

DANIEL

THE RAM AND THE GOAT

18 AUGUST 2019



**OUR
VISION**

To gather and grow a people from all seasons and walks of life who are passionate about knowing Christ in all his fullness, sowing the seed of the gospel and producing fruit to the Glory of God

NEW TO CAMBRIDGE BAPTIST CHURCH?

If you are visiting for the first time, we say kia ora and a very warm WELCOME to you. As you worship with us we trust that you will feel at home, but more than that, to know the presence of God has touched your life through the worship and the Word. It is our intention to provide you with a loving environment, where people are encouraged in their journey of faith. Please stay for a cup of tea or coffee after the service.

SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS - DANIEL 8

1. If God offered to show you a snapshot of New Zealand's future over the next two hundred years, would you want to see it? Why or why not?
2. As you look through Daniel chapter 8, pick out the main images in Daniel's vision and list the matching interpretation of each image in verses 15-27. What stands out to you and what do you find surprising?
3. If you had been a Jew living under the tyranny of Antiochus, how would it have made you feel to read Daniel's prophetic prediction of the very events you were experiencing? What specific qualities can you see in Antiochus that you might also expect to see in an evil ruler bent on world conquest?
4. In what ways could this chapter be an encouragement to Christians living under political tyranny (or even emotional discouragement or spiritual attack)? How does this chapter fit with Daniel's main theme of God's absolute authority?
5. What perspective does this chapter give us in understanding how a good God can permit evil? Daniel's predictions were fulfilled precisely and literally. Should we expect biblical predictions about our future to be fulfilled in the same way? Explain.
6. What did Daniel do after he had received the vision? Why is this important?



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What's on and Where's it Happening

CONGRATULATIONS! - Ryno & Pipi Theron have a wee girl! Her name is Airini & she was born on Mon 5th Aug, weighing in at 6lbs 7ozs!

SEW WHAT CLASS - cancelled on Friday 23rd August.

A PAIR OF GLASSES in a glasses case has been handed in. If you are missing yours, phone or call in to the office.

OVERCOMER - movie will be showing Sunday 25th Aug 7pm, at the Tivoli Cinema. Tickets \$20. Contact Bridges Church to reserve seats. Limited to 100, so be quick.

CAPERNRWAY WOMAN TO WOMAN CONFERENCE - Fri 20th - Sun 22nd Sep. Speakers: Janene Forlong, Jess Suisted & Hilary Price (pre recorded). For more info, www.capernwray.org.nz

DROP IN - Sun 18th Aug, 3pm, 8a Bryce Street. Phone 823 7555 for more details.

TOUGH LOVE SEMINAR - regarding loved ones caught up in addictions. Speaker - Peter Lyndon-James. Sun 18th Aug 2pm, at Te Awamutu Baptist Church. Call Lynette Strawbridge 027 534 5440 for more info.

Duty		18 August	25 August
Door	9:00am	Rod & Leith	Bob & Lyn
	10:30 am	Colin & Lincoln	Mark & John
Tea Coffee		Johan & Irene	Dale & Ann
Counting Offering		John & Derek	Ross & Cathy
PowerPoint	9:00 am	Barry	Jocelyn
	10:30 am	Kay	Bruce A
Readers	9:00 am	Judith	Vivienne
	10:30 am	Jessie	Peter

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