

**THREE PROMISES FROM GOD**  
**HAGGAI 1-2 / 11-18-20 / WED**

**I. FIRST, GOD PROMISES TO BE WITH US.**

A. God promised to be with the returning exiles as they rebuilt the Temple—1:13.

1. This is Jesus' promise too—Matt. 28:20.
2. This promise is also found in Hebrews 13:5.

B. What can we do knowing that God is with us?

1. Anything—Phil. 4:13.
2. Israel certainly believed this—1:14 ; 2:4-5.

**II. SECOND, GOD PROMISES THE BEST IS YET TO COME.**

A. God says this—2:6-7.

B. Peter, however, tells us Christians are now God's Temple—1 Peter 2:5.

C. God promises that the best is yet to be, not only for Israel but for us too—2:9.

**III. THIRD, GOD PROMISES HIS BLESSINGS START NOW.**

A. God gave this promise to Israel—2:19b.

1. Once Israel rebelled against God and He withheld His blessings—1:9-10.
2. Now they obeyed God and He promised to start blessing them again—1:12.

B. Notice it requires faith to begin to see God's promises—Hebrews 11:1.