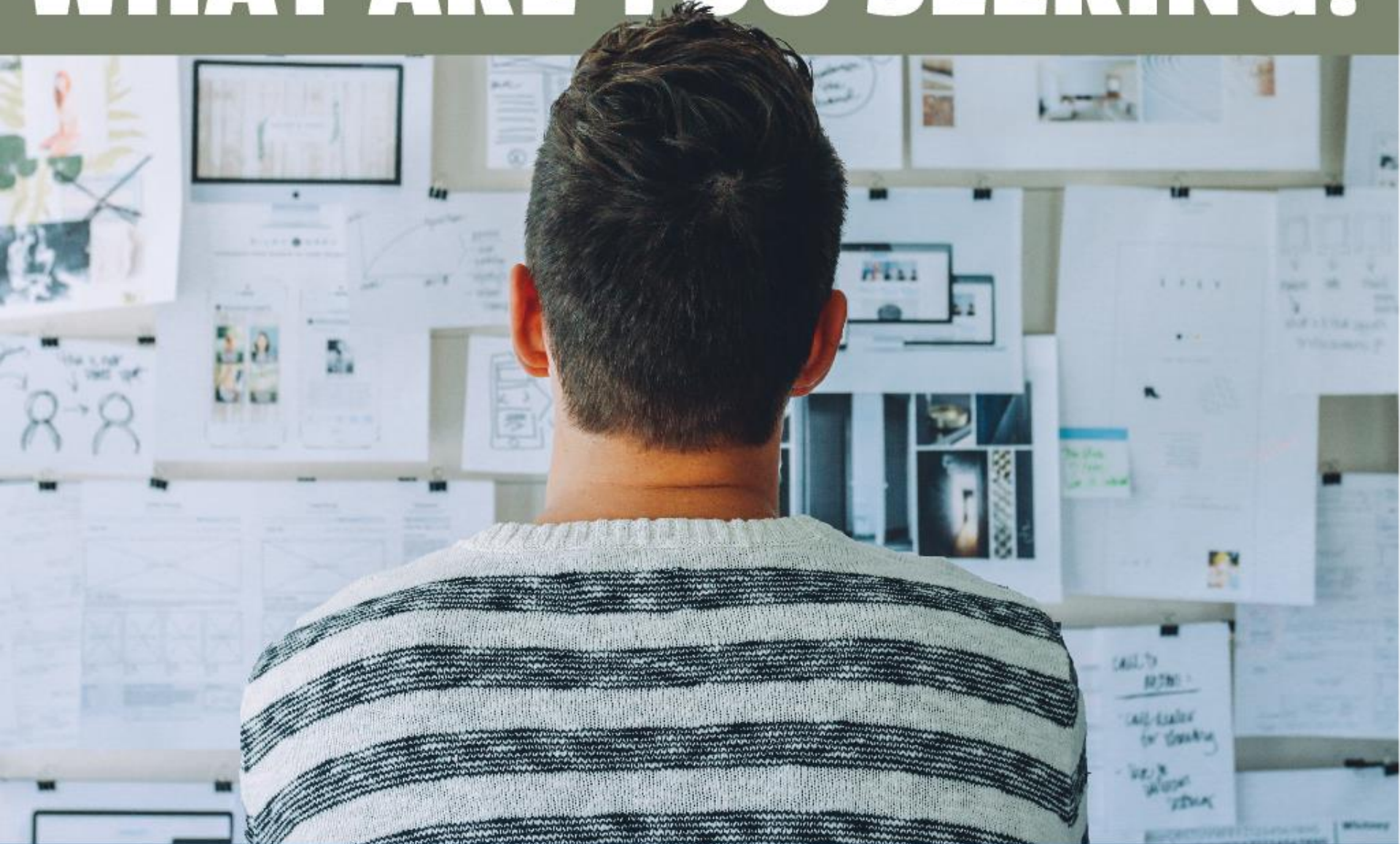


# WHAT ARE YOU SEEKING?



Message Series | Jan. 7 - March 18

# The Prophet Haggai

## (four sermons)

1. Resume building God's temple!
2. Be encouraged in building God's temple!
3. Give careful thought about God's temple!
4. Next week!

# God's temple

(where God wants to live with his people)

Garden  
of Eden



New Heaven  
& New Earth

Tabernacle

Temple

Jesus Christ

Church

Believers

538-536 BC

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# THE NEO-BABYLONIAN EMPIRE/JUDAH EXILED











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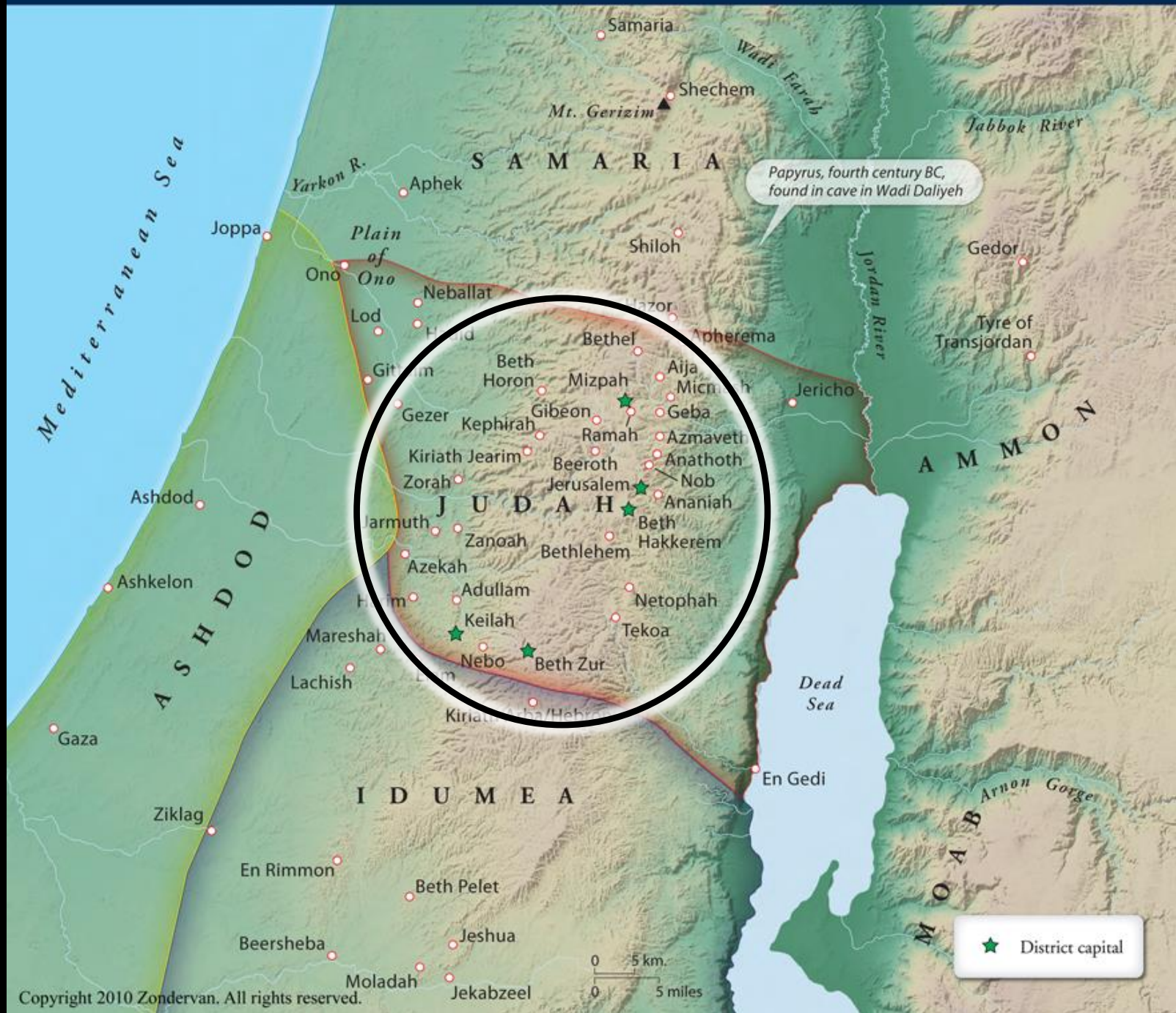


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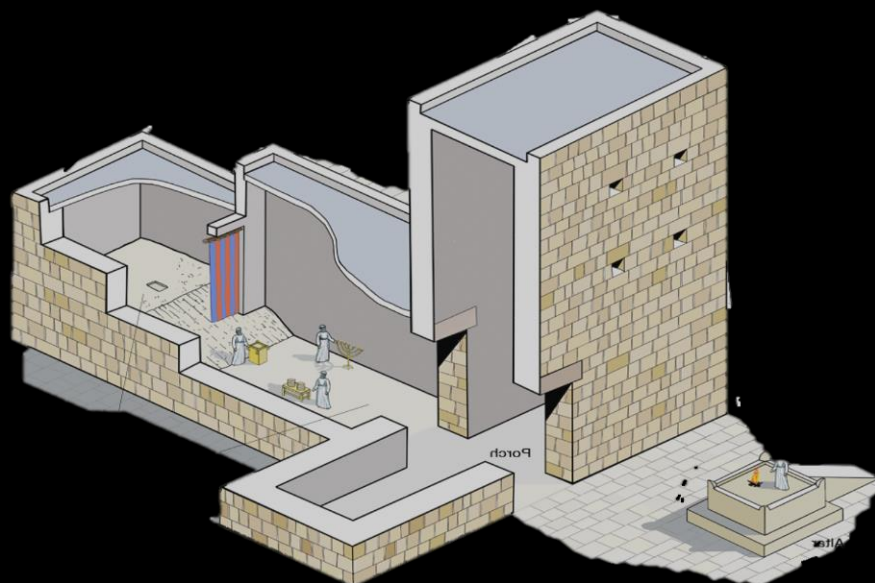
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- To what you **were** seeking (15-17)
- To what you **are** seeking (18-19)

“So don’t worry about these things, saying, ‘What will we eat? What will we drink? What will we wear?’ These things dominate the thoughts of unbelievers, but your heavenly Father already knows all your needs. Seek the Kingdom of God above all else, and live righteously, and he will give you everything you need” (Matthew 6:31-33, NLT).