

## WHITES RUN BAPTIST CHURCH

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### Announcements

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- **Association Team Ministry meeting today at 2:00.**
- **Give to the Eliza Broadus offering** for Kentucky mission work.
- **Good News Club:** Join us for a ministry opportunity at Carroll County Middle School! Contact Pastor Eric for details.
- **6:00 PM Bible Study:** Canceled for tonight.
- **Food Pantry:** Please bring shelf-stable food products, especially cereal, to the church for the food pantry.
- **Family Dinner, every Sunday 12:00-?.** Everyone is invited.
- **Prayer Meeting, Wednesday 7:00 PM:** Come pray with us for our church, and our community.

### Tyrants and Trials: Daniel 3.

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**Today's point:** As the world and its tyrants oppose God, He is faithful to deliver His people through the trials.

### The Tyrant

- Nebuchadnezzar's journey: Daniel 1:18-21, 2:46-49, 3:28-30, 4:1-3, 4:34-37.
- Compare the dream of Nebuchadnezzar in Daniel 2:38-45. There having been the head of Gold - Nebuchadnezzar here makes an image entirely of Gold.
- This is the way of man, Genesis 3:4-5, 4:1-2, 10:8-12, 11:1-9.

- These despotic leaders are men of lawlessness, or antichrists, Matthew 24:24; 1 John 2:18, 2:22, 4:3; 2 Thessalonians 2:3-10; Daniel 7, 8, 11; Revelation 13:1-18, 17:7-14.

### The Trial

- Persecution (trials) will always come to God's people, 1 Peter 4:12-19; John 15:18-20; Philippians 1:29.
- "No Christian is to disobey the Lord by obeying the government" — Warren Wiersbe See Acts 4:19, 5:29; Romans 13:1-7; Leviticus 26:1.

### The Triumph

- The biblical pattern for believers is suffering first, glory later. See Joseph, Genesis 38-50; David, 1-2 Samuel, Kings, Chronicles; and Jesus. See also 1 Corinthians 6:19-20; 1 Peter 5:1-11.
- The promises of God are not about avoiding trials, but in securing the faithful through the trials. See Isaiah 43:2; Hebrews 11:30-34; Psalm 23:4;

### Encouragements

- As the world and its tyrants oppose God, He is faithful to deliver His people through the trials.
- Draw close to God in the study of His Word, in prayer, and in fellowship with His people.

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