1. (v.1-2) A bad legacy can be overcome by spiritual **faithfulness**.

2. (v.3-19) The Re-Opening of the Temple
   a. Closing the Temple to true **leadership** is an effective way of maintaining the agenda of false **leadership**.
   b. Steps to cleansing the Temple:
      1) God’s leaders **consecrated** themselves.
      2) The Temple was **cleansed** from the outside in.
      3) What wasn’t **supposed** to be there was removed to be replaced by what was **supposed** to be.
      4) Finally the whole Temple had to be **consecrated**.
   c. Spiritual renewal always begins first at the **personal** level.

3. (1 Co. 3;16-17) Here the context of what is not acceptable in God’s Temple is **pride**.

4. (1 Co. 6:19-20) Here the context of what is not acceptable in God’s Temple is **immorality**.

5. (1 Co. 6:16) The context of what is not acceptable in God’s Temple is **unfaithfulness**.

6. (Eph. 2:19-22) Here the context of the true meaning of the Temple is the **Body of Christ**.
   a. No longer **strangers** but members of God’s household.
   b. Built on the foundation of **God’s Word**.
   c. Growing **TOGETHER** into one holy Temple.
   d. Filled with the **Spirit**.