

**PURPOSE** CHURCH

**SUNDAYS** 8:30am | 10:00am | 11:30am

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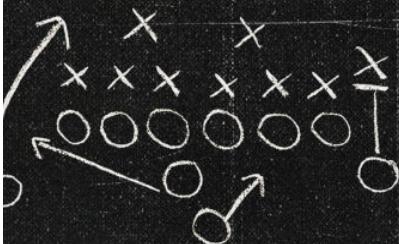
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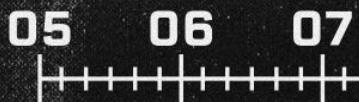
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# **SEVEN DECISIONS GREAT LEADERS MAKE**

THE BOOK OF NEHEMIAH



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FEBRUARY 8, 2026

# WELCOME TO PURPOSE CHURCH!

Are you new to Purpose Church?

We are so glad you are here! We want to meet you, answer any questions you might have, and help you get connected. Come to the Connect Center located in the Lobby after the service to meet our friendly team and pick up a free gift!

## NEXT STEPS AT PURPOSE

We believe every person has a **next step** to take.  
We are here to help you discover and take yours.

Have you decided to follow Jesus?

Do you want to get baptized?

Do you need hope, healing and support?

Are you looking for meaningful community?

Head to: [purposechurch.com/nextsteps](http://purposechurch.com/nextsteps)



# EVERYONE EVERWHERE FOLLOWING JESUS

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### PRAYER

We would love to pray with you!  
Please stop by the prayer room  
after the service or submit a  
prayer request online.  
[purposechurch.com/prayer](http://purposechurch.com/prayer)

### GIVING

We believe that generous people  
transform the world! Offering  
boxes are available in the lobby on  
Sundays or you can give online.  
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## DECISION #6: GREAT LEADERS DON'T COMPROMISE ON CORE CONVICTIONS

February 8, 2026 / Pastor Eric Holmstrom

Spiritual **apathy** turns into spiritual **revival** when we do these **five things**:

- #1 - **Worship** the Lord (8:6)
- #2 - **Learn** and apply God's Word (8:8)
- #3 - **Confess** sins to God and others (9:3)
- #4 - **Pray** remembering God's grace, compassion, and love (9:17)
- #5 - **Commit** to trust and obey God (9:38)

Nehemiah 9:38

### **Godly Leadership Definition:**

*Godly leaders are people who **influence** themselves and others to fully follow Jesus.*

### **CONVICTION #1 - UNWAVERING \_\_\_\_\_ TO GOD'S WORD**

Nehemiah 10:28-29

### **CONVICTION #2 - GOD-FIRST \_\_\_\_\_**

Nehemiah 10:30

## CONVICTION #3 - TITHING AND CARING FOR GOD'S

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Nehemiah 10:37-39

Nehemiah 11:1-2

### REFLECT | DISCUSS | PRACTICE

- 1. REFLECT:** How did God specifically speak to you through the Bible passages and sermon?
- 2. DISCUSS:** Read Nehemiah 10:38. When was a time you experienced a renewed excitement in your faith when you made commitments or recommitted to your relationship with Jesus?
- 3. DISCUSS:** Read Nehemiah 10:28-29. Why do you think “the LORD our Lord” wants His people to live out His commands and how have you seen obedience or disobedience to God play out in your life?
- 4. DISCUSS:** Read Nehemiah 10:30. Why does God care who we are friends with, date, marry, and do life with and how have those decisions impacted your life?
- 5. DISCUSS:** Read Nehemiah 10:37-39. As Christ followers, why is it important for us to practice tithing and caring for God’s house and how does God accomplish His work through that?
- 6. PRACTICE:** This week spend time with the Lord and decide—as a family, with your friends or life group, or as an individual—what core biblical convictions you are committed or recommitted to prioritizing even if it costs you something.

*For more life group, reflection, and discussion content, and to join or start a group, visit: [purposechurch.com/groups](http://purposechurch.com/groups)*

**Fill in the blanks:** OBEDIENCE, RELATIONSHIPS, HOUSE

