

HOME GROUP QUESTIONS: Nehemiah – Social Justice

Read Nehemiah Chapter 5

1. What was the injustice in Nehemiah Chapter 5? How did it get this way?
2. What do you think of when you hear social justice?
3. What was Nehemiah's response? Why?
4. How do you respond when things aren't right?
5. What was Jesus' response regarding the poor and needy? What did He teach and do?
6. What is the call of the church today? What would be examples of "love in action"?
7. Why is the church divided on issues of social justice? Is this right?
8. Read Micah 6:8 - What does the Lord require of us?

Nehemiah was a Champion for the poor and displaced. He was concerned for both the broken walls and broken relationships.

9. Why were the Jews hesitant to bring their problems to Nehemiah?
10. How did Nehemiah use his position as Governor?
11. Are you in a position where you can help others? How does God give us opportunities to help?
12. What is authentic repentance and restitution?
13. Read Exodus 22:20-23, Psalm 9:12 - Who is God a Champion of?
14. What are you a Champion of? Whose Champion are we as a church?
15. Where or how can you make a difference?