

Grace Place Kids Bible Study

LET'S REBUILD THE WALL!

- 1. Have you ever had something that was very important to you get broken? What was is? How did it break? Did you ever fix it?
- 2. There is a group of people called Jews that live in the country Israel. Their country is not very big. The capitol of their country is Jerusalem. Have you ever heard of it? You have to go across the ocean to get there. Jesus was born in Bethlehem, about 5 miles from Jerusalem. This great city has a wall all around it! (Leader, on a world map, show them where they are and then where Jerusalem is located.)
- 3. A long time ago, Jerusalem had a broken wall. The wall was built to protect the people that lived there. A man named Nehemiah was really upset that the wall was broken. Read the story in Nehemiah 2:1-8. What did Nehemiah do to get the wall fixed? (He asked the King to let him go and he asked for lumber to build with).
- 4. Once Nehemiah got there he needed help. In Nehemiah, Chapter 3 we learn that all of the families helped with their part of the wall. God wants you to help Him fix something that might be broken. Can you think of something in your life that is broken? Maybe a friendship? Maybe a promise you made to someone that is broken? Maybe you know someone that needs to be "repaired".
- 5. Take a small piece of paper and write down something that you think God wants you to help Him fix. Fold it up and put it in a special place, but don't forget about it. Can you make a promise to God that you will help fix it?