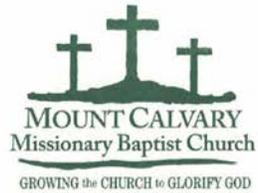


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12:00 – 1:00pm

Daniel's confession and prayer

Daniel look forward to the day when God would restore and reward Israel. Israel was suffering punishment for its disobedience; but when would the punishment end? Daniel's message was both discouraging, and encouraging. He predicted trouble ahead; Israel would suffer under Gentile powers for many years. But the encouraging news was that the time of trails would also pass away. The time was coming when God would gather His children to Him again. He would establish His messianic kingdom which would last forever. The God who directs the forces of history has not deserted His people

Daniel's prayer part 2

Daniel 9: 7 – 10

- I. This is a prayer of repentance for Israel's past sinfulness, because God is getting ready to do something special for his people (Ver. 7).
- II. God shower his grace and mercy upon everyone that fear Him, even those that are in a far country (Ver. 7).
- III. We are driven away from God because of our sin of disobedience to the word of God (ver.7).
- IV. Because of sin we are in a state of confusion, we don't know what is right or wrong (Ver.8).
- V. Even in our rebellious ways we have a God full of grace and mercy, and is ready to forgive us of our sinful ways (Ver.9).
- VI. Daniel confessed that Israel had departed from the word of God, and had disregarded the prophets of God (Ver.10).

Conclusion: Our God is a great God that love us unconditional, and when we pray to Him in faith and sincerity He will hear our prayers and will response to ours needs. God want our prayer to be a prayer of confession and forgiveness.

Our next week lesson: We will continual in Daniel's prayer part III, Daniel 9: 11- 14