



WELCOME

Who has been a prayer warrior for you in your life?

WORSHIP

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WORD

Message Title: Babylon: In It, Not of It | "Intercession (Part 11)
by Pastor Bryan James, 2/22/2026

Scriptures: Daniel 9

1. On a scale from 1-10, what would you say is your "appetite" for end times prophecy and reading yourself into it?
Read Daniel 9:1-19 and discuss the following:
2. What did you learn through Daniel's example about how to pray for others (intercede)? What specific elements of Daniel's prayer stood out to you? Why?
3. Why do you think Daniel felt responsible to ask God and intercede on behalf of Israel? How does Daniel appeal to God's own plan for Salvation through his prayer (v. 16)?
4. Prayer is an act of _____. How so?
5. Even with the great things we know about Daniel's character, what is the only credit that can be given to him? (What honor can be bestowed upon him?)
 - How do you want to grow spiritually, learning from Daniel's example of faith in God and his knowledge and faith in God's Word?

Read verses 20-27 and discuss the following:

6. God's response to Daniel's prayer is with a powerful prophecy, the Seventy "Sevens." After the message (and the math), what uniquely stood out to you about our times?
8. Read 2 Timothy 4:7. After the message, what is God impressing upon you? (Pray and ask the Lord: *'What do you want us to do? How do you want us to live? How do you want us to leverage our lives with what we have to glorify and serve you?'*)

WITNESS

Pray and ask the Lord to give you knowledge, understanding and wisdom about your life and relationships. Pray for the courage and conviction to share the Gospel with someone you know this week.

CLOSING PRAYER & INTERCESSION

Share prayer requests and pray for one another.

Allow space to wait and listen for God to speak, as you pray.



DANIEL'S "SEVENTY SEVENS"

Daniel 9:24 - "Seventy 'sevens' are decreed for your people and your holy city to finish transgression, to put an end to sin, to atone for wickedness, to bring in everlasting righteousness, to seal up vision and prophecy and to anoint the Most Holy Place."

70 x 7 = _____ Years

Daniel 9:25a - "Know and understand this: From the time the word goes out to restore and rebuild Jerusalem..."

Artaxerxes Decree (via Nehemiah) to rebuild Jerusalem: _____ B.C.

Daniel 9:25b - "...until the Anointed One, the ruler, comes, there will be seven 'sevens,' and sixty-two 'sevens.' It will be rebuilt with streets and a trench, but in times of trouble."

7 x 7 = _____ Years (Substantial Completion)

62 x 7 = _____ Years

Total = _____ Years

Sir Robert Anderson:

483 Years on Hebrew Calendar = _____ Days

Meaning it would land on the _____ of Nissan (April 6th) in the year _____ A.D.

What event happened on that day in history? _____

Daniel 9:26a - "After the sixty-two 'sevens,' the Anointed One will be put to death and will have nothing."

After _____ A.D. "The Triumphal Entry" Jesus was put to death on the Cross.

Daniel 9:26b - “The people of the ruler (Prince) who will come will destroy the city and the sanctuary. The end will come like a flood: War will continue until the end, and desolations have been decreed.”

What year did the Romans destroy Jerusalem and the Temple? _____ A.D.

Has the end “come like a flood”? _____

Do we see wars and desolation in and around Israel? _____

Daniel 9:27a - “He will confirm a covenant with many for one ‘seven.’”

$1 \times 7 = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$.

Why do you think this 7-year period is separated from the other 483? _____

How does the Book of Revelation refer to the last 7 years of history before the
Second Coming of Christ? _____

Daniel 9:27b - “In the middle of the ‘seven’ he will put an end to sacrifice and offering. And at the temple he will set up an abomination that causes desolation, until the end that is decreed is poured out on him.”

$7 / 2 = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$ Years.

ANSWERS:

Daniel 9:24

70 x 7 = 490 Years

Daniel 9:25a

Artaxerxes Decree (via Nehemiah) to rebuild Jerusalem: 445 B.C.

Daniel 9:25b

7 x 7 = 49 Years (Substantial Completion)

62 x 7 = 434 Years

Total = 483 Years

Sir Robert Anderson:

483 Years on Hebrew Calendar = 173,880 Days

Meaning it would land on the 10th of Nissan (April 6th) in the year 32 A.D.

What event happened on that day in history? Jesus' Triumphal Entry into Jerusalem

Daniel 9:26a

After 32 A.D. "The Triumphal Entry" Jesus was put to death on the Cross.

Daniel 9:26b

What year did the Romans destroy Jerusalem and the Temple? 70 A.D.

Has the end "come like a flood"? No

Do we see wars and desolation in and around Israel? Yes

Daniel 9:27a

1 x 7 = 7.

Why do you think this 7 year period is separated from the other 483? It is futuristic, after an undefined set of time.

How does the Book of Revelation refer to the last 7 years of History before the Second Coming of Christ? The (Great) Tribulation

Daniel 9:27b

7 / 2 = 3.5 Years.