

Bible Project Video

Week 30

July 27, 2026 – Aug 2, 2026

BIBLE STUDY COMPANION GUIDE

Main Sermon Passage

Ezekiel 47:1–12

Study Passages of the Week

Ezekiel 40–48; Psalm 46

Theme or Focus

Living Water from the Temple – Renewal for All

Ezekiel 40–48 concludes the prophet's visions with a detailed picture of a restored temple, renewed worship, and the future hope of God's people. Given to the exiles in Babylon, these chapters assured them that God's presence had not abandoned them forever. Instead, God promised restoration, holiness, and a renewed relationship with His people.

The vision of the river flowing from the temple symbolizes God's life-giving presence bringing healing, fruitfulness, and restoration wherever it flows. These closing chapters emphasize that true renewal begins with God dwelling among His people. Theologically, they point beyond the rebuilt temple to God's ultimate plan of restoring creation through His presence.

Psalm 46 echoes this hope by declaring God as a refuge and strength, describing a river that brings joy to the city of God. Together, these passages remind believers that God's presence is the source of peace, renewal, and lasting hope.

and peace?

Memory Verse

Psalm 46:1 - *"God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble*

Fill in the Blanks

- 1. Water flowed from beneath the _____ of the temple. (Ezekiel 47)
- 2. Wherever the river flowed, everything would _____.
- 3. The trees along the river produced fruit every _____.
- 4. "God is our _____ and strength, an ever-present help in trouble."
(Psalm 46)
- 5. "There is a _____ whose streams make glad the city of God."
(Psalm 46)

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Reflection & Discussion

What purpose does Ezekiel's vision of the restored temple serve for the exiles?

What does the river flowing from the temple symbolize in Ezekiel 47?

How do Ezekiel 40–48 portray God's desire to dwell among His people?

In what ways does this vision point forward to God's ultimate restoration of creation?

How does Psalm 46 reinforce the themes of God's presence, protection,