



**DANIEL – OUR GOD REIGNS**  
**Strength for What’s Ahead**  
 Daniel 10:1 – 11:1 • Message #12

Daniel’s Third Vision

- Chapter 10 Introduction
- Chapter 11 Vision
- Chapter 12 Conclusion

What does this introduction teach us?

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Comes in Difficult Times
2. \_\_\_\_\_ is Essential in the Battle
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Came at a Cost – be \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Warfare is All Around Us

TAKE HOME TRUTH

*God’s people are \_\_\_\_\_  
for what’s ahead.*

**Coming Up**

- Next Week – Randy Barton, Guest Speaker
- July 23 – Cal Alderink, Forgotten Man Ministries
- August 2 - A Terrifying Future, Dan 11:2-45
- Aug 9 - Enduring to the End, Dan 12:1-13

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Beginning this Fall – The Book of Hebrews  
*Jesus is Better*



**TO EVERYTHING  
THERE IS A**

*Season*

To every thing there is a season,  
 and a time to every purpose under  
 the heaven: A time to be born,  
 and a time to die; a time to plant,  
 and a time to pluck up that  
 which is planted.

ECCLESIASTES 3:1-3



**THE LORD'S DAY**  
**July 12, 2020**

Prelude - David Froman  
Call to Worship  
*In Christ Alone*  
Missions Moment  
Scripture Reading & Prayer  
*Strength For What's Ahead*  
Pastor Fred Froman  
*A Mighty Fortress*  
*O Church Arise*  
Benediction

**Just a Moment**  
**with Pastor Fred**

"The church may go through her dark ages,  
but Christ is with her in the midnight."  
Charles Spurgeon

Though the church isn't the focus in the book of Daniel, God was promising his people that he was not going to forsake them through some dark ages to come. For you and me, reading Daniel, most of those dark ages are now ancient history. But for Israel, they were to be prepared for the severity of testing ahead. Daniel is much more than prophecy. It is a book about God's people living in a foreign land – how to survive in a hostile world. We too are living in Babylon. We are living in a hostile world. How are we to manage? Kevin DeYoung wrote, "The world needs to see Christians burning, not with self-righteous fury at the sliding morals of our country, but with passion for God."

Dark days are ahead for us as Christians. But don't fear. God has not given us a spirit of fear but of love, peace and a sound mind. Our Lord has promised to be with us just as he was with Daniel and countless other believers who have endured far worse. Lift up your head – your redemption is coming soon.

## Prayer Requests

Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful.

### General Requests & Praise

- Unrest & strife in our nation
- COVID-19 health & safety issues
- That we will remain calm & confident in our Lord
- Spiritual growth of the church
- Those pursuing ACBC certification
- 2020 Strategic Plan

### Physical Needs

- Laurie Horstman - heart stent Aug 7
- Jack Horstman - strength & treatments
- Barb Peters - cancer
- Bill Gillam—recovering from surgery
- Carol Gillam - severe pain back
- Gina Golden - kidney, heart & eye complications - diabetes
- Fred Soto (Dee Harrison's son) - cancer
- Bob Castle (Cindy Price's dad) - cancer, diabetes
- Cherie VanValkenburgh - ongoing health issues, endurance
- Don Adcock - Alzheimer's, Parkinson's, new medications
- Eliana Bolthouse (Froman's granddaughter) - seizure control
- Nic Martin - chemo treatments
- Bud Iutzi (Mary Hayes dad) - gain strength from hospitalization

### Family of the Week

Randy & Amber Barton, Dale, Madison, Landon, Baleigh

### Missionary of the Week

Ryan & Abigail deRoos

"We need never shout across the spaces  
to an absent God. He is nearer than  
our own soul, closer than our most secret thoughts.

~ A.W. Tozer

"But now in Christ Jesus you who were once far away have been brought near  
by the blood of Christ." Ephesians 2:13 NIV