

MESSAGE NOTES



THE END

Today, we bring our journey with Daniel to a close by taking in the last half of his entire book. Throughout these chapters the phrases about “times,” “appointed” times and “the end time” are regularly repeated. There are kingdoms, nations, rulers, years, months, days. We so want to know what will happen and when!

Daniel 7-8

Daniel 9

Daniel 10-11

Daniel 12

the one thing:

This is what God is saying to you, today:

Miss something? All of these sermon notes will be available online Monday.

TAKING IT HOME NOTES

FOR SMALL GROUP & PERSONAL STUDY

- 1 **KEEPING IT REAL**
How do you reconcile God’s sovereignty with the existence of incompetent, corrupt and even evil leaders in the world and throughout history?
- 2 **LOOK AT THE BOOK**
What do you learn about earthly authorities, God’s purpose and the responsibility of believers from the following passages: Psalm 33:10-11; Job 42:1-3; Exodus 9:16; Romans 8:28-29; Romans 13:1-6; 1 Peter 2:11-17; 1 Timothy 2:1-4.
- 3 Spend some time pondering and discussing a few specific leaders in the Bible, in world history, in current events. How might or has the presence of each leader advanced God’s purposes? Do this humbly remembering Romans 11:33-36.
- 4 **THE NEXT STEP**
How has the study of these Scriptures helped or challenged you? What will you do to grow your trust in and obedience to our sovereign God?

NEXT STEPS

- Meditate upon Daniel 7:13-14.
- Read (take your time) Daniel 7-12
- Send me the link to “What’s Next?”
[a 5-part video series by Bill Marris]
- Other _____

october is pastor appreciation month

It’s a time to be purposeful in coming alongside our leaders in love and support; applaud their efforts and shoulder their burdens. This month, take time to send a card, buy a lunch, give a Facebook shout-out, decorate a church office or give a gift card. The gesture doesn’t have to be large to be a blessing.

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