MESSAGE NOTES 02.23.25 SERIES: "IF" – WEEK 6 2 CHRONICLES 7:14 MESSAGE: "INVITED INTO A PROMISE"

"If my people who are called by my name will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, I will hear from heaven and will forgive their sins and restore their land." 2 CHRONICLES 7:14

GOD'S THREE-FOLD INVITATION

 \rightarrow For God's ______ work in the lives of believers

1. _____

"If my people who are called by my name will humble themselves..."

"Pride must die in you, or nothing of heaven can live in you." ANDREW MURRAY

- Seeing God for who _____ is (authority, power & majesty)
- Seeing ourselves for who____are (sinners saved by grace)
- 2.
- "...and pray and seek my face..."
- searching
- With a ______to know God
- To _____ His presence, His peace, and His power in our lives
- 3. _____
 - "...and turn from their wicked ways..."

"Sin blocks our communication with, our commitment to, and our community with God"

- _____ our sin
- _____ from that sin
- _____ our behavior

GOD'S THREE-FOLD PROMISE

- 1. God will _____ from heaven
 - "....I will hear from heaven...."

"If I had not confessed the sin in my heart, the Lord would not have listened. But God did listen! He paid attention to my prayer." PSALM 66:18-19

2. God will _____ our sin

"...and will forgive their sins..."

"If we confess our sins to him, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all wickedness." 1 JOHN 1:9

"He [GOD] does not want anyone to be destroyed, but wants everyone to repent." 1 PETER 3:9

3. God will ______ their land

"...and restore their land."

- God will bestow _____ on his followers
- And _____ His people

APPLICATION

- God's three-fold promise is not a ______ that if every Christian prayed and repented our nation, or any other, would be blessed and saved
- The church has the ______ to impact all the people in a nation, but we do so by changing individual lives
- By seeking to bring God's _____ here on earth