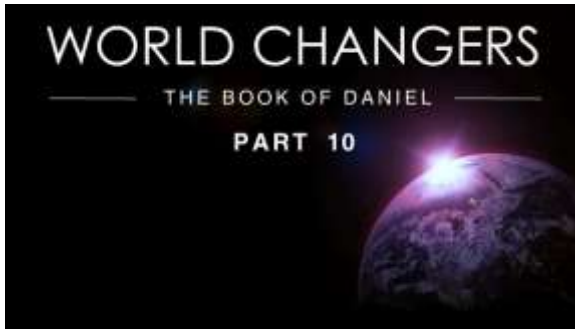


Proclamation of the World Changer November 28, 2021 Discussion Notes

Everyone is encouraged to bring a Bible

(Phone apps are good for reading together in the same translation. Study Bibles give help with interpretation.)



Questions:

- Icebreaker question: What did you do for Thanksgiving? Any fun stories to share?
- The sermon was based on Daniel 11:32-35, and also reviewed the first six chapters of the book. It focused on how God used Daniel and his friends to proclaim the greatness of the true God. What do you remember about each of the main points? What stood out to you or impacted you?
- Read John 6:27-29.
 - According to this passage, what is the most important kind of work you can do?
 - Why do you think Jesus didn't list any other good "works" here?
 - Now read John 4:31-34. According to Jesus, what was his food? What did he mean by this metaphor?
 - How can we be inspired to work hard for the Lord, but not slip into legalism or works-based righteousness?
- Read Colossians 1:28-29.
 - What was Paul working to accomplish?
 - How hard was he working?
 - Where did Paul get his energy from? What did Paul mean by this?
 - How can you better tap into Christ's energy? Discuss with your group practical ways that you have seen to work well in your lives.
- Read 1 Peter 2:11-12.
 - What does it mean that we are "aliens and strangers" in the world?
 - What sinful desires war against the souls of God's people?
 - What are we called to do? Why?
 - Now read Daniel 6:3-4 and Daniel 6:25-28. How did God use Daniel's character to impact the pagan culture he was in?
- Read 2 Corinthians 5:17-20.
 - As Christians, what are some of the old things that have passed away?
 - What are some of the new things that have come into being in us?
 - What is the "ministry of reconciliation" that has been given to us?
 - What does an ambassador do? What skill set is needed to be a good one?
 - Do you feel like an ambassador for Christ? Why or why not?
 - Have you noticed God "making his appeal" through you in any unexpected ways? Please share.
 - How might you become a more effective ambassador for him?
- Spend some time praying that God would use our lives to draw others to Him. And pray for any needs in your Life Group.