
“The Return from Exile” - Psalm 137

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Introduction:

1. The Babylonian Exile

2. Our Covidian Exile

a) Reasons to Return

1. We are **Embodied** Creatures
2. The Spirit is **Drawing** Us
3. Our Meetings are a **Family Reunion**
4. Listening to the Preached Word is a **Sacred** Moment
5. Singing and Praising God Together **Unifies** Us
6. We Need to Observe the **Sacraments**
7. We have a **Mission**
8. We Need to Re-Establish Good **Rythm**
9. **Greeting** One Another Changes our Lives

b) Other Things to Consider

1. The Medical and Health Concerns
2. The Fearful
3. The Comfortable
4. The Parents
5. The Masks
6. The Generous

3. Conclusion - Two Needed Commitments

a) Public Worship

b) Safety and Health
