

**CTK Community Group Sermon Discussion Questions & Announcements**  
**Week of 3/13/22**

**Sermon Discussion Questions | [Ezra 3:8-13](#)**

1. Read [Genesis 2:5-17](#) and [Ezekiel 28:13-16](#). In thinking of Eden as a temple, "the garden of God," and "the holy mountain of God," how does this change the way we ought to view the command God gave Adam and Eve in Genesis 1:28? How does this change the way we ought to view our own work in light of this?
2. The theologian Geerhardus Vos wrote: "There is a sphere of science, a sphere of art, a sphere of the family and of the state, a sphere of commerce and industry. Whenever one of these spheres comes under the controlling influence of the principle of the divine supremacy and glory, and this outwardly reveals itself, there we can truly say that the kingdom of God has become manifest." Think for a moment and discuss what it might look like for your particular vocation to come under "the controlling influence of the principle of the divine supremacy and glory"?
3. Recall how we talked about the limits of restoration and the tears of the old men who had seen the glory of the first temple in Ezra 3:12-13. Name some specific "not yet" aspects of restoration in your vocations. How can you pray for one another in your sorrow? Name reasons for hope that we have in Christ.

**Announcements:**

- Registration Reminder: We continue to ask that folks please register to attend on Sunday mornings. **Whether you choose distanced or open, registering allows staff to know how many seats of each type we need.** Starting April 2, masks will be optional in the sanctuary on Sundays.
- Join us for these ongoing Bible Studies:
  - Women's Morning Bible Study: every Thursday, 9:30a in social hall
  - Women's Evening Bible Study: every other Wednesday, 7p in social hall
  - Men's Morning Bible Study: every Friday, 6a on Zoom
- Also, the Women's **AM Bible Study is looking for a childcare worker** on Thursdays 9:15-11:30a beginning February 3. If you or someone you know is interested, please email Kelly Sawyer ([bostonkelly@gmail.com](mailto:bostonkelly@gmail.com)).