

Ministry & The Work of God: 2

Catching The Vision, Hearing The Call! – Part 2

Nehemiah 1 & 2

After we have heard the call, what next?

Postpone informing others of the vision – Nehemiah 2.12

- Those who don't understand or believe may frustrate God's work in your life or affect your faith.
- Jesus often told folk not to publish what He had done (see Matthew 17.9)

Preparation – Research – Training – Nehemiah 2.13-16

- Wisdom involves searching out a matter.
- Time of preparation - preparing for your ministry.
- Training, learning or research may be necessary (eg understanding culture, new language, Bible College)

Share the Vision God Has Given You – Inspire and Motivate – Nehemiah 2.17-18

- Effective and timely communication will inspire others and motivate them to support you:
 - prayer support, help, financial support etc.

Stand Firm Through Opposition – Nehemiah 2.19-20

- Unbelievers have no right or heritage in the things of God
- God supplies all the needs in order to fulfill and bring about the vision.