



ancient wisdom for today's decisions

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2018 / I WAS CUPBEARER TO THE KING

NEHEMIAH 1:8-11

“Remember the instruction you gave your servant Moses, saying, ‘If you are unfaithful, I will scatter you among the nations, but if you return to me and obey my commands, then even if your exiled people are at the farthest horizon, I will gather them from there and bring them to the place I have chosen as a dwelling for my Name.’

“They are your servants and your people, whom you redeemed by your great strength and your mighty hand. Lord, let your ear be attentive to the prayer of this your servant and to the prayer of your servants who delight in revering your name. Give your servant success today by granting him favor in the presence of this man.”
I was cupbearer to the king.

NEHEMIAH 8:2-3, 5-6

So on the first day of the seventh month Ezra the priest brought the Law before the assembly, which was made up of men and women and all who were able to understand. He read it aloud from daybreak till noon as he faced the square before the Water Gate in the presence of the men, women and others who could understand. And all the people listened attentively to the Book of the Law. Ezra opened the book. All the people could see him because he was standing above them; and as he opened it, the people all stood up. Ezra praised the Lord, the great God; and all the people lifted their hands and responded, “Amen! Amen!” Then they bowed down and worshiped the Lord with their faces to the ground.



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- 26-35
- 36-54
- 55+

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- Are new here
- Would like to get connected
- Have questions about my faith
- Would like to serve at Hope

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Bag-It Sunday ~ On the first Sunday of every month, Hope collects non-perishable food items and delivers them to local food banks. Take a bag this Sunday, fill it this week, and bring it back next Sunday!

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The Family Wonder ~ On October 7 at 5pm, the Family Wonder is back for the 4th event in our series for families! This experience is aimed at families with 5-year-olds - 5th graders, but all are welcome. Child-care provided for kids 4 and under. Reserve a free ticket at hopecentral.com/event/thefamilywonder

2018 Golf Classic ~ Registration now open for the 2018 Hope Church Golf Classic, held Monday, October 15 at The Federal Club! All proceeds go to Hope Students Scholarships. Register, sponsor, or learn more at hopecentral.com/golfclassic

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+ Lodge: 9:30am, 11am

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+ Thomas Jefferson High School
+ Sundays @ 10:30am

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