

A SONG FOR THE TEMPLE TO COME

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Psalm 30 | 2 Chronicles 22:5-19

01 How did you go with the challenge activity of writing a Psalm last week?

02 Have you ever been prevented from doing something you really wanted to do? What was it like?

03 Pray for the study and read 1 Chronicles 22:5-19.

04 Why did God prevent David from building the Temple (v.8)?

05 Read Psalm 30, which was written by David for the dedication of the temple.

06 What stood out to you as you read the Psalm?

07 In verses 1-5, what is David praising God about?

08 What do you think led to David's overconfidence and complacency (v.6-7)?

09 In his time of need, where does David turn (v.8-12)? Do you think David's cry to God in verse 9 persuaded God to answer him? Why/why not?

10 How do the themes of Psalm 30 and Solomon's prayer in 1 Kings 8:27-30 together reveal the intended purpose of the temple?

11 After Pentecost, the Church becomes the temple of the Holy Spirit. How might God's Spirit in us individually and collectively influence how we pray and live?

12 Do you have any dedicated places for prayer? Why can allocating a place for prayer be helpful in our discipleship?

13 As we conclude our time in David's Psalms, what is something you have learnt or will take away?

14 Pray for each other.