

Sermon Outline: *Nehemiah 13* "More Work to Do"

Committed to the LORD's Word, God's representative works heartily unto the LORD, always resting in God's strength.

1. To Be Continued (vv. 1-28)

- a. The LORD's House (vv. 1-13)
 - i. Cleansing (vv. 1-8)
 - ii. Restoration (vv. 9-13)
- b. The LORD's Day (vv. 15-22)
 - i. Wickedness Explained (vv. 15-18)
 - ii. Wickedness Warned (vv. 15, 21)
 - iii. Wickedness Confronted (vv. 17-18)
- c. The LORD's Family (vv. 23-28)
 - i. Marriage (Ezra 9-10; Deut. 7:3-4)
 - ii. Children (Malachi 2)
- d. **Application:** Until the Son returns, the work of clean-up remains.

2. To Be Remembered (vv. 14, 22, 29, 31)



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*"Oh come, let us worship and bow down;
let us kneel before the Lord our Maker!
for He is our God!" - Psalm 95:6-7a*

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EVENING

Order of Worship

Greeting

Call to Worship

Psalm 149:1-2

Praise the LORD! Sing to the LORD a new song, his praise in the assembly of the godly! Let Israel be glad in his Maker; let the children of Zion rejoice in their King!

Invocation

* Hymn # 55

“To God Be the Glory”

Affirmation of Faith:

The Westminster Confession of Faith, 19.5

Law as Gospel-Rule of Life

19.5. Although true believers be not under the law, as a covenant of works, to be thereby justified, or condemned; yet is it of great use to them, as well as to others; in that, as a rule of life informing them of the will of God, and their duty, it directs and binds them to walk accordingly; discovering also the sinful pollutions of their nature, hearts, and lives; so as, examining themselves thereby, they may come to further conviction of, humiliation for, and hatred against sin, together with a clearer sight of the need they have of Christ, and the perfection of His obedience. It is likewise of use to the regenerate, to restrain their corruptions, in that it forbids sin: and the threatenings of it serve to show what even their sins deserve; and what afflictions, in this life, they may expect for them, although freed from the curse thereof threatened in the law. The promises of it, in like manner, show them God’s approbation of obedience, and what blessings they may expect upon the performance thereof: although not as due to them by the law as a covenant of works. So as, a man’s doing good, and refraining from evil, because the law encourages to the one, and deters from the other, is no evidence of his being under the law; and not under grace.

* Scripture Reading:

New Testament: *John 2:13-22* (Cleansing the Temple)

* **Pastor:** This is the Word of our God.

* **Congregation:** The grass withers, the flower fades, but the Word of our God stands forever.

* *Indicates Please Stand if Able*

Pastoral Prayer

* Hymn # 580

“Lead On, O King Eternal”

* Prayer for Illumination

Sermon Series: Nehemiah

* **Sermon Text**

Nehemiah 13

***Pastor:** Thus far the reading of God’s holy Word. And may God add His blessing to the reading of His Word.

* **Congregation:** Thanks be to God!

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Prayer for Transformation

* Hymn # 188

“Jesus, I am Resting, Resting”

Lord’s Supper: It is Finished

Hymn # 431

“A Parting Hymn We Sing”

* **Benediction**

* **Departing Hymn # 740**

“Threefold Amen”

Amen. Amen. Amen.