

A) 1-What was Ezekiel's answer to God's question? 2-If you were looking at a bunch of old, dry bones in the desert, what would your answer to God have been?

3) Read Ezekiel 37:4-6.

A) What did God say was going to happen to the dry bones?

B) Why did God say He was going to do this?

4) Read Ezekiel 37:7-10.

A) 1- Was Ezekiel obedient or disobedient to what the Lord told him to do? 2- What happened after Ezekiel proclaimed this prophecy (verse 10)?

5. Read Ezekiel 37:11-14.

A) God explains the vision to Ezekiel in these verses. This was a specific prophecy for a specific time but there are truths that we can take with us today. In verse 14, what does God tell Ezekiel He will put into His people?

B) In verse 14, what does it say will happen when He puts His Spirit in them?

It's going to take each person at Central Baptist Church to allow the Holy Spirit full control in order to accomplish God's vision at Central. His life living through every believer is what God is going to use to accomplish His vision. Are you ready for full surrender?

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1. Ezekiel was obedient to proclaim the vision that God had given him. Are you being obedient in everything God has told you to do? If no, what can you do to correct it?

2. How is your walk with God going? Are you dependent on the Holy Spirit to live through you each day? What's your next step of obedience to God that He desires to use so that His vision can be accomplished at Central?

3. Take some time in your small group to pray for the vision. Let everyone have an opportunity to pray.

God's Vision for Central Baptist Church
In 2019...

We will average three hundred people, who will be engaged with a powerful worship experience. We will see people find and follow Jesus. We will hear constant stories of how lives are being changed by the gospel. We will celebrate at least twenty-four professions of faith!

We will hire a full-time childrens minister who will create an irresistible environment in kids ministry. Our kids ministry will be vibrant, organized and gospel centered. Our youth ministry will bring their friends to church and witness life change; they will show God's love by serving our church and our community.

Our church will become an example of outreach to our community and city. We will expand our homeless ministry, serve our city and become known as the church that cares for everyone.

Our small group ministry will encourage our people to follow Jesus more deeply. We will begin at least four new groups. Multiplying disciples will be consistently emphasized so that we are accomplishing our mission.

People will attend more regular, serve with passion, and become more generous. As a result, our giving will increase 25% and finance the vision and mission of the gospel of Jesus Christ.