QUESTIONS FOR ADDITIONAL STUDY

1. Tell your story. Describe a time when you volunteered to do

 something that most others were unwilling to do. How did you

 feel after doing it?

2. The people “blessed” those who volunteered to live in Jerusalem.

 Who do you consider to be a blessing in your life? Why?

3. Read the following passages and note what the Bible says about

 serving God:

 a) Deuteronomy 13:4

b) I Samuel 12:24

c) Matthew 6:24

d) Romans 12:1

e) I Corinthians 15:58

f) Colossians 3:17

g) Colossians 3:23-24

4. Why don’t believers “cast lots” today to determine God’s will?

5. What practical application are you going to make from this week’s

 message? (*Share your decision with another person*.)

* I am going to find a place to serve in ministry.
* I am going to going to so something to bless another person and I am going to do it anonymously.
* I am going to memorize Colossians 3:23.

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Nehemiah 11:1-36 Study Series #22

***Unknown to Man… Known by God***

**I. Introduction**

 A. The Story of Charlotte Elliot

 (See Romans 5:1; Matthew 11:28; James 6:37)

 B. A City Restored by Unknowns

 (See Nehemiah 11:4; Nehemiah 7:7; Nehemiah 11:8)

**II. Unknown to Man… Known to God**

 A. The Volunteers

 (See Nehemiah 7:1-4; Nehemiah 2:13-15; Nehemiah 11:1;

 I Kings 11:36; II Kings 21:4; II Kings 21:7;

 II Chronicles 33:7; Nehemiah 11:1-9; Proverbs 16:33;

 Joshua 18:6-10; Acts 1:23-26; Acts 2:1-21; Exodus 4:13;

 Matthew 9:37; Luke 10:2)

 B. The Temple Workers

 (See Nehemiah 11:10-14; Matthew 6:4-6; Matthew 6:18)

 C. The Outside Workers

 (See Nehemiah 11:15-16; Mark 16:15)

 D. The Prayer Support

 (See Nehemiah 11:17; Matthew 6:5-6)

 E. The Worship Leaders

 (See Nehemiah 11:22-23; Isaiah 26:3)

**III. Conclusion**

**IV. Communion**

Communion at Cornerstone Church is open for all who profess Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior. You do not have to be a member of Cornerstone or a member of a Southern Baptist Church to observe Communion with us. If you are a believer in Jesus Christ, you are welcome to take Communion. If you are not a believer in Jesus Christ, Scripture commands that you refrain taking Communion. (I Cor 11:26-31)

If you would like to know more about what it means to be a Christian, or if you would like to talk with someone or have someone pray for you, please contact the church office and the pastor will contact you.

**Passage of Study**

Nehemiah 11:1-36

 **1**Now the leaders of the people lived in Jerusalem, but the rest of the people cast lots to bring one out of ten to live in Jerusalem, the holy city, while nine-tenths *remained* in the *other* cities. **2**And the people blessed all the men who volunteered to live in Jerusalem.

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