

Worship at First Christian Church

November 2, 2014

Call To Worship *Psalm 34:1-7*

Remember Him
Chancel Choir

Light the Fire
Cornerstone

Sharing the Lord's Supper

In Christ Alone
I Need Thee Every Hour

Worship through Giving

Doxology

Children's Church (Ages 4-8)

(Parents, please gather your children from the playground after service)

Scripture: Nehemiah

Message from the Word: *"On Your Mark, Get Set . . ."*

Pastor Jeromy Emerling

Closing Song: *Sanctuary*

"On Your Mark, Get Set . . ."

Nehemiah 1:5 - 2:10

Big Idea: Rebuilding begins with an acknowledgement that things have gone wrong followed by humble prayer, discernment, and determined action.

Nehemiah's plan of action:

- ✓ Discover your holy discontent (1:4)
- ✓ Acknowledge God (1:5, 10-11)
- ✓ Repent (6,7)
- ✓ Pray and fast for direction (1:4)
- ✓ Move (2:5-10)

"If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land."

-2 Chronicles 7:14

Questions for reflection

1. Why does repentance play such an important role in God's renewal?
2. What do you think kept Nehemiah going in the face of adversity?