Lesson 03 - Purifying the Temple

1. The next thing they did was to ___ the Temple to show their love & respect for God.

2. FTWTF - Power Text
   Can't find an answer? Check your Guide or quarterly!

3. FTWTF means: Find The Word That Fits

4. FTWTF - Title

5. But finally good King Hezekiah came to power. He determined to make things right again. The first thing he had to do was to ask the ____ to rededicate themselves to the Lord's work.

6. [Sunday's lesson] Begin to learn the power text found in Psalm 122:1. Ask God to show you what it means to live your life as a ____ to Him.

7. [Thursday's lesson] ___ and/or reorganize something in your life that has needed it for some time: a closet, dresser drawers, bedroom, school locker, etc. As you do so, think about how this experience is like Hezekiah's cleaning out the Temple. How is it different? Read Psalm 9.

8. The worship of the true God continued to be neglected through ____ generations of kings. But finally, Joash's great-great-great-grandson Hezekiah became king at the age of 25.

9. FTWTF - Power Point

10. The Temple had been ____ & unused for years. Everything that had been used for the worship of God was broken or stolen; things used for the worship of false gods lay strewn on the floor.

11. The floors were swept clean. The marble shone. New furniture was in place. Now all was ready in the courtyard in preparation for the great ____ of dedication.

12. But what we do know is that after Jehoiada died, Joash was persuaded to allow the people to worship ____ gods instead of the God of heaven.

13. Jerusalem was attacked again & again by hostile armies who killed the young men & ____ the young women & children & took them away as hostages. These were horrifying years, & all because God's people had tried to copy the worship of those other countries rather than staying true to Him.

Power Text
"I rejoiced with those who said to me, 'Let us go to the house of the Lord'"
Psalm 122:1

Power Point
When we worship together, we reflect God's love to our church family.

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