# Making Room for God The Best is Yet to Come - Part 3 January 21, 2024 Pastor Lane Olson New Song Community Church

#### A. Making Room for God.

- 1. Ask God to turn your heart toward Him.
- 2. God has a plan for us, but He responds to our actions.
- 3. His way is better than our way.

## Ephesians 3:20 (NLT)

- i. God is not limited by our ideas.
- ii. His way is supernatural.
- 4. Train your brain to dwell on spiritual things.

## Isaiah 26:3 (NLT)

## B. Walking in the Blessing and Favor of God: Take action.

- 1. Do a personal priority inventory.
  - i. What is the last thing you think about just before you go to sleep?
  - ii. What do you think about when you first wake up in the morning?
- 2. If you really want to get closer to God, you have to take action!
- 3. Some action steps to consider.

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## C. Investing time with God.

## **Joshua 1:8-9 (NLT)**

- 1. Good success comes from consistent daily devotions.
- 2. Tough times come when we are at the doorway to our destiny.

## D. Show Up.

- 1. Presence: come to church.
- 2. Be present where and when God is speaking.
- 3. Positioning yourself to hear from God on His timetable.
  - i. Going about your daily life.
  - ii. Associate with people who are seeking God.

#### Proverbs 13:20 (NIV)

# **Next Steps: Today I am:**

- 1. Making a commitment to follow Jesus
- 2. Making the commitment to seek God with all my heart.
- 3. Asking God for help in establishing consistent devotions in my life.
- 4. Asking God to help me to be a consistent New Song attender watcher.