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TIME TO CELEBRATE!

- NEHEMIAH 11- 12

I. POPULATING THE CITY

- *"I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, which is your reasonable service" - Romans 12:1*
- *"Peter spoke up, "We have left everything to follow you!" "Truly I tell you," Jesus replied, "no one who has left home or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or fields for me and the gospel will fail to receive a hundred times as much in this present age: homes, brothers, sisters, mothers, children and fields—along with persecutions—and in the age to come eternal life." - Mark 10:28-30*

II. PREPARING TO CELEBRATE

- *"Who may ascend the hill of the LORD? Who may stand in his holy place? He who has clean hands and a pure heart, who does not lift up his soul to an idol, or swear by what is false. He will receive blessing from the LORD, and vindication from God his Savior. Such is the generation of those who seek him, who seek your face O God of Jacob." - Psalms 24:3-6 NIV*

- *"If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all iniquity," - 1 John 1:9*

- *"Walk about Zion, go around her, number her towers, consider well her ramparts, go through her citadels, that you may tell the next generation that this is God, our God forever and ever. He will guide us forever." (Psalm 48:12-14, ESV)*

• CELEBRATION THAT BRINGS JOY...

1. IS GOD _____.

2. REMEMBERS GOD'S _____

3. COMES WITH _____