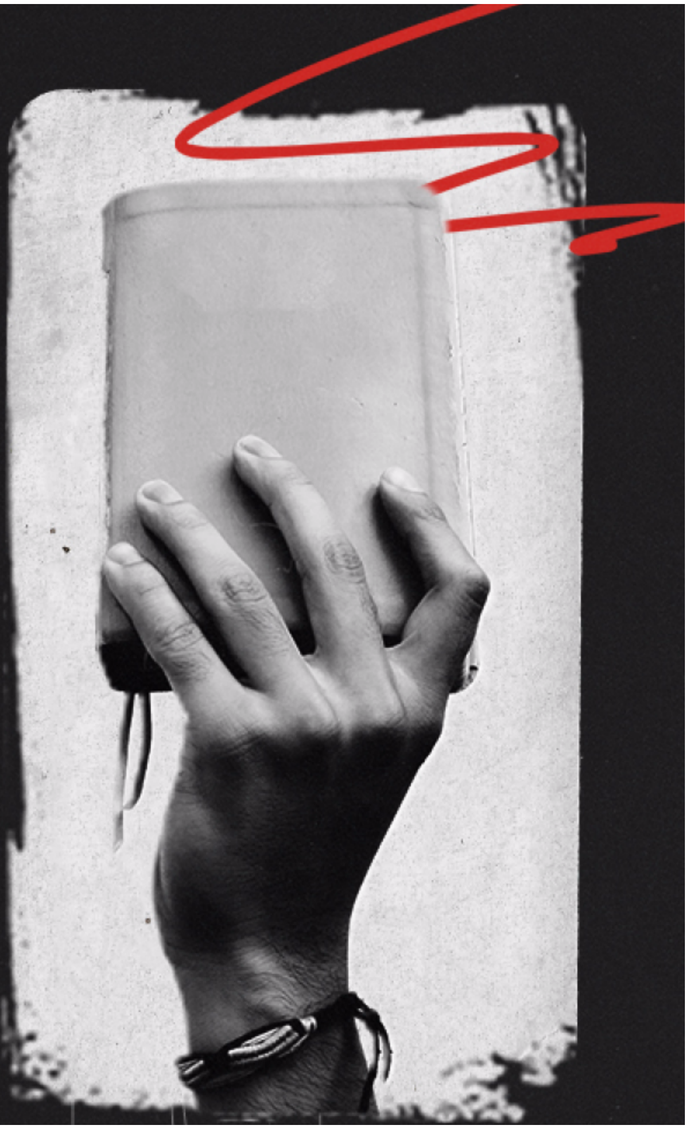
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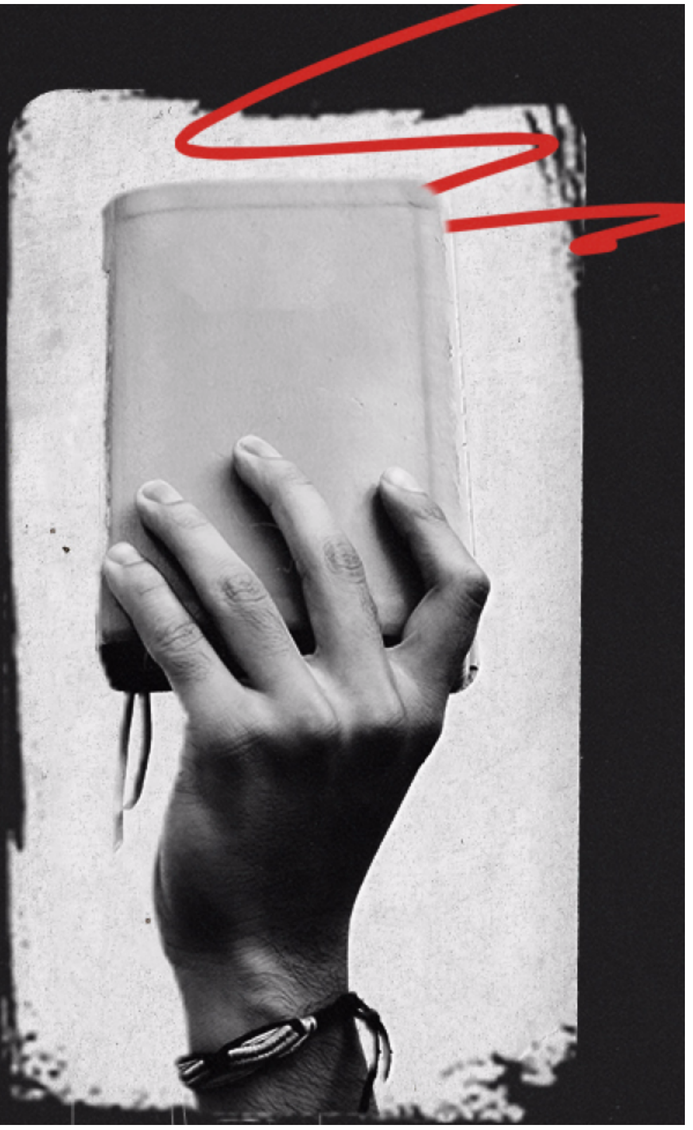
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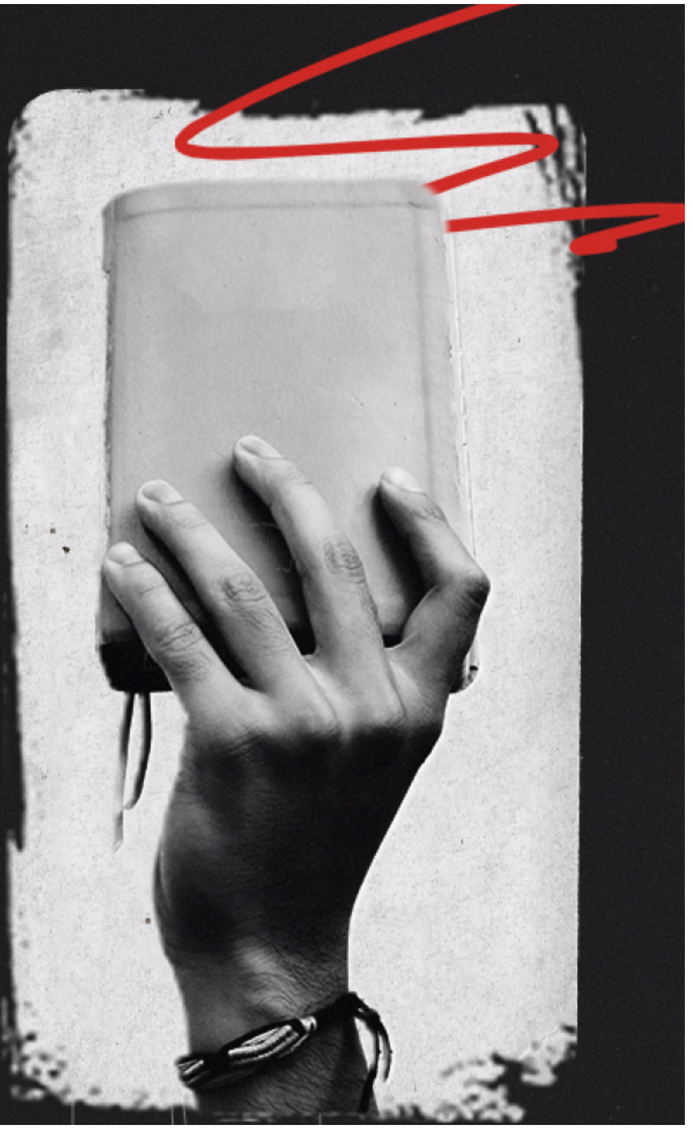
[13] The Passover of the Jews was at hand, and
Jesus went up to Jerusalem.

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[24] You shall observe this rite as a statute for
you and for your sons forever. [25] And when you
come to the land that the LORD will give you,
as he has promised, you shall keep this
service.

Exodus 12:24-27 ESV

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[26] And when your children say to you, ‘What do you mean by this service?’ [27] you shall say, ‘It is the sacrifice of the LORD’s Passover, for he passed over the houses of the people of Israel in Egypt, when he struck the Egyptians but spared our houses.’”

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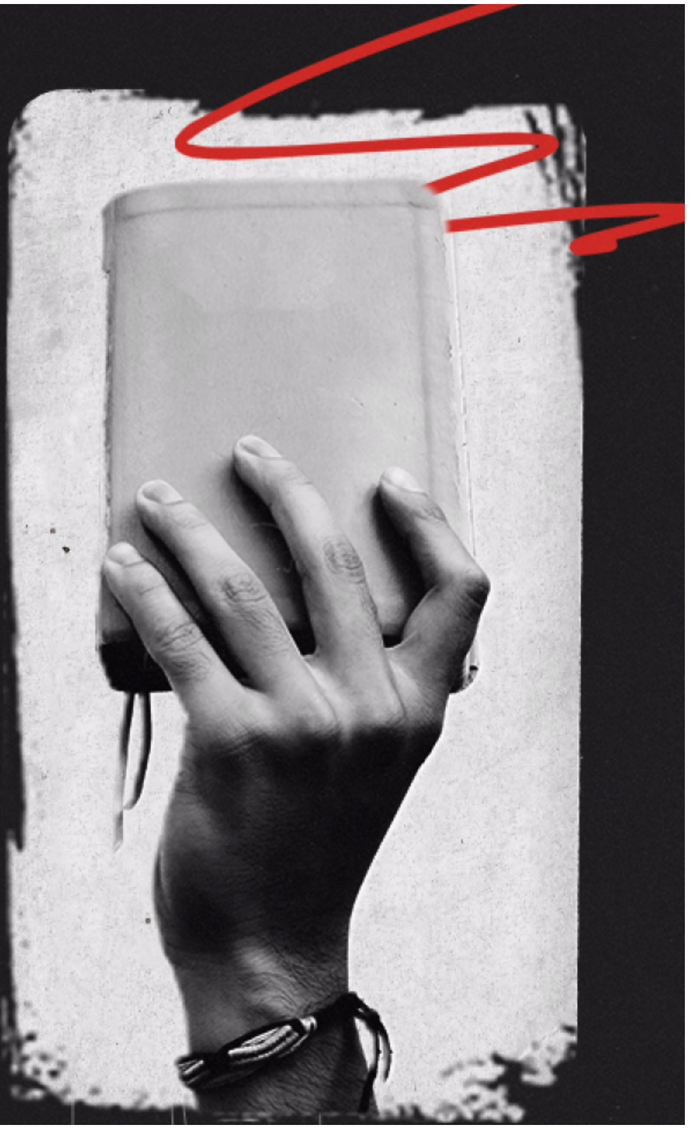
And the people bowed their heads and worshiped.

Exodus 12:24-27 ESV

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[14] In the temple he found those who were selling oxen and sheep and pigeons, and the money-changers sitting there.

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religiously motivated rebellion.

The Court of the Women was the farthest point of the inner temple complex that women could enter.

Herod's Temple (for a detailed cutaway drawing, see p. 1943)

The Pool of Israel was probably used to wash sacrificial animals before they were led to the Temple Mount.

Wilson's Arch formed a bridge over the Tyropoeon Valley below, leading from the Temple Mount to the Hasmonean Palace. A section of the western wall south of Wilson's Arch (187 feet/57 m long, sometimes called the Wailing Wall) has been a place of prayer for Jews for the last 700 years. The lowest seven stone courses, which can be seen at ground level, are Herodian.

The early square Temple Mount preserved its identity as a separate area with its own walls and gates.

Robinson's Arch and its massive stairway led from the Tyropoeon Street below up to the Royal Stoa.

The Golden Gate, then known as the Shushan Gate

Stairs descended from the Muster Gate into the Kidron Valley and eventually went up to the Mount of Olives.

The eastern city wall of Jerusalem

Solomon's Porch, the portico built along the eastern wall, was a place of congregation (cf. John 10:23; Acts 3:11).

The Double Gate and its monumental stairway

The *soreg* (a low, latticed screen or railing) prohibited Gentiles or non-purified Jews from entering the temple courts.

A ritual bath-house for pilgrims to cleanse before entering the temple precincts

The Court of the Gentiles was the area between the soreg and the outer walls of the early square Temple Mount.

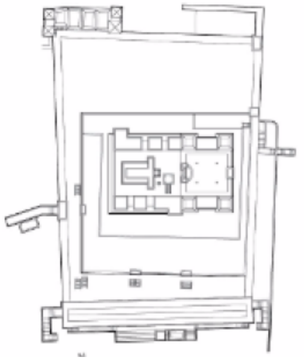
A Council House for legal proceedings

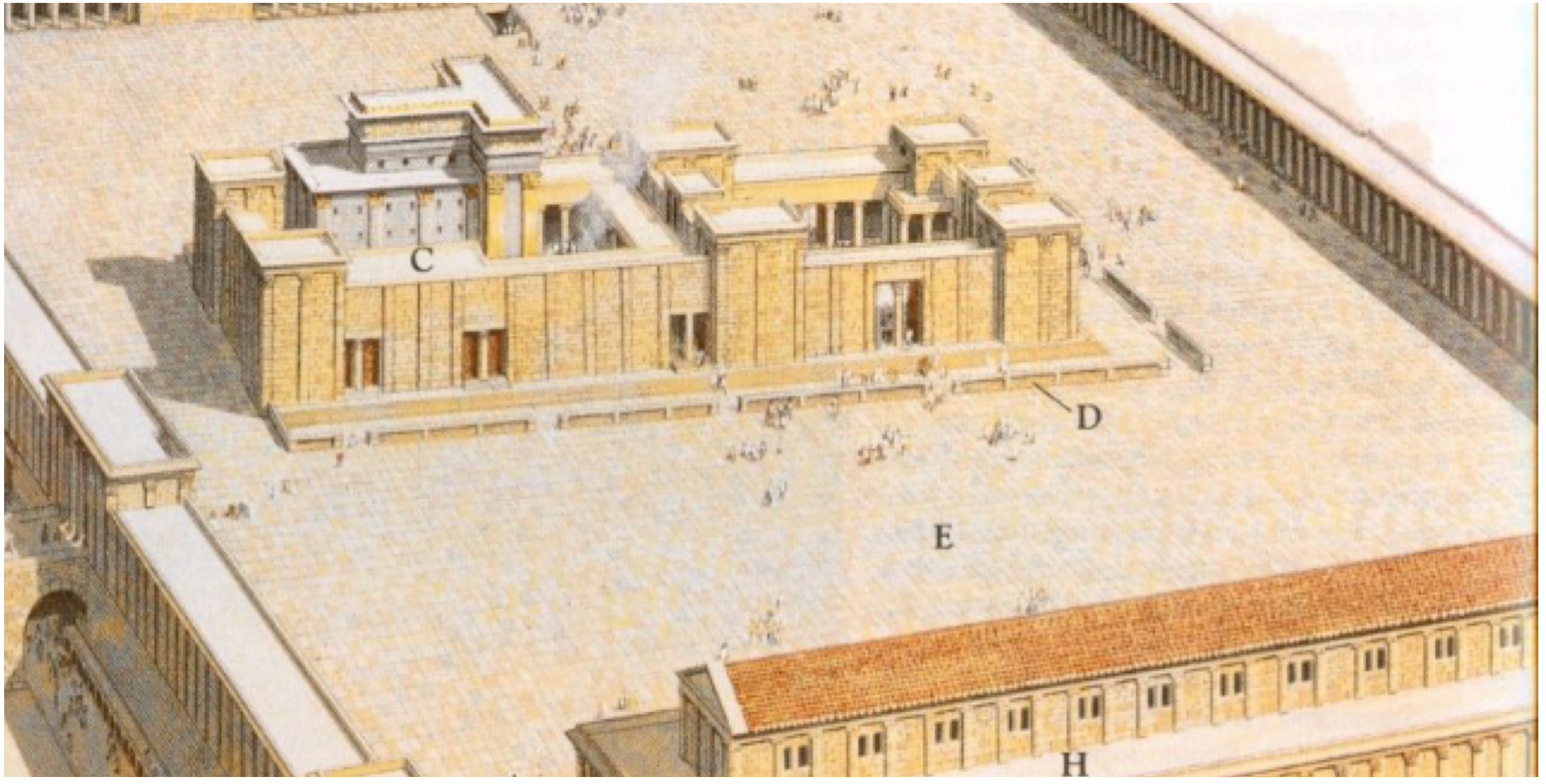
The Triple Gate and its stairway

The Royal Stoa was a 912-foot-long (278 m) portico, containing four rows of 40 columns. The Sanhedrin met in the central apse after c. A.D. 30. This may have been where Jesus cleansed the temple. The southeast corner overlooking the Kidron Valley created a drop of 140 feet (43 m) to the street below, and 300 feet (91 m) to the valley below. This may be the "pinnacle of the temple" mentioned in Matt. 4:5 and Luke 4:9.

Small shops, which had a narrow street built above them, were built along the southern wall of the Temple Mount.

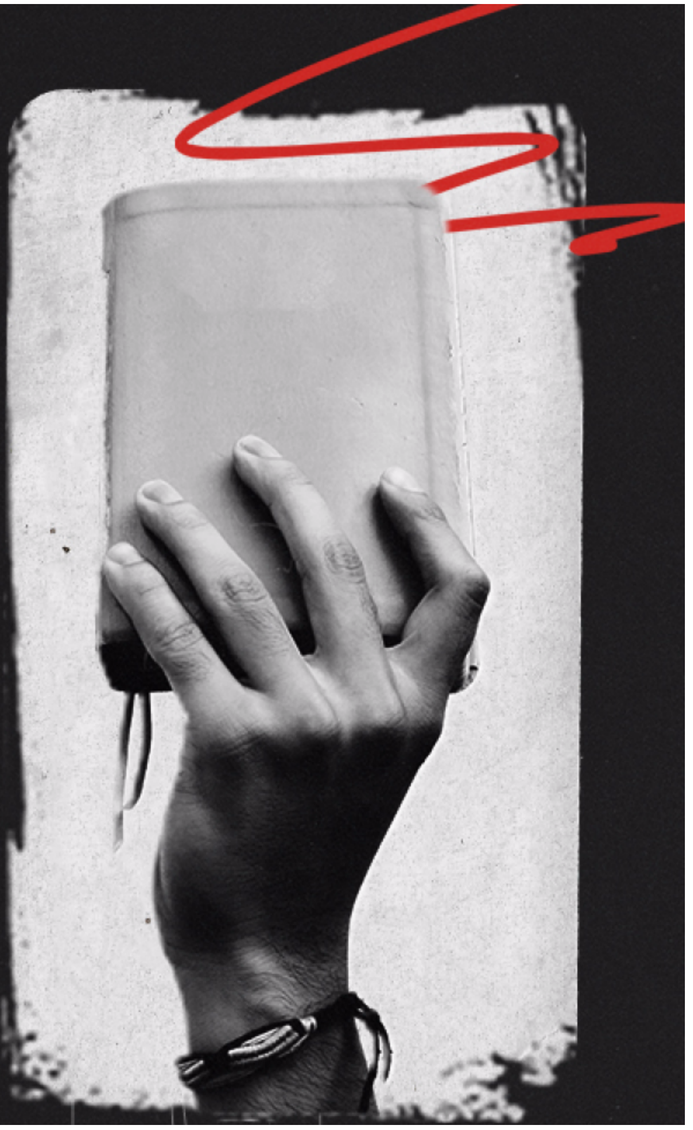
Temple Mount Architectural Plan




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…“You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.

Matthew 22:37 ESV

“The mind serves to know the truth that fuels the fires of the heart.”

John Piper

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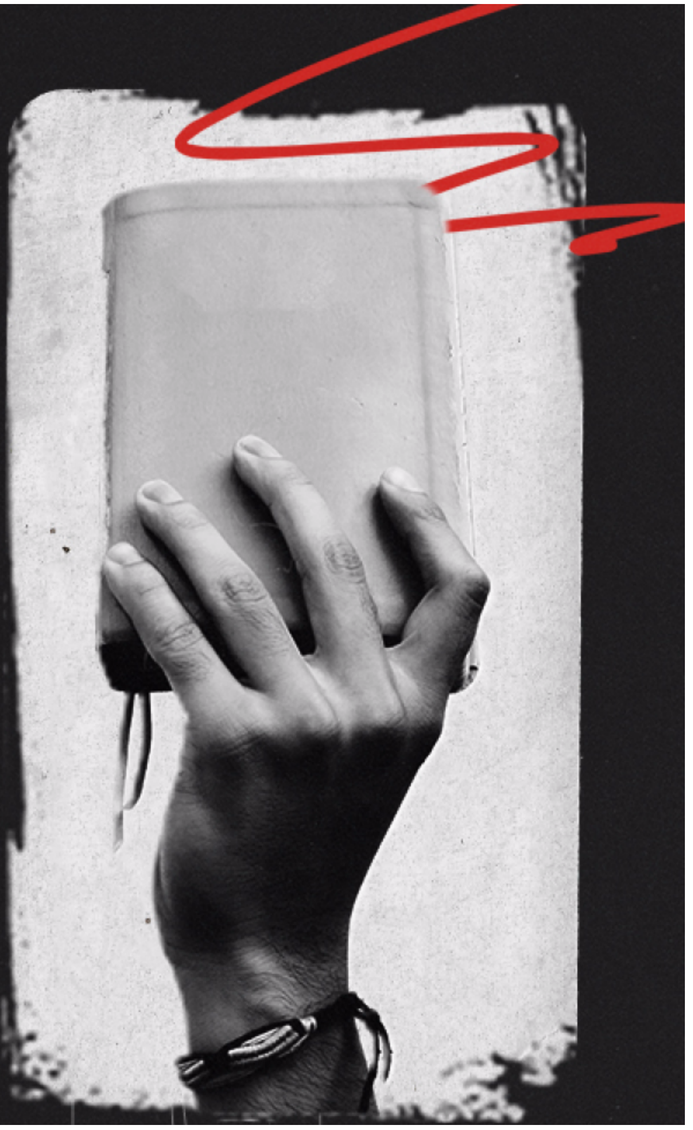
“Corporate worship is a rhythm of revelation and response. We gather, hear God's Word, and respond in adoration of Him.”

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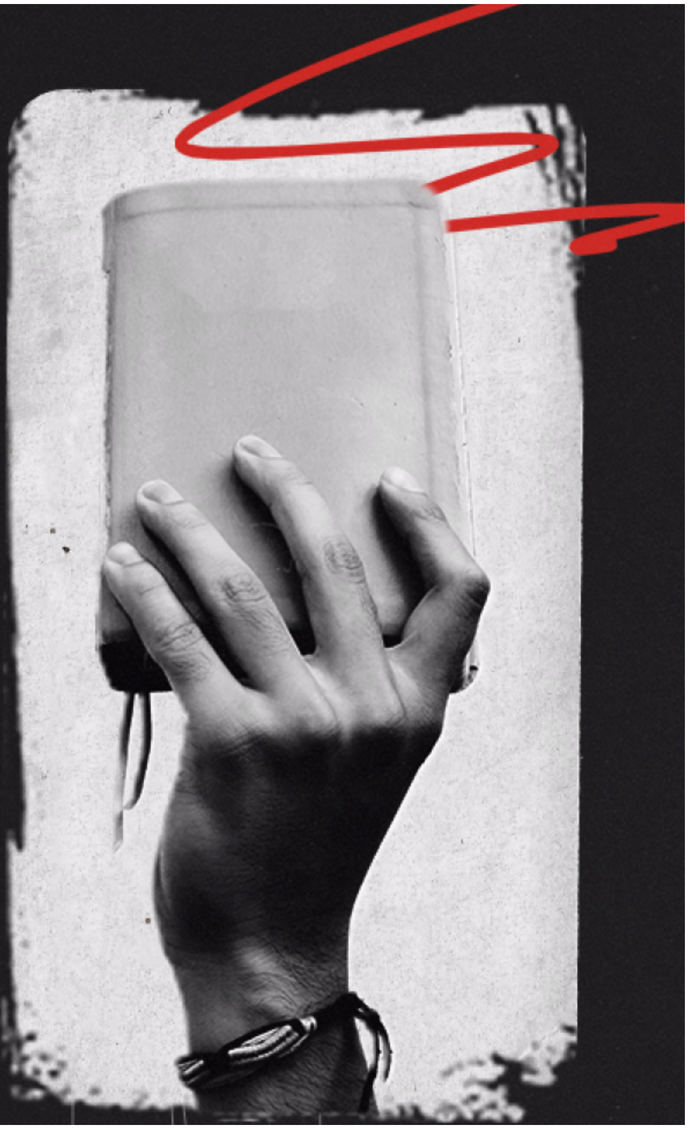
15 And making a whip of cords, he drove them
all out of the temple, with the sheep and oxen.
And he poured out the coins of the money-
changers and overturned their tables. 16 And he
told those who sold the pigeons, “Take these
things away;

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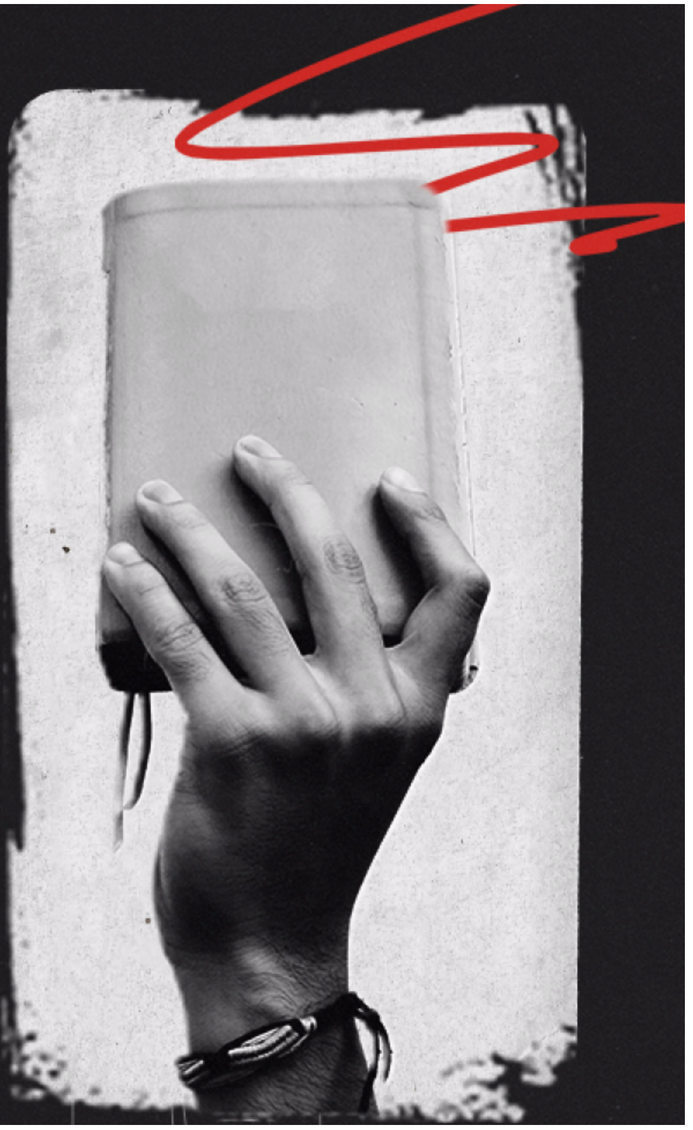
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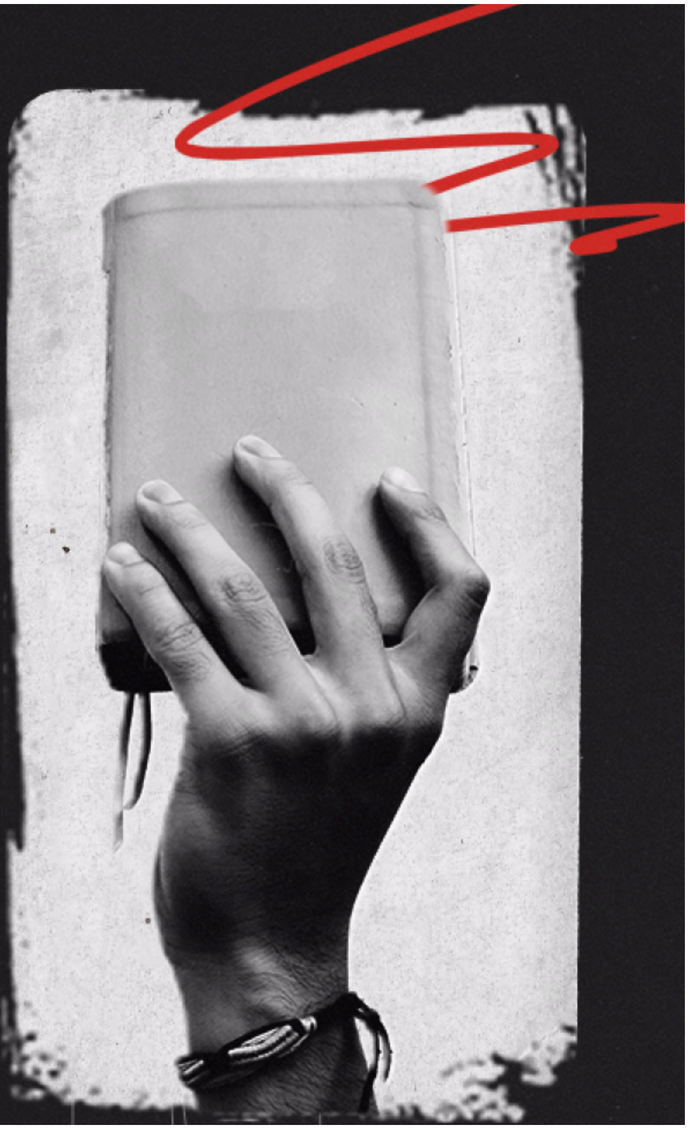
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[19] Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, whom you have from God? You are not your own, [20] for you were bought with a price. So glorify God in your body.

1 Corinthians 6:19-20 ESV

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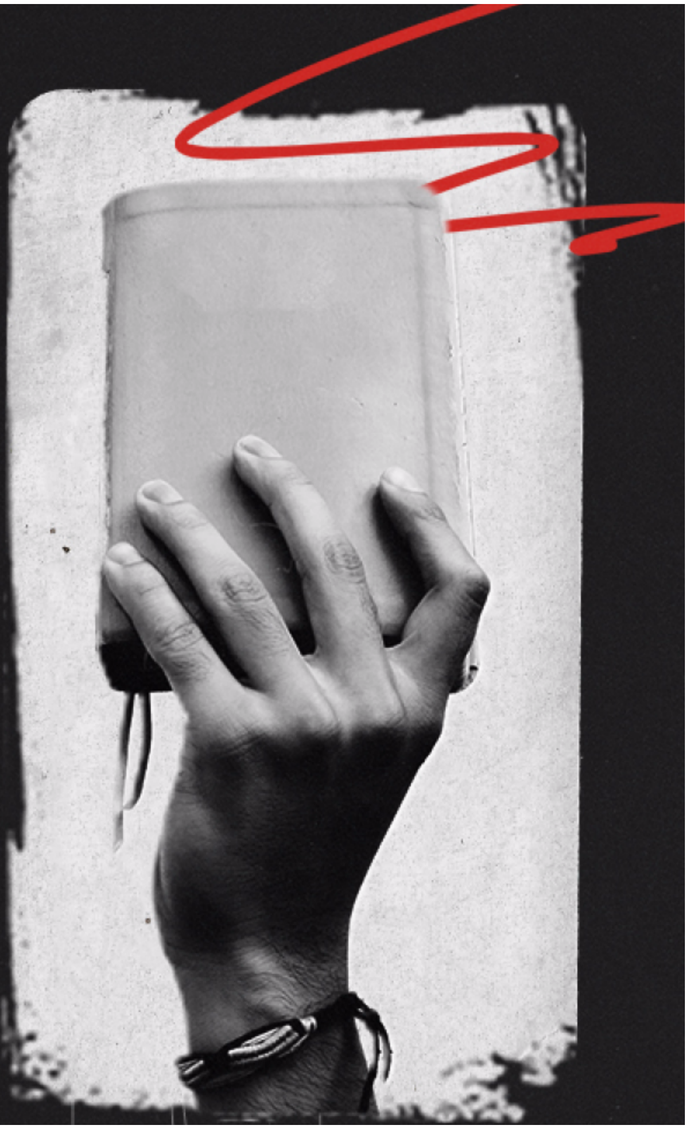
16 ...do not make my Father's house a house of
trade." 17 His disciples remembered that it was
written, "Zeal for your house will consume
me."

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Do not be slothful in zeal, be fervent in spirit, serve the Lord.

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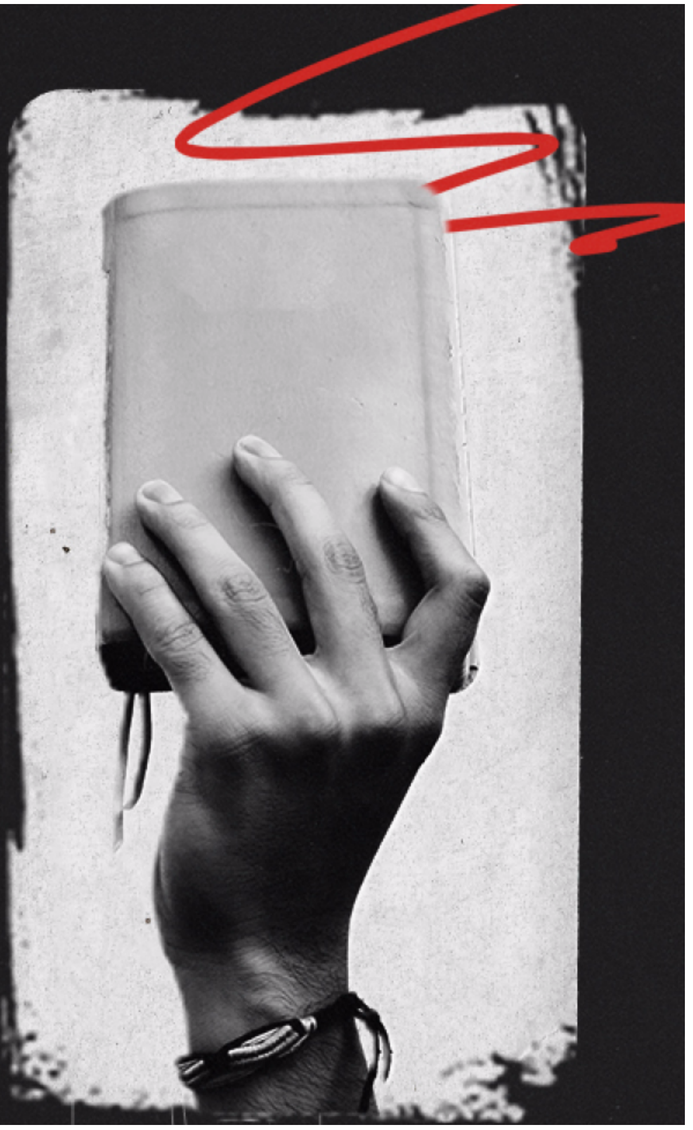
2. Let's be zealous for reverence and holiness.

3. Let's never forget the cost that gave us access to worship Him.

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[18] So the Jews said to him, “What sign do you
show us for doing these things?” [19] Jesus
answered them, “Destroy this temple, and in
three days I will raise it up.” [20] The Jews then
said, “It has taken forty-six years to build this
temple, and will you raise it up in three days?”

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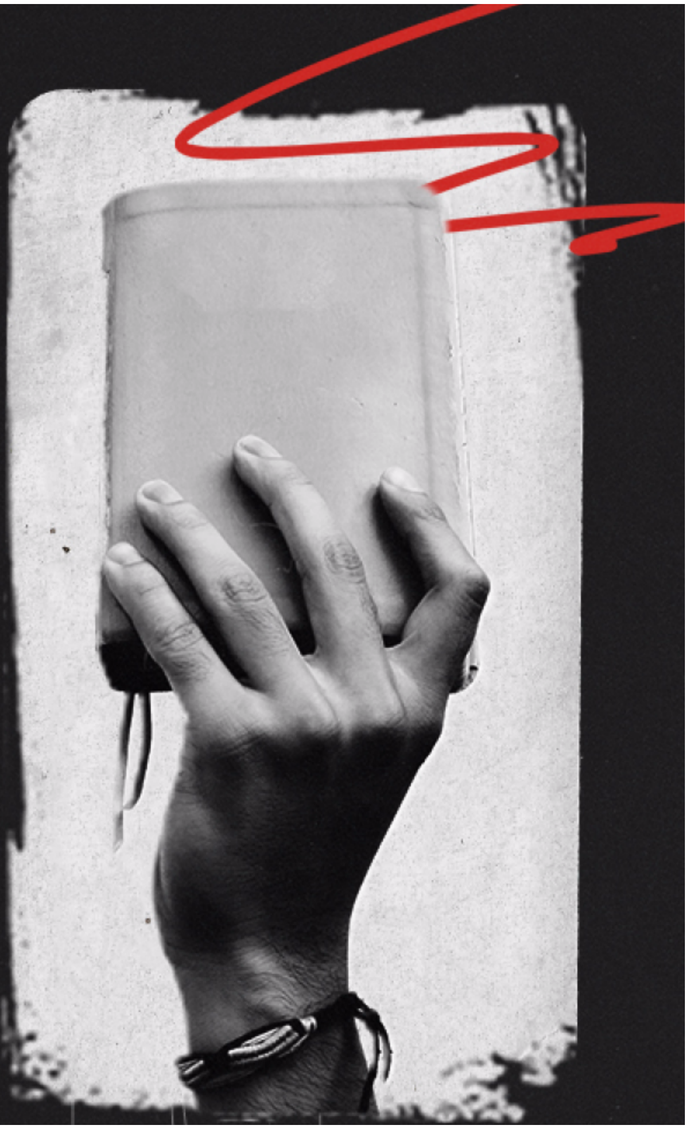
[21] But he was speaking about the temple of his body. [22] When therefore he was raised from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this, and they believed the Scripture and the word that Jesus had spoken.

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