

“Recognizing the Good Hand of God”
Nehemiah 2:1-10

Ice Breaker:

- What do other people say you are passionate about and excites you? Are there other things you'd like to be remembered as being passionate about?
- What would you attempt if you were guaranteed you would not fail? Why?

Read Nehemiah 2:1-10

1. What insight, principle or observation did you find to be the most fresh, eye-opening or troubling? Explain.
2. What can be learned from Nehemiah waiting four months before addressing his plan with the king?
3. What are some reasons Nehemiah may have been afraid when the king noticed he was sad?
4. Have you ever had a passion or burden that has developed and grown over time? Explain.
5. What is a burden and passion God has placed in your life right now? Is it short-term, for a season or a life-long endeavor?
6. How do you see Nehemiah actively working and still being completely dependent upon God?
7. What are some specific examples or circumstances in your life where you have seen God clearly move and provide – where you recognize the good hand of God? (Take time to worship and give Him glory)
8. When have you experienced opposition for living out your faith? What are some things that help as you face the opposition?

Pray for one another.

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God – help us to have:

1. A passion and burden . . .
2. Wrapped in activity that is dependent upon God . . .
3. Willing to continue forward – even in the face of opposition.