
Date: November 26, 2023 **Message:** First Things First

Series: God Speaks **Scripture:** Haggai 1:1-8; 2:1-9

1. _____ (1:1-8)

2. _____ (2:1-9)

Questions for Reflection and Discussion

Haggai 1:1-8; 2:1-9

1. What are some examples from your life of things you thought had little value that turned out to be incredibly valuable? Or things you thought had value, but actually turned out to have no value at all?
2. Can you think of a time when God—through His Word, a sermon, or another source—called you to some step of obedience, and yet you postponed obedience?
3. What are some common reasons that we might choose to delay obedience to God?
4. Is there an example in your life (or in someone else you know) of disobedience to God leading to a lack of flourishing of some kind?
5. Why was finishing the rebuilding of the temple so important to God?
6. What did God say to the people in chapter 2 when they were growing discouraged that the current temple paled in comparison to the former temple? Why was this significant?
7. What hope is provided for the people, both for the present and the future, in 2:6-9?
8. What do we learn about the character of God in the book of Haggai?
9. How does the book of Haggai point us to the coming of Jesus and to the good news of the gospel?