

THE RETURN

Small Group

APPLICATION QUESTIONS

"Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says." James 1:22 NIV

SUMMARY

Pastor Frank taught a message entitled "The Reformer and His Reformation" from Nehemiah 13. In this final message of our series *The Return*, we learned many important lessons from Nehemiah regarding how to live as a reformer!

1. We saw how there was a cycle that Israel often repeated: compromise, brokenness, repentance, and restoration. How have you seen this pattern play out in your own life?
2. From the life of Nehemiah, we learned that reformers are resolute, resilient, and resigned. Do these words describe you? If not, what step(s) can you take to grow in these attributes in your life?

APPLICATION

3. True reformation requires that we recognize what's wrong, remove it, and then replace the wrong with what's right. As you look at your life presently, what needs to be reformed?
4. As we wrap up our series through the books of Ezra and Nehemiah entitled "The Return", what's one or two big lessons that you took away?

PRAYER

Pray that we would allow the eternal truths that we learned in our study of Ezra and Nehemiah to change us more into the image of Christ.

