

The City of God's Name – Part 2
Amos 9:7-15
Midweek 5-8-2019 Shabbat 5-11-2019

1. Discuss the connection of this teaching to the Torah Portion Kedoshim, Leviticus 19:1-20:27.
2. When David built the tabernacle for the Ark of the Covenant, what was the spiritual state of Israel? What will be the spiritual state of Israel when God raises up the fallen sukkah of David?
3. Jeremiah chapter 3 seems to be a parallel passage to the Ezekiel 22:1-22 and Amos 9:7-15 passages. What further light does it shed on the relationship between Israel and Judah? What further light does it shed on God's dealing with Israel and Judah?

4. Ezekiel 20:33-44 further explains God's dealing with the house of Israel in the wilderness of the peoples and their return to the land. How does God deal with the house of Israel and bring them home?

5. In Acts 15:13-18, James referred to more than one prophet while mostly quoting Amos 9:11-12. W. Edward Glenny notes the influence Zech. 8:22-23 and Isaiah 45:21 may have had on the Septuagint translation of these verses in Amos. Peter's testimony in Acts 2 relies on these passages as well as Zech. 2:14-17 and Jeremiah 12:16. Our Torah portion from last week included instructions about the "stranger who dwells among you in Leviticus 17 and 18. How do these passages refer to the inclusion of Gentiles into Israel?

6. What new insight did you gain by watching this video? How do you respond to this new insight? How will you realign your life based on this new understanding?