

# From the Project to the People

## *Under Construction in 2009*

**Scripture Reading:** 2 John 4-11

- A. The walls were completed, the gates were restored and the enemy was chagrined; but Nehemiah's work was by no means finished.
  
- B. A city is much more than walls, gates, and houses; a city is people. In the first half of the book, the people existed for the walls; but now the walls must exist for the people.
  
- C. It was time to organize the community so that the citizens could enjoy God-glorifying lives.
  
- D. *Nehemiah 7* records three important steps that must be taken by any leader in order to protect the people and the work that has been done.

I. Enlisting \_\_\_\_\_ (*Nehemiah 7:1-3*)

II. Establishing \_\_\_\_\_ (*Nehemiah 7:4-69*)

III. Encouraging \_\_\_\_\_ (*Nehemiah 7:70-73*)