



WEEK 8

THE IMPORTANCE OF A COVENANT

NEHEMIAH 10

REFLECTIONS

Take time to reflect on one thing from your week.
Name a time someone broke a promise
they made to you.



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- Looking at v28-29, what is the significance of this covenant? How does this covenant demonstrate that this community is taking responsibility?
- V30-39, state the content of the covenant. What would you say is the main focus or point of these rules? What would the modern retelling of this covenant look like at SCBC?
- If we understand that the house of God was where God's presence resided, what is the significance of the final line in this chapter? What is this covenant calling God's people to do?

APPLICATION CHALLENGE

As a small group, what are the ways we can covenant with each other to serve God together and live in his presence? As a group, brainstorm some ideas and come up with at least one action point.

To better understand why these laws are significant, click [HERE](#) for a commentary (look over v29-39).