



# ACTS

CHRIST BUILDS  
HIS CHURCH

A Gift Greater Than Gold | Acts 3:1-10

# MAIN POINT

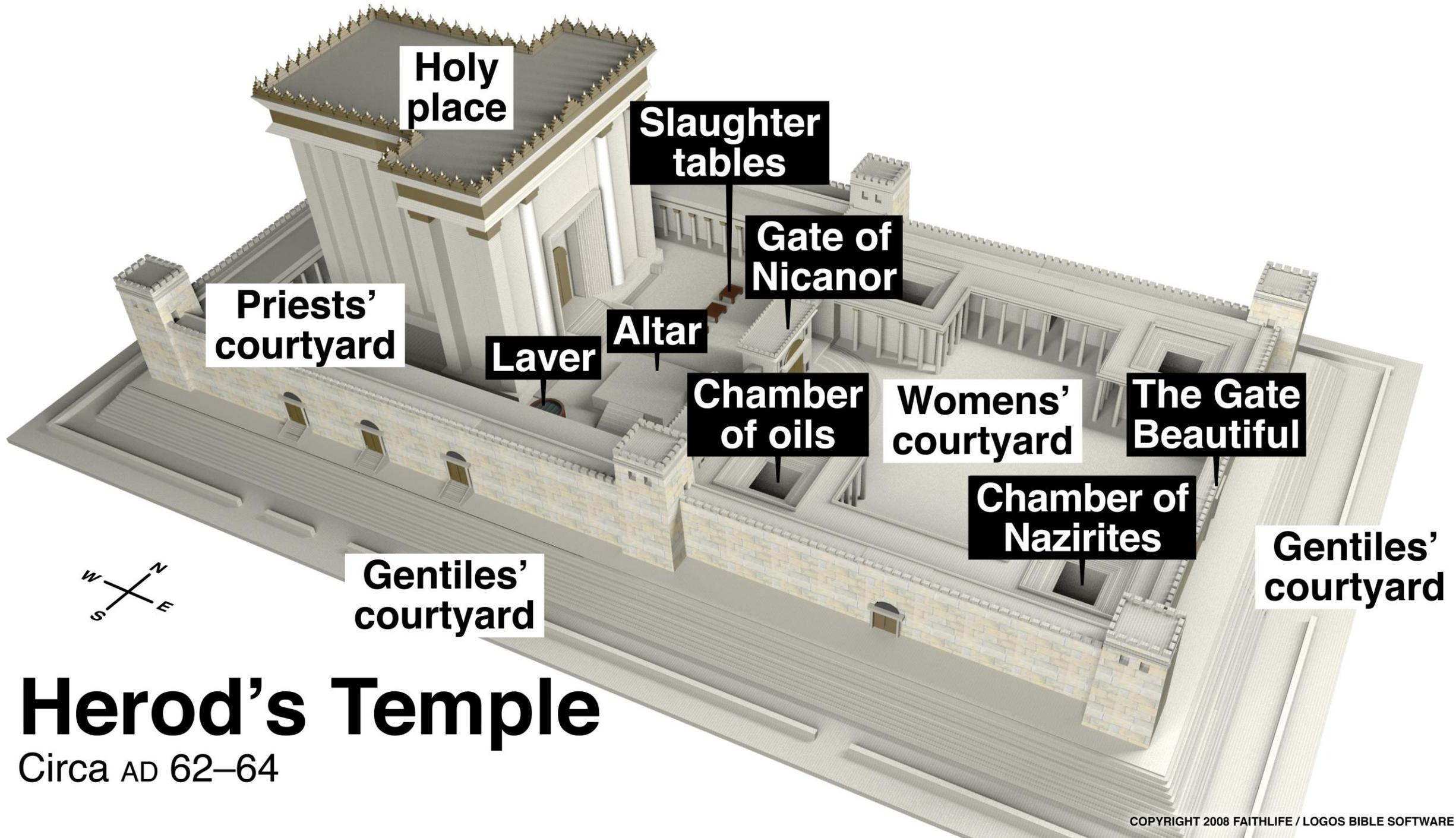
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# POOR & NEEDY

vv. 1-3



Holy place

Slaughter tables

Gate of Nicanor

Priests' courtyard

Laver

Altar

Chamber of oils

Womens' courtyard

The Gate Beautiful

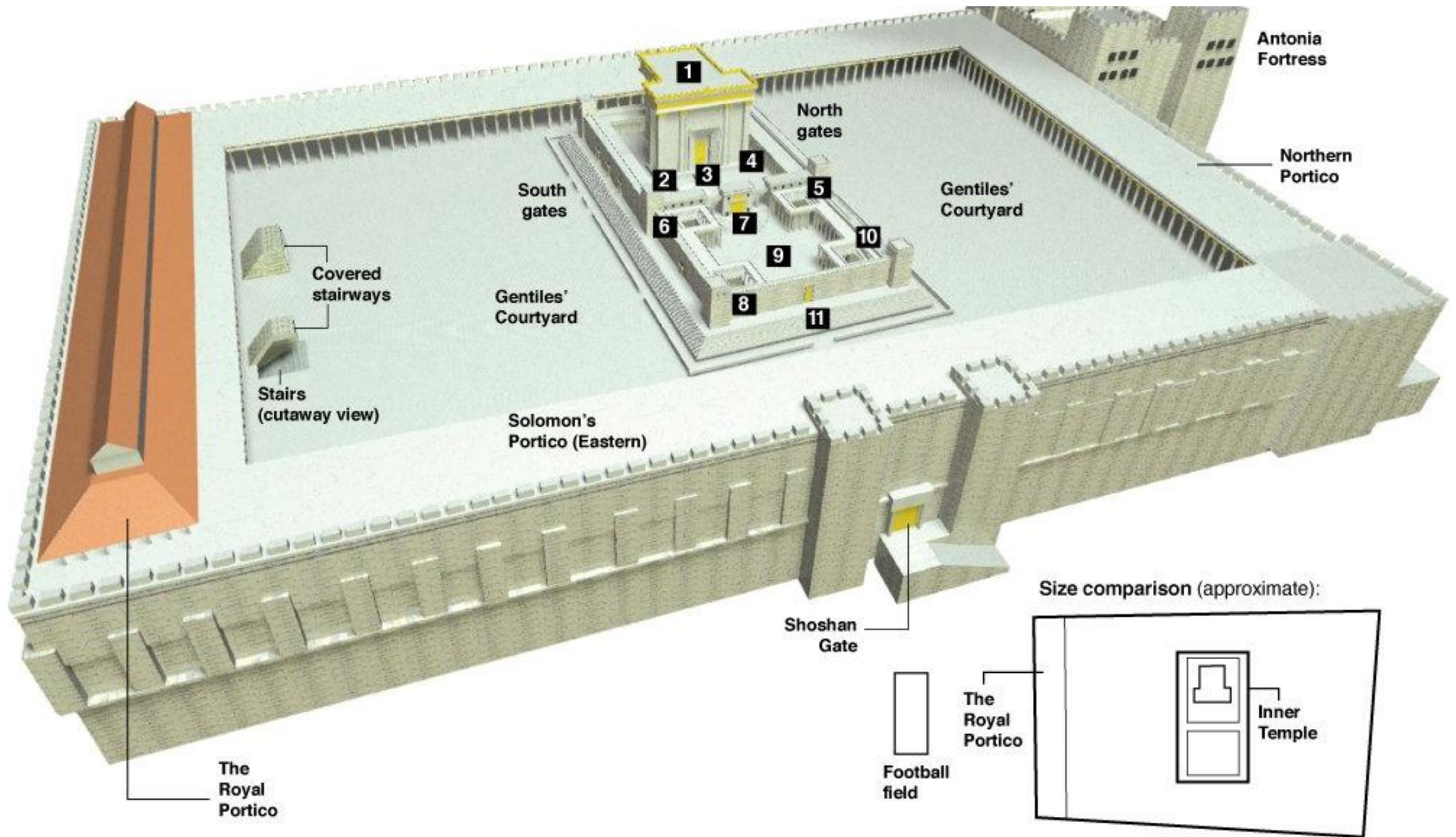
Chamber of Nazirites

Gentiles' courtyard

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# Herod's Temple

Circa AD 62-64



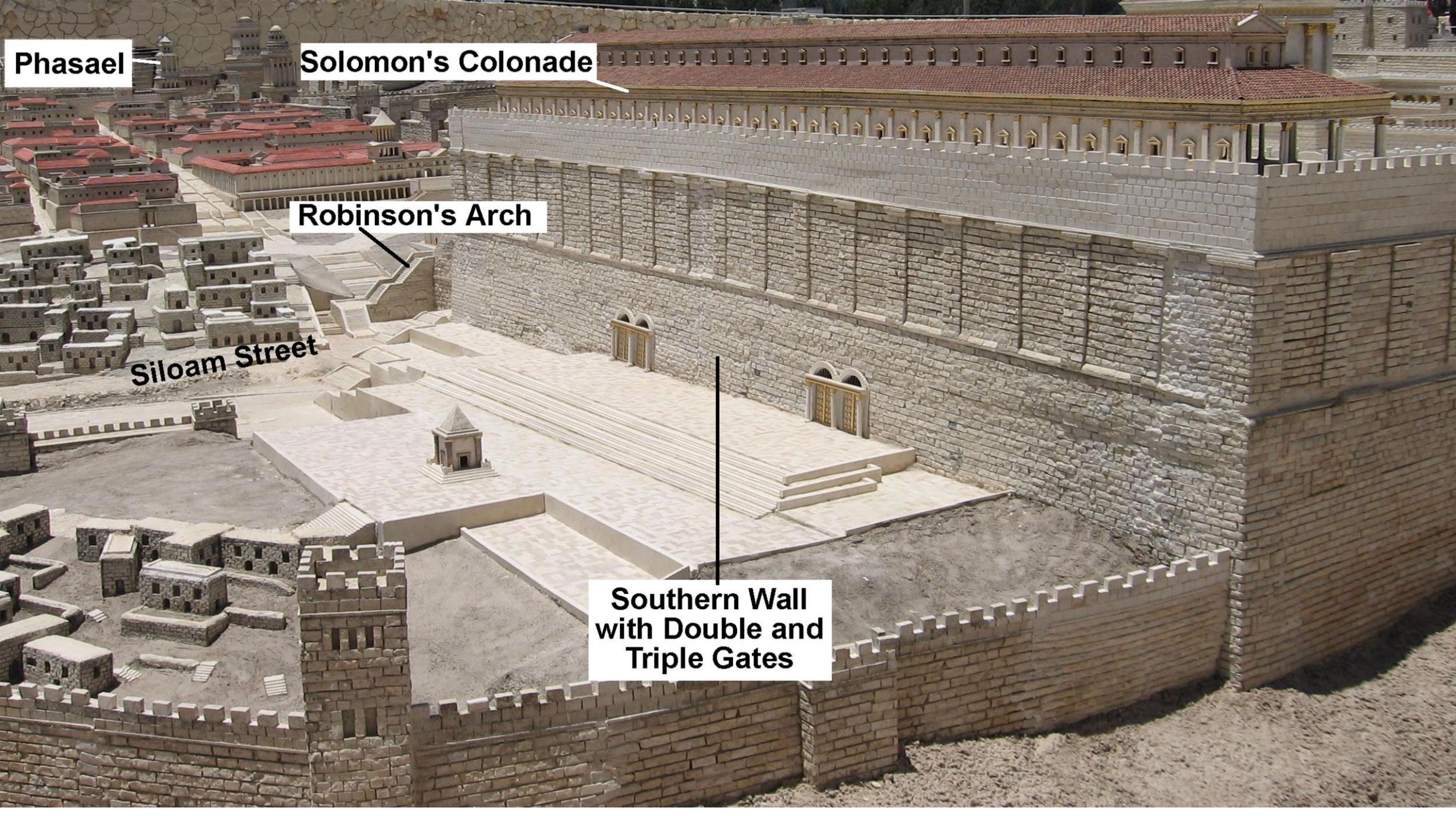
**Phasael**

**Solomon's Colonnade**

**Robinson's Arch**

**Siloam Street**

**Southern Wall  
with Double and  
Triple Gates**







**13** Jesus said to her, "Everyone who drinks of this water will be thirsty again, **14** but whoever drinks of the water that I will give him will never be thirsty again. The water that I will give him will become in him a spring of water welling up to eternal life."

John 4:13-14



# APPLICATION

Let us find joy in sharing the gift of the gospel with those who need it most.



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# EPHESIANS

“NOW TO HIM WHO IS ABLE TO DO FAR MORE ABUNDANTLY THAN ALL THAT WE ASK OR THINK, ACCORDING TO THE POWER AT WORK WITHIN US, TO HIM BE GLORY IN THE CHURCH AND IN CHRIST JESUS THROUGHOUT ALL GENERATIONS, FOREVER AND EVER.”

3:20-21

— Today's Sermon ————— 3-15-26 —

**“A Gift Greater Than Gold”**  
*Acts 3:1-10 – Pastor Scott Gnuse*

**MAIN POINT:** The church possesses the greatest treasure in the gospel of Jesus Christ.

Poor & Needy (1-3)

Rich & Generous (4-7)

Walking & Praising (8-10)

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### **Growing Deeper**

1. Reflect on the hopeless situation of the lame man in Acts 3:1-10. In what ways does his total helplessness illustrate our own condition without Jesus? Are there any specific Bible verses that come to mind which describe our spiritual need apart from Christ?
2. What was the purpose of signs and wonders during the time of Jesus and the apostles? Why are these miracles no longer needed today? Is faith in the revealed truth of Scripture really sufficient to save needy sinners?
3. In what ways does this story help you appreciate the immense value of the gospel that you possess as a Christian? Can you recall the most recent time you shared the message of salvation with someone in need?

**Heart Preparation:** Prepare your heart for worship on 03/22 by reading and meditating on Acts 3:11-26.

**Prayer Prompt:** Gracious Lord, I thank you for the incredible riches you have given through the gospel of Jesus Christ. I am grateful for all the people who have shared this precious gift with me throughout my life. Please fill my heart with joy and help me to notice those who need to hear about this treasure. Amen.

### **Reaching Farther**

**Family:** As a family, talk with your children about their most valued possession. Perhaps it is a toy, stuffed animal, or vacation souvenir. Help them see that a Christian's greatest treasure is the gospel of Jesus Christ. While our earthly possessions are temporary and provide fleeting joy, our salvation is eternal and produces lasting joy.

**Community:** Like Peter and John, be on the lookout for one person who needs to hear the good news of Jesus this week. Pray that God would make this opportunity clear to you in the coming days.