

Change is the Point: Week 8
The book that Leads to Change Nehemiah 8

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Small Group Discussion Questions

Getting Started

Take some time to catch up and ask each other how you saw God's hand in your life this week.

Pacing Your Group

Move quickly through "observation" and "reflection", leaving enough time for "discussion" and "surrender."

Scripture Reading

Read aloud the passage for this week's study, slowly enough for everyone to enjoy.

Nehemiah 8 1-18

Observation: What does this scripture passage say?

1. What new things did the people hear in scripture that caused them to take action?
2. What does the phrase "walk in worshipful obedience" mean to you?

Reflection: What are some first thoughts flowing from the scriptures?

1. How are we to be Hungry for God's word Nehemiah 8:1-8
2. How are we to be Responsive to God's word Nehemiah 8:9-12
3. How are we to be Obedient to God's word Nehemiah 8:13-18

Discussion: Talking together about how the scriptures connect to everyday life.

1. How can we continue to read scripture so it doesn't become habit or ritual in our lives but a walk in worshipful obedience?
2. Share a time when you were obedient to God's word after reading scripture.
3. Share a verse or story in scripture that is hard to be obedient to or act on.
4. Read Isaiah 55:8-11
5. How does this verse instruct us as believers in regard to evangelism and how we should live our life?

Surrender: Responding to God's voice.

Colossians 3:12. Forgiveness is always hard. Is there someone in your life today that you need to ask God strength to forgive? How is this part of walking in worshipful obedience?

We're here!

We would love to hear about how things are going in your small group!

Reach out any time with questions, ideas, thoughts, or concerns.

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