



God With Us 12/8/2024 | The Significance of Sacred Spaces

Reflect + Discuss

- Have you ever experienced feeling honored to be invited to an event or gathering? What was that like for you?
- Read Zechariah 2:10-13 How is the presence of God among His people a cause for celebration? What can we learn about God's heart through these verses?
- The temple emphasized both the holiness of God as well as communal celebration of God's provision. What are some ways we can become more aware of the holiness of God? Can you think of some ways we can engage more in communal celebration?
- Read Psalm 84:1-4. How can we incorporate more praise, music, and celebration into our lives as Christ followers? Are there ways we can come together as a group to live out this type of worship?
- How does gathering as a community help deepen our sense of belonging? Have you had an experience where worshipping with others helped you to experience this?
- What are some ways you can grow in taking your relationship with God more seriously? Are there barriers standing in your way that you need to move towards? What are some practical steps you can take to make your relationship with God an even greater priority?

Pray

Pray that God will help us to grow in our awareness of his presence and that we may experience true belonging. Pray that we may discover joy and peace during this Advent season as we focus on God's nearness. As we continue to reflect on this passage, pray that God will lead us toward transformation by the power of the Holy Spirit.

Next Steps

Check out the [resources page](#) for links to several Bible reading plans and other helpful tools. Explore other opportunities for growth and transformation by checking out [courses](#).