

# GOD'S GOOD HAND

## SERVING UNDER SOVEREIGNTY

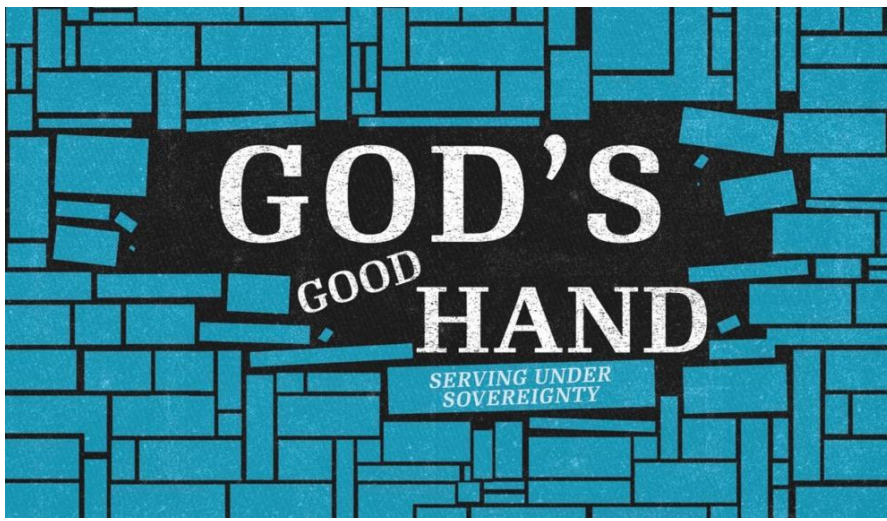
### *Broken-Hearted Boldness*

Nehemiah 2:9-20

March 15, 2026

**Sovereign Truth: God's restoration work confronts shameful reminders of failure while also giving strength to move forward in boldness and faith.**

- I. An Unwelcome \_\_\_\_\_ (2:9-10)
  - A. Nehemiah travels to aid the Israelites living in \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
  - B. Nehemiah's mission stirs up new \_\_\_\_\_ for the Israelites.
  
- II. The Careful \_\_\_\_\_ (2:11-16)
  - A. God brings Nehemiah face-to-face with the \_\_\_\_\_ task ahead.
  - B. The extent of the destruction is a reminder of Israel's \_\_\_\_\_ and shame.
    1. The city \_\_\_\_\_ are broken.
    2. The city \_\_\_\_\_ are burned.
  
- III. The Call to \_\_\_\_\_ (2:17-18)
  - A. Nehemiah presents the \_\_\_\_\_ reality and the way forward.
  - B. Nehemiah encourages them with how God has \_\_\_\_\_ been providing for them.
  - C. The Israelites \_\_\_\_\_ Nehemiah and \_\_\_\_\_ begin God's good work.
  
- IV. The Ridicule of \_\_\_\_\_ (2:19-20)
  - A. The enemies of the city respond from all \_\_\_\_\_.
  - B. The enemies of the city \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ to discourage God's good work.
  - C. Nehemiah's response shows \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ trust in God for the work ahead.
  
- V. How do we deal with the \_\_\_\_\_ of our sin? (Psalm 51; Micah 7:7-9)
  - A. Everyone must \_\_\_\_\_ the weight of their guilt before God.
  - B. The work of Jesus removes humanity's \_\_\_\_\_ and shame.
  - C. Sinners are justified when we are \_\_\_\_\_ over sin and look to Jesus for rescue.
  - D. We now live boldly because Jesus has given our guilt and shame a new \_\_\_\_\_.
  - E. God's restoration work leads to \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ of His kindness and mercy.



**WORSHIP GATHERING**

*"How Great Is the Greatness of God"*

WELCOME & PRAYER

VIDEO TESTIMONY

*"Yes, I Will"*

*"I Set My Hope On Jesus"*

PRAYER

MESSAGE

PRAYER AND COMMITMENT

CLOSING PRAYER

**DEACON PRAYER**

9:00 a.m. - Phil Whitehead

10:30 a.m. - Thomas Roark

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

If you have not picked up your **Capital Campaign booklet** for the *Blessed to Be a Blessing* stewardship emphasis please stop by the Welcome Center and get yours today. This booklet contains important information (dates, financial goals, personal testimonies, etc.) and is designed to assist church members in prayerfully seeking the Lord's will regarding financial participation to fund the campus expansion.

The **Wednesday evening church-wide fellowship meal** menu for this week is Ramey's chicken tenders, mashed potatoes, green beans, and a roll. Meals are served in Boatner Hall from 4:45-5:45 p.m. (\$6 for adults, \$4 for children, and \$25 family max). Scan the QR code or sign up at the Welcome Center by Monday at 9:00 a.m.



The **church-wide work day** is Saturday, March 21 from 7:30-10:30 a.m. Breakfast will be provided. Sign up at the Welcome Center or see Brett Lunsford for more information.

Are you wanting to go on a mission trip but need it to be short in duration and relatively close to home? Prayerfully consider participating in a **trip to Gulf Breeze, Florida** (near Pensacola) May 28 - 31 (Thursday - Sunday) led by Jason Cook and Bro. Keith. We are partnering with Redemption Church, a church plant, striving to reach the unchurched community around them. The plan is to engage residents at local parks, places of employment, the church parking lot, etc. with hospitality of meals, sno-cones, casual conversations, etc. This trip is for all ages but limited to 25 participants. The cost will be lodging for three nights, 4-6 meals, and transportation (limited financial help available from Park Place). Contact Michael Holyfield or Jason if you have questions. Sign up today at the Welcome Center if you are interested and attend a meeting Sunday, March 22 at 1:00 p.m. in Boatner Hall for more information.

Ladies, the Women's Ministry is offering a **spring Bible study** beginning Tuesday, March 24. Revelation: Eternal King, Everlasting Kingdom by Jen Wilkin will be led by Sandra Sherrill. This 10-session study will be more intense than our usual ones as we work to understand Revelation by walking through the book verse-by-verse. The group will meet Tuesday evenings from 6:00-8:00 p.m. in Room 206 on the church campus. Books are \$20. Scan the QR code or sign up at the Welcome Center.



The **preschool and children's Easter Egg Hunt** is Saturday, March 28 at 10:00 a.m. All children birth-6th grade are invited to attend. Following the hunt, families will each receive a unique family devotion to go through the week leading up to Easter and the week following Easter. Scan the QR code to sign up.



All men and boys (13 & up) are invited to the **men's crawfish fellowship** Saturday, March 28 (time TBD) at the 1st Mission House (525 Manchester Dr., Pearl). There will be plenty of good crawfish and great fellowship!

Everyone is encouraged to attend our **Palm Sunday Night of Worship** Sunday, March 29 at 6:00 p.m. This special night will include the observance of the Lord's Supper.

Save the date: The **Man Church Event** with Rick Burgess is Saturday, April 25. More info to come.

**CONTRIBUTION REPORT**

**3/8/26**

Weekly Budget Receipts	\$38,627
Weekly Budget Required	\$35,629
Giving over (under) budget	\$2,998
"Blessed" (Campus Expansion)	\$1,690
Global Impact	\$300
Other	\$586
<b>Total Received</b>	<b>\$41,203</b>

<b>YTD Budget Needed</b>	<b>\$356,286</b>
<b>YTD Budget Received</b>	<b>\$330,717</b>

**WAYS TO GIVE**

Everyone is encouraged to worship God by giving tithes and offerings. You can place your envelope in the giving boxes located in the sanctuary, submit it in Sunday School, mail it to the church office, or give online. Envelopes are available in the pew racks, and can also be mailed to you at your request.



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