

NEHEMIAH:

Responding to God's Grace Nehemiah 10

The Redemption Story in Nehemiah:

Chapter 1 – Neh 1-7 → “_____ : God's People Redeemed”

Chapter 2 – Neh 8-9 → “_____ : God's People Back in Relationship with God”

Chapter 3 – Neh 10 → “_____ : God's People Obey the Specifics of the Covenant”

The Specifics of the Covenant:

- Surrendering our _____ to God (Neh 10:30)
- Surrendering our _____ to God (Neh 10:31)
- Surrendering our _____ to God (Neh 10:32-33, 35-39a)
- Surrendering our _____ to God (Neh 10:34, 39b)

Covenant Commitments

1) Surrendering my Relationships to God

→ 'I am committing myself to let Jesus be the Lord over all of my relational dreams and desires – and first on my list of existing relationships.'

Specific ways to live out this commitment:

2) Surrendering my Calendar to God (Ps 90:12)

→ 'I am committing myself to live in the reality that "my time" belongs to God.'

Specific ways to live out this commitment:

3) Surrendering my Checkbook to God (Ps 24:1)

→ 'I am committing myself to live as a manager of God's money – not as the owner of "my" money.'

Specific ways to live out this commitment:

4) Surrendering my Place of Worship to God (Neh 10:39)

→ 'I am committing myself to contribute sacrificially to the life of my church – so that the worship fires will continue to burn brightly here at WFMC.'

Specific ways to live out this commitment: