

MESSAGE NOTES

Sunday, February 23, 2025

Title: Daniel: God is in Control

Speaker: Ashwin Ramani

Scripture: Daniel 1: 1-2



WestPark Church
EVERYDAY PEOPLE

REFLECTIONS ON TODAY'S MESSAGE

1. Living Faithfully in a Shifting Culture: Daneil remained faithful to God despite living in a pagan culture. What are some challenges you face as a Christian in today's world?

2. Trusting God's Sovereignty in Difficult Times: Daniel and his friends were taken into exile, yet God was still in control. Can you share a time in your life when it was difficult to trust that God was in charge?

3. Responding to Fear with Faith: When we look at the world around us, it's easy to feel overwhelmed. What are some fears or anxieties that you struggle with? How can Scripture and prayer help us replace fear with faith?

4. Being a Light in a Dark World: Daniel's faithfulness influenced an entire kingdom. What is one action step you can take this week to reflect God's truth in your workplace, family, or community?

FINANCIAL UPDATE AS OF FEBRUARY 16, 2025

	Regular Offering
Expected Revenue to February 16, 2025	\$1,146,554
Actual Revenue to February 16, 2025	\$1,066,634
Year to Date Additional Blessing (Shortfall)	(\$79,920)

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Missional Engagement, Next Generation, Servant Leadership**