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Ezra 2

Review:

God has a _____ for our lives and His church

God is _____ to His promises

Overall Theme:

The _____ of God will be done by the _____ of God when they respond to the _____ of God in their hearts

When God moves your heart:

✓ You will _____

✓ You will _____

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Sermon Talks

1. What caught your attention in this week's message? Was there something you had never heard before or something you had a question about?
2. What are some ways that you have seen the providential hand of God at work in your life? At Washington Alliance Church?
3. Our overall theme in our study today was "The work of God will be done by the people of God when they respond to the move of God in their hearts" What does that statement mean to you? Does it challenge you in any way? If so, how?
4. It is believed that twice or even 3 times as many people that came back to Israel stayed in Babylon. What does that say about the people who stayed in Babylon? What does it say about those who made the long journey back to Israel?
5. Have you ever felt that God was calling you to something, but you ignored it because you were too comfortable? If so, explain.
6. Ezra 2:68-69 says that the people gave freewill offerings to the rebuilding of the house of God according to their ability. What does "according to their ability" mean? How does that apply to us? Are you a generous person who gives according to your ability?
7. Are there any ways that you have been moved by God to get involved in ministry? What are some examples of ways you are serving the Lord both in the church and outside the church?
8. How has Washington Alliance Church equipped you to serve the Lord?

Pray about it: Meditate on God's Word (Ezra 2) and this week's message.

Adoration: What can I praise God for in light of what this teaches me?

Confession: What sin can I confess because of what this teaches me?

Thanksgiving: What can I thank God for in light of what he has done?

Supplication: What do I need to ask of God in order to grow in light of this?