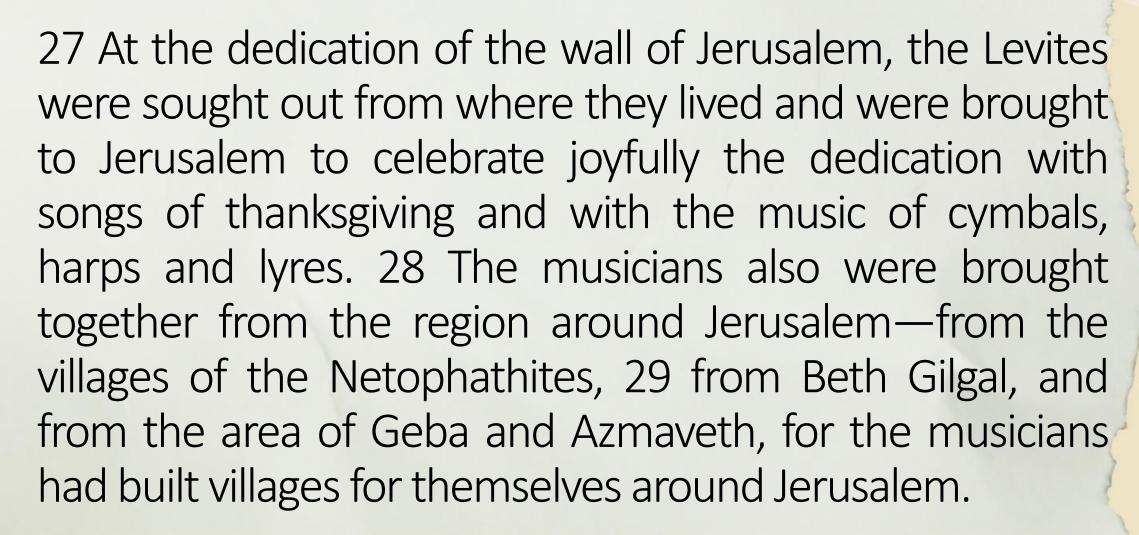






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Dedication of the Wall of Jerusalem





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30 When the priests and Levites had purified themselves ceremonially, they purified the people, the gates and the wall.

31 I had the leaders of Judah go up on top of[a] the wall. I also assigned two large choirs to give thanks. One was to proceed on top of[b] the wall to the right, toward the Dung Gate. 32 Hoshaiah and half the leaders of Judah followed them, 33 along with Azariah, Ezra, Meshullam, 34 Judah, Benjamin, Shemaiah, Jeremiah,

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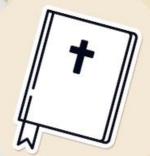
35 as well as some priests with trumpets, and also \mathbb{R}^{2} Zechariah son of Jonathan, the son of Shemaiah, the son of Mattaniah, the son of Micaiah, the son of Zakkur, the son of Asaph, 36 and his associates— Shemaiah, Azarel, Milalai, Gilalai, Maai, Nethanel, Judah and Hanani—with musical instruments prescribed by David the man of God. Ezra the teacher of the Law led the procession.

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37 At the Fountain Gate they continued directly up the steps of the City of David on the ascent to the wall and passed above the site of David's palace to the Water Gate on the east.

38 The second choir proceeded in the opposite direction. I followed them on top of[c] the wall, together with half the people—past the Tower of the Ovens to the Broad Wall,

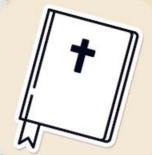
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39 over the Gate of Ephraim, the Jeshanah[d] Gate, the Fish Gate, the Tower of Hananel and the Tower of the Hundred, as far as the Sheep Gate. At the Gate of the Guard they stopped.

40 The two choirs that gave thanks then took their places in the house of God; so did I, together with half the officials, 41 as well as the priests—Eliakim, Maaseiah, Miniamin, Micaiah, Elioenai, Zechariah and Hananiah with their trumpets—

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42 and also Maaseiah, Shemaiah, Eleazar, Uzzi, Jehohanan, Malkijah, Elam and Ezer. The choirs sang under the direction of Jezrahiah. 43 And on that day they offered great sacrifices, rejoicing because God had given them great joy. The women and children also rejoiced. The sound of rejoicing in Jerusalem could be heard far away.



Who are the people mentioned in the passage and for what purpose were they gathered?





What role did the Levites play in the passage?



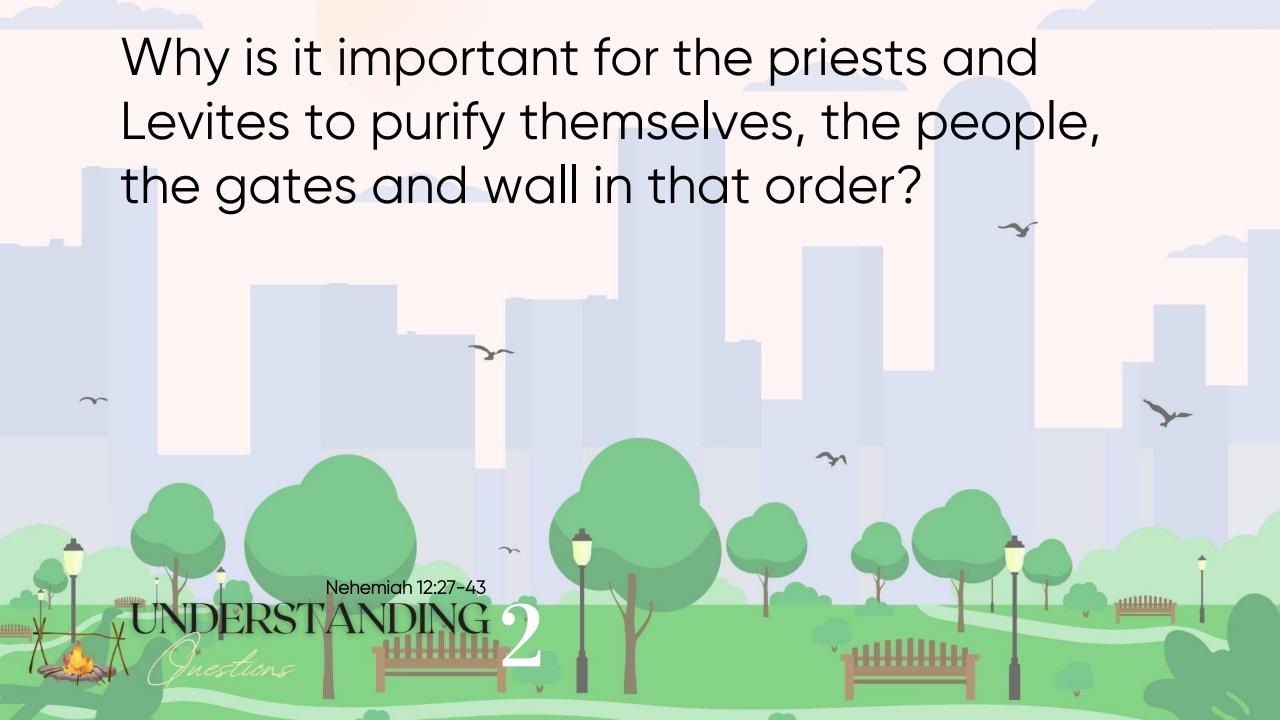
Where did Nehemiah and people hold the dedication and what did they do?

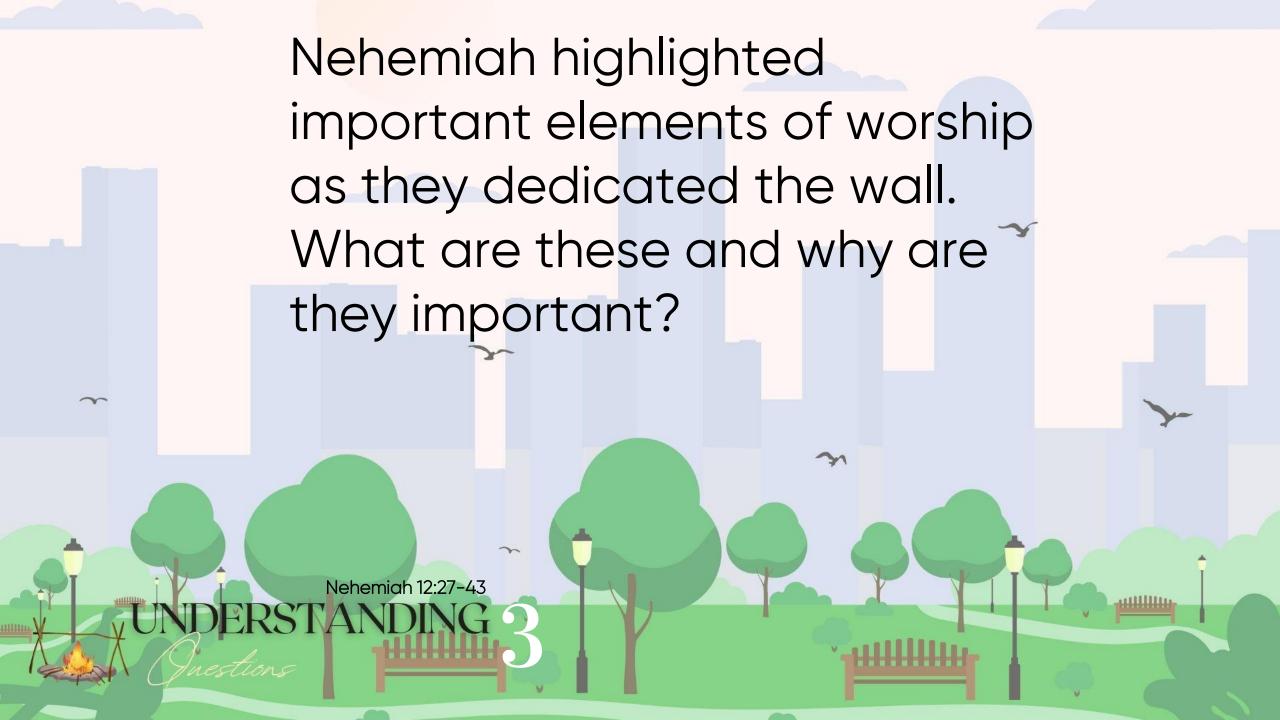




What is the significance of Nehemiah's intentional gathering of all people(Levites, priests, singers, leaders, men, women and children)?







Have you recently honored God by testifying to others about who He is and what He has done in your life? Share this experience with your group.







Which of the elements of worship is/are missing as you worship Him today? What steps can you take to continually grow and deepen your worship life, both personally and corporately?





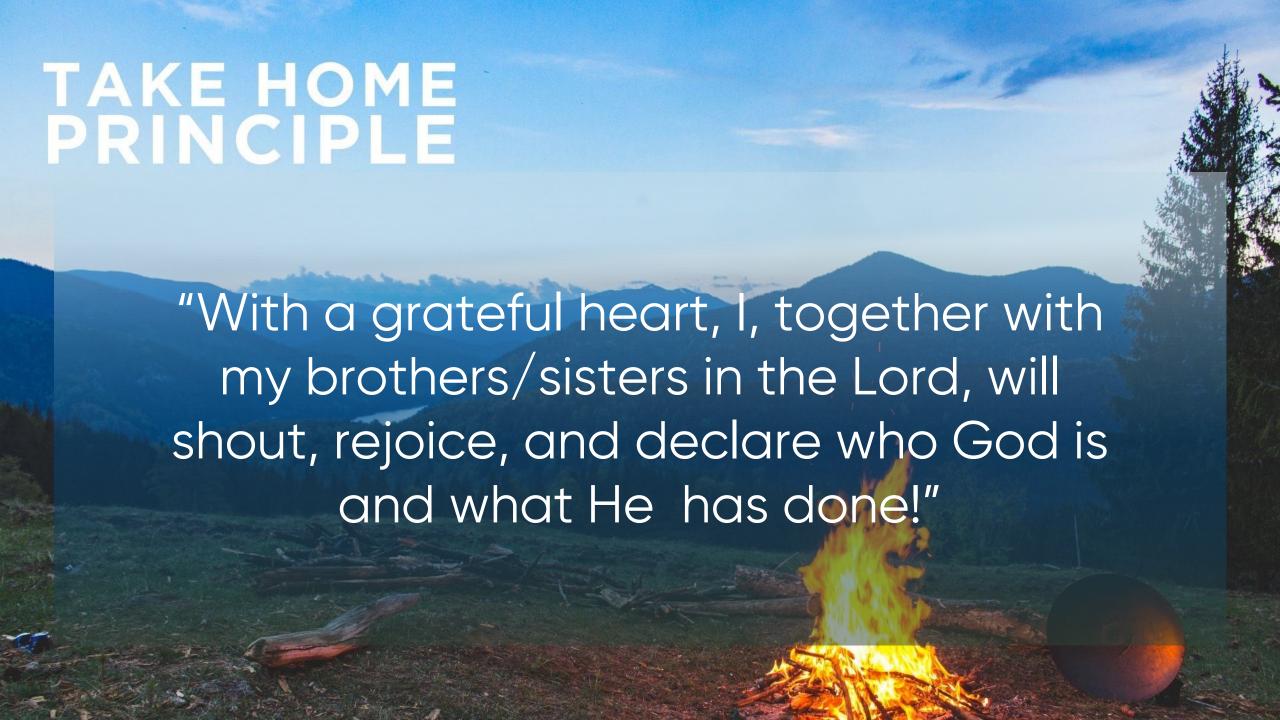


In what ways can your worship and thanksgiving serve as a testimony to God's goodness and draw others into a:.

personal relationship with Him (for non-believers)? closer walk with the Lord (for believers)?







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