

# Hearing God



Nehemiah 8

# *Feeling the silence...*



# ***Hearing God*** ***– the beginning of renewal***

1. How does God speak? (1-5)

- *God speaks through a book (1a)*
- *God speaks with authority (1b)*
- *God speaks to us all (2-3)*
- *God speaks to all of life (3a)*



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1. How does God speak? (1-5)

2. How do we listen? (6-12)

*Attentively...*

- *Listen with a worshipping heart (6)*
- *Listen with a heart that seeks understanding (7-8)*
- *Listen with a joyful heart (9-12)*



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1. How does God speak? (1-5)

2. How do we listen? (6-12)

3. How do we change? (13-18)

- *Starts with celebrating who we are as the loved and rescued people of God*
- *Feast of 'booths' / tabernacles / tents*
- *Celebrating the ultimate rescue*

