're doing what you're doing -- and for who you're doing it for?
- What might it look like for you to worship God (re: keeping God's glory as the focus) in the different areas of your life (i.e. work/school, home, leisure, relationships, etc.)?
- What are some differences between how the world views and evaluates leaders vs. what the Bible teaches?
- How have you been encouraged by the faithfulness of others -- from the past or those around you?
- How does the life of Jesus -- and the gospel message -- give you encouragement in light of this passage?

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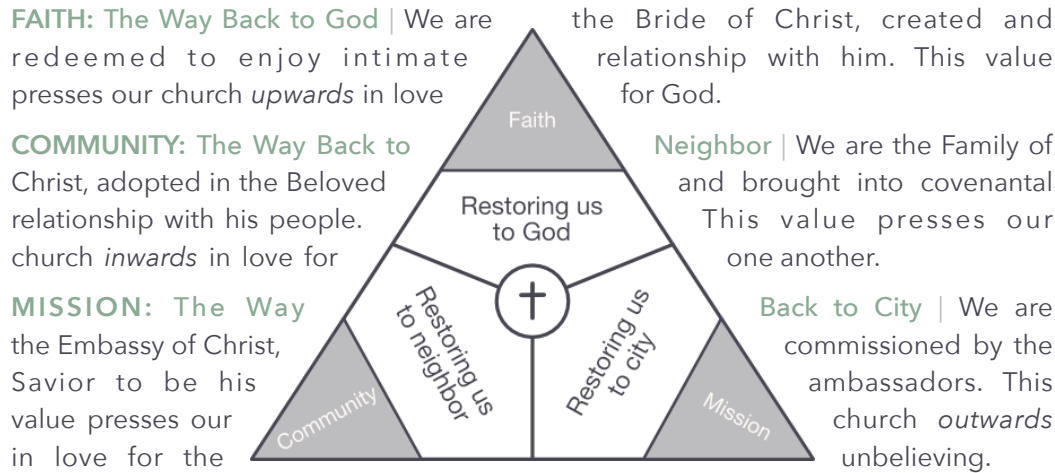


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When approaching the Christian faith and life, it can be confusing to know where to even begin. Come find us at the Next Steps Table after the service—it would be our joy to help you along in the journey! And if you're a visitor, we have a special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



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Welcome to Mercy Hill Church.
We are so glad you've joined us today!

Announcement Spotlight

All Church Hangout - BBQ Next Sunday (8/6)!!!

Come join us next Sunday (8/6) immediately following the service, we'll be changing things up a bit. Our plan is to grill hot dogs and burgers (with a veggie option, if preferred)! We'll also have cotton candy, water balloons and other fun activities—not just for the "little kids", but also for us "big kids" as well :)

All you need to do is RSVP by Friday (8/4)—and let us know if you'd like to bring a side dish, appetizer, or desert—so we can make sure we have enough food (and fun) for everyone!

If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to us at info@mercyhillchurch.org.

Redwood Walk Adventure (Sat, 8/12)

Mercy Hill Families, we are excited to announce our next outdoor adventure! This time we will be exploring the giant redwood trees found within Henry Cowell Redwoods State Park as well as continuing some creek walking fun at Cable Car Beach near the San Lorenzo River! Much of the trail is stroller friendly and relatively easy so please bring your entire family and any friends you would like to invite along! We hope you all are able to join us as we gaze up in wonder at the majestic green giants our Lord has created!

Please see the QR code below for additional information as well as a place to RSVP!

If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to Megan Weber at kids@mercyhillchurch.org.

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