

EZRA ПЕНЕТИАН



August 9, 2020

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Traditional Worship Service

9:00 am

Welcome to Worship

Praise Medley

No. 249

No. 211

***How Great Is Our God
Glorify Thy Name
I Love Thee***

Scripture Reading

***Matthew 25:34-40
1 John 3:17-18***

Hymn of discipleship and Service

No. 605

Because I Have Been Given Much

Testimony in Song

Even in the Valley

Choral Ensemble

Sermon

***A Real World Kingdom Ethic
Nehemiah 5:1-13***

Dr. Todd Pylant

Hymn of Response

No. 277

Take My Life, and Let It Be Consecrated

Announcements

Benediction

Guest WiFi Code: weworship
Directory Download Code: weconnect

Contemporary Worship Service

11:00 am

Worship Elements

Songs

There's Nothing That Our God Can't Do
How Great Thou Art
Hallelujah Here Below
Have it All

Sermon

A Real World Kingdom Ethic
Nehemiah 5:1-13

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DISCOVERING CHURCH MEMBERSHIP CLASS

Postponed

This Week's Scripture Memory Verse

*When the righteous cry for help,
the LORD hears and delivers them out of all their troubles.
The LORD is near to the brokenhearted and saves the crushed in spirit.*
(Psalm 34:17-18 ESV)

This Week's 5-Day Bible Reading Plan

Proverbs 1 ~ Proverbs 2 ~ Proverbs 3 ~ Proverbs 4 ~ Proverbs 5



Nehemiah 5:1-13

Now there arose a great outcry of the people and of their wives against their Jewish brothers. ² For there were those who said, "With our sons and our daughters, we are many. So let us get grain, that we may eat and keep alive." ³ There were also those who said, "We are mortgaging our fields, our vineyards, and our houses to get grain because of the famine." ⁴ And there were those who said, "We have borrowed money for the king's tax on our fields and our vineyards. ⁵ Now our flesh is as the flesh of our brothers, our children are as their children. Yet we are forcing our sons and our daughters to be slaves, and some of our daughters have already been enslaved, but it is not in our power to help it, for other men have our fields and our vineyards."

⁶ I was very angry when I heard their outcry and these words. ⁷ I took counsel with myself, and I brought charges against the nobles and the officials. I said to them, "You are exacting interest, each from his brother." And I held a great assembly against them ⁸ and said to them, "We, as far as we are able, have bought back our Jewish brothers who have been sold to the nations, but you even sell your brothers that they may be sold to us!" They were silent and could not find a word to say.

⁹ So I said, "The thing that you are doing is not good. Ought you not to walk in the fear of our God to prevent the taunts of the nations our enemies? ¹⁰ Moreover, I and my brothers and my servants are lending them money and grain. Let us abandon this exacting of interest. ¹¹ Return to them this very day their fields, their vineyards, their olive orchards, and their houses, and the percentage of money, grain, wine, and oil that you have been exacting from them." ¹² Then they said, "We will restore these and require nothing from them. We will do as you say." And I called the priests and made them swear to do as they had promised.

¹³ I also shook out the fold of my garment and said, "So may God shake out every man from his house and from his labor who does not keep this promise. So may he be shaken out and emptied." And all the assembly said "Amen" and praised the LORD. And the people did as they had promised.

A Real World Kingdom Ethic

1. Nehemiah was confronting the people with _____

2. Nehemiah was confronting people with a _____ world
application of the command to _____ your
_____ as _____

3. Correctly applying a _____ ethic to real world
problems is _____, but the church should advocate
for the _____ in _____ ways

COVID19 Update

Almost every aspect of our daily lives is constantly reacting to the changing conditions created by the spread of COVID 19, and our church is no different. Back in May, we shared our Four Phased Plan to Re-open the First Baptist Church of Benbrook. We entered Phase 2 in June with the return of on-campus worship services on Sunday morning. We were hoping to enter Phase 3 in August which would have added on-campus Sunday School classes for all ages to our schedule. However, we believe the conditions in our community have not improved to the point where this is possible. Right now, we are hoping to begin on-campus Sunday School classes for all ages in September or October. Until then, we will continue to gather together for on-campus worship on Sunday mornings and to practice social distancing seating and asking all who attend to wear a mask to keep other safe. The Church Staff is diligently working toward special online programs for the Church to participate in during this time.

FAMILY CONNECTION BAGS

We are launching Family Connection Bags for the month of August to bring the fun of Sunday School home. Each bag will correspond with the online Sunday School material posted on Facebook weekly and supply all your needs to have Sunday School at home. Each week families will be able to pick up a bag for each child that will include a short parent devotional, family activity ideas, the Sunday School Activity Pages, supplies and instructions for a craft, and a snack! Sign-ups for the bags are on the church website. Deadline to sign-up for the August 16th bag, is August 11th.

CHURCH MAIL-IN ADDRESS CHANGE

The Church has a new mailing address.

The new address is: P.O.Box 26804, Benbrook, 76126.

Please send your mail-in tithes and offerings to the Church to participate in during this time. Thank You!

August 2nd in Review

Attendance:

Traditional Worship	85
Contemporary Worship	83

Financial Report

Budget Offering:	\$19,464.71
Designated Offering:	\$5,980.00
Weekly Budget Need:	\$16,707.39
Link2Future to Date:	\$253,906.22

This Week At A Glance

Sunday, August 9

9:00 AM	Traditional Worship
11:00 AM	Contemporary Worship

Wednesday, August 12

6:30 PM	Prayer Meeting
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