



Series: Arise  
Building Walls is just the Start  
Nehemiah 7-8; 1 Timothy 2:1-2

### **Discussion Questions**

1. Wall-building can be quite mechanical and works-based. Discuss what it's like when God's love is not the primary truth or driver in that effort.
2. Timothy made it clear that wall-building is just the start of living quiet, peaceful, godly and holy lives. Discuss all the activity once the walls were done, and why it must always be anchored in love for God.
3. Finishing strong walls isn't enough to stir our hearts. From Nehemiah 8:1-8 who stirred their hearts and for what were they stirred?
4. Why is it important that our hearts are stirred up by God for our sin? What hinders our love relationship with God, the most important truth of all? Discuss.
5. Why did Nehemiah call for the people to cease weeping and mourning over their sin and celebrate? What were they celebrating? Why is our love relationship with God his highest priority and must be ours?

### **Closing Questions:**

- A. What did the Holy Spirit TELL YOU during the teaching Sunday?
- B. What did the Spirit tell you to DO about it?
- C. How can we HELP YOU by our prayers and support?