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Sunday # 4 – Seeking Shalom

Daniel 2

There are many ways to read Scripture.

A. H _____

2:1-7

1. The Timing

vs. 1

2. Various levels of wise men –

3. “spoke to the king in Aramaic” –

vs. 4

** What three languages was the Bible originally written in?

4. Houses to a Rubbish heap =

5. Challenge of the king’s command

vs. 5

B. P _____

2:8-18

A. From the king’s perspective

B. Wisemen’s perspective

C. Daniel’s perspective

C. T _____

vs. 19-23

+ God who ...

+ God of W _____ and P _____

vs. 20

+ God in C _____ of the C _____

vs. 21

+ God who reveals ...

vs. 22

+ God who K _____ what is coming –

+ God who is W _____ of P _____

It is always worth asking, “What does this passage tell me about God?”

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D. P_____

vs. 24-35

Vs. 28 – Clarifies ...

Vs. 29 – Clarifies ...

Vs. 30 – Clarifies WHY the dream was revealed to Daniel

Vs. 31 – 35 = The Dream

vs. 36 – Interpretation

Normal Assumptions

Head of G_____

King N_____

We know it is Babylon

Chest / arms of S_____

Belly / thighs of B_____

Legs of I_____

Feet of I_____ and C_____

S_____ cut without hands

Kingdom of G_____

Luke 20:17-19

The Millennial Kingdom

Isaiah 11:6 -9

Revelation 20

Question:

We have not P_____ the millennial Kingdom

We are not I_____ the millennial Kingdom

Must still be L_____ F_____ His Kingdom to come to earth

Means we are P_____ -millennial

*** We need to understand – Timing is ...*

E. Reading P_____ **as exiles living in a foreign land.**

Jeremiah 29: 5-7

Thesis: We need to be a ...

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Small Group Notes

What was the strangest dream you have ever had?

Have you ever had a dream that changed the way you lived?

Read Gen. 22:21-23 together....

What is the strangest way that God has ever spoken to or directed you?

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What was the king's command?

Where else in the Bible does the king ask for something like that?

What is the difference between the two requests?

What is the challenge of Nebuchadnezzar's request?

Why would Nebuchadnezzar demand for that?

What did Daniel ask for?

Vs. 16

How did Daniel proceed?

Vs. 18

How did Daniel respond to what he received?

How did Daniel use this experience?

Vs. 26-30

How did Daniel treat Nebuchadnezzar through all of this?

What was the result of this matter? How did Nebuchadnezzar respond?

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What are the Kingdoms shown?

Gold –

Silver –

Bronze –

Iron –

The big stone –

Has each of these happened yet?

Read:

Isaiah 11:6-9

Revelation 20

Has this picture of life on earth happened since the fall in the garden of Eden?

What is the final message of this lesson (its thesis)?

What does it look like when Christians do this?

What does it look like when Christians refuse to do this?

What was “shalom”?

How can you seek it for your land?

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This Week's Reading program

Monday Read Daniel chapter 1, 2

This week while reading Daniel 3-6, ask yourself what would be the biggest challenge for you as a God follower if you were in Daniel's shoes in each chapter?

Tuesday - Daniel 3

Wednesday - Daniel 4

Thursday - Daniel 5

Friday - Daniel 6

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Monday # 4 – Reviewing Sunday’s Sermon

What was the text for Sunday’s sermon? Read it again.

What was the background to the text?

What was the main point from the message?

What did I learn about the text from this message?

What would be a parallel situation in my world?

Where could the lesson be applied in my life?

How did God speak to me yesterday?

What will I do today to live out what I heard?

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For Further Study: # 4

God's Knowledge

Job 37:16 =
Psalm 147:5 =
I John 3:20 =

What about the future?

Acts 15:18 =
Isaiah 46:10 =
Ephesians 1:4 =
I Peter 1:20 =
Isaiah 7:14 –
Genesis 45:5 –
I Kings 13:1-3 –

How does God's knowledge compare to ours?

Romans 11:33, 34 –
Isaiah 40:13-14 –
Isaiah 55:8, 9 -

What does He know about today?

Jeremiah 16:17 –
1 Chronicles 28:9 –
Hebrews 4:13 –
Matthew 10:29–30 –
Psalm 139:1-6 –
Acts 1:24 –

What does He know about me today? Jeremiah 23:24

What does that mean for me today?

What does He know about my tomorrow?

I John 3:20 –

Alternatives to Worry

Matthew 6:25-34
Jeremiah 17:7, 8

Wrestle with the questions: Do I trust the Lord? How far? To do what?

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Armand Tiffe, Pastor Emeritus of Cornerstone Community Church in Mayfield Heights, Ohio, has given a three-part plan to deal with anxiety from Phil. 4:6-9.

1. Pray Biblically Phil. 4:6-7

What does the Bible teach us concerning God and our worries?

Isaiah 41:10 =

Psalms 27:1-3 =

I Peter 5:6, 7 =

2. Think Biblically Phil. 4:8

Romans 12:1, 2

II Cor. 10:5

3. Live Biblically Phil. 4:9

Philippians 3:14 –

4. (Allow me to add one final piece for your peace) Remember the End of the Story.

Philippians 1:6

Hebrews 13:5

John 14:3

I John 2:17, 25

Apply these 4 steps to your life's worries:

Name the first peace thief on your list -

Pray about it Biblically

Think about it Biblically

Live Biblically in light of it

Remember the Biblical end of the Story

Repeat daily with ALL of your worries!

Primer on the Eternal Kingdom

Gen. 12:1-3

Genesis 15:13-21

Genesis 17:21

Genesis 35:10-12

Joshua 1:2-6

II Sam. 7:12, 13

I Chronicles 17:10-14

Isaiah 9:6-7

Jeremiah 25:9-12

Ezekiel 37:21-25

Amos 9:14, 15