

Nehemiah

Theme: Restoration and the House of the Lord

Weekly Reading Schedule

- ☐ Sunday - Ezra 1-6
- ☐ Monday - Ezra 7-10
- ☐ Tuesday - Neh. 1- 6
- ☐ Wednesday- Neh. 7-9
- ☐ Thursday - Neh. 10-13
- ☐ Friday - Esther 1-5
- ☐ Saturday - Esther 6-10

Memory Verses:

- ★ Nehemiah 1:3-4
- ★ Nehemiah 2:17-18
- ★ Nehemiah 4:6
- ★ Nehemiah 8:8

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Interesting Facts

- ❖ Written “by” Nehemiah about 430 B.C.
- ❖ Primary personality “Nehemiah” meaning “God Comforts” is the “author.”
- ❖ The book more than any other relates closely to the personality of its author. “The book thrills and throbs and pulsates with the tremendous force of this man’s will” G. Campbell Morgan
- ❖ Nehemiah has 13 chapters, 406 verses, 10480 words, and takes about 1 hour to read.

Memorable Outline of Nehemiah

- I. The rebuilding of the wall of Jerusalem (1-7)
- II. The consecration of the people (8-10)
- III. The Consolidation of the work (11-13)

Scheme of Redemption The Redeemed Rebuilding

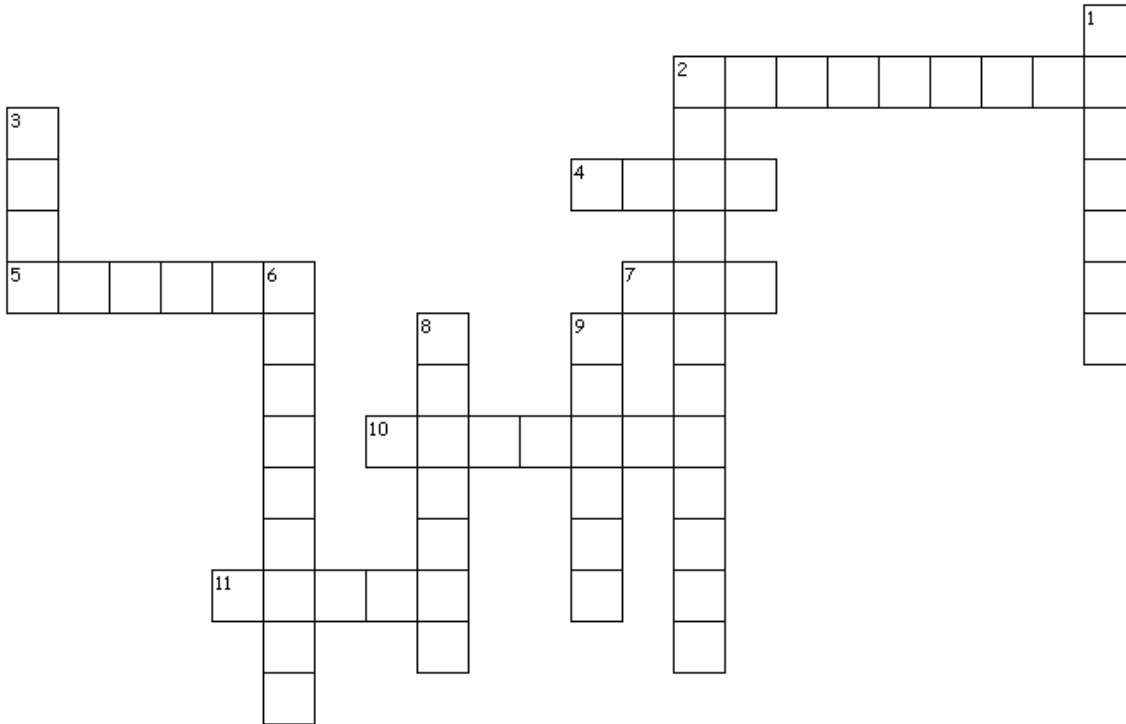
“Then said I unto them, Ye see the distress that we are in, how Jerusalem lieth waste, and the gates thereof are burned with fire; come, and let us build up the wall of Jerusalem, that we be no more a reproach. Then I told them of the hand of my God which was good upon me; as also the king’s words that he had spoken unto me. And they said, Let us rise up and build. So they strengthened their hands for this good work.”
(Nehemiah 2:17-18)

What to look for as you read:

1. God’s faithful providence for the remnant
2. The people’s dedication and trust
3. The overcoming of opposition
4. The continued commitment to consecrated reform

Notes

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Across

2. The Samaritan who led the opposition to the wall building
4. He read the law before the congregation
5. Sanballat's side-kick
7. the plain where Sanballat called to meet Nehemiah
10. The profaning of this day was a problem in Judah
11. When Nehemiah took his tour of the city

Down

1. What the people did when Ezra "opened the book in the sight of all the people
2. What they did regarding their hands for the work of building
3. What Nehemiah did in response to news of the stat of Jerusalem
6. The father of Nehemiah
8. A nation which along with the Ammonite was forbidden to come into the congregation
9. What was in their "other hand" while working on the walls