

Worship with us in the Word

Nehemiah – Getting on to God’s Agenda
Lessons in Saying “No”
Nehemiah 5:14 – 7:4

A mark of maturity for the child of God is learning to correctly say yes and no!

Nehemiah demonstrated leadership maturity by...

1. Saying ‘no’ to undue privilege
2. Saying ‘no’ to pride
3. Saying ‘no’ to mindlessness
4. Saying ‘no’ to distractions
5. Saying ‘no’ to fear and intimidation

We need to say ‘no’ to what is inferior for the sake of God’s best.

Nehemiah demonstrated leadership maturity by...

- Recognizing God’s enablement of the mission (6:15-16)
- Recognizing Tobiah’s negative influence (6:17-19)
- Recognizing the need to consolidate and delegate (7:1-4)

Preparing for next week: Nehemiah 8