TAWM Wednesday Relaunch "A Good Work" Pastor Beck Payne September 02, 2020

Scripture: Nehemiah 1:1-4

LESSONS LEARNED FROM NEHEMIAH'S "GOOD WORK":

- 1. Something broke His heart and he became burdened
- 2. He sought God in prayer
 - Prayer turns our <u>hearts to God</u>.
 - Prayer <u>deepens our ownership</u> of a need.
 - Prayer settles our soul so we can hear and receive from God.
 - Prayer <u>infuses vision</u> and helps us <u>see what God sees</u>.
 - Prayer <u>ignites our faith</u> and <u>prompts us to action</u>.
- 3. He stood up
 - Nehemiah 2:4
- 4. <u>He seized</u> a <u>vision</u>
 - Nehemiah 2:4
- 5. He set a plan
 - Nehemiah 2:11-15
- 6. He set up a team—involved others
 - Nehemiah 2:16-18
- 7. He steadily experienced obstacles and opposition
 - Enemies
 - <u>Distractions</u>
 - Weary workers
 - Nehemiah 4:1-18
- 8. <u>He stayed</u> the course

- Nehemiah 6:1-3; 9
- 9. He simply understood the significance of the "good work"
 - Nehemiah 6:15-16

God's invited all of us into a "good work"—an eternal work.