



Take Home Sheet

Carry on the conversation at home and build faith with us!



Truth that changes me:

Nehemiah joins in with God's amazing building plan.



Faith in Kids looks like:

Children who know how they can join in with God's amazing building plan today - the church.

Enjoy watching our Nehemiah video together, then choose a path to follow:

- "Talk together" gently starts a conversation about today's big truth.
- "Open the Bible" encourages you to read and apply the truth together.

Watch the Video

- Which builder was your favourite?
- Which gate would you have liked to help build?



Talk Together

Read the verse: *Nehemiah said, "Come, let us rebuild the wall of Jerusalem and we will no longer be in disgrace." I also told them about the gracious hand of my God upon me.. They replied, "Let us start rebuilding." (Nehemiah 1:17-18)*

Use the picture and the verse to answer:

- Are the people all the same?
- What do they decide to do?
- Who will help them?

Nehemiah knew that God would help the people rebuild Jerusalem. Today, God is building his church and we can all join in. Tell me:

- 3 different types of people in our church.
- 2 ways people help build up our church.
- 1 thing you could join in with.

Live it out: Could you stick names on 5 building blocks - some of people in your church and some who don't know Jesus yet. Pray for the people as you stack the blocks - prayer is one way to join in with building up the church.

A prayer to pray: Dear God, thank you that you are building your church and it will happen just as you plan. Please help us to join in. Please show us what we can do. Amen.

Open the Bible

Read Nehemiah 2:17-18 and 3:1,5,8,12,14 and use the picture to talk about some of the following questions:

7s and under

- How many different kinds of people did you spot joining in with the building work? (at least 3 answers!)
- Why do you think they wanted to join in?
- How could you join and play your part in God's brilliant build today - your church?

8s and over

- Why do you think some people, like the nobles of Tekoa, didn't join in?
- Today, God is building his church, not a wall, and we can all join in. What could we do to help build the church?
- What might stop you from joining in?

Live it out: God is building his church all over the world. This week, try and find out about another church in your area, a church in a place you visit on holiday and a church in another country. How could you pray for them?

Pray: Thank God that he is building the church and that his plans always succeed. Thank God for your church and what he is doing there. Ask God to help you to know how you can join in with building his church today.