

Opening (all play)

1. When was a time you felt like you were an outsider?

Text (Different participants read through each text)

- 2. Read Hebrews11:13— What does it mean that this is not our home?
- 3. Read 2 Timothy 2:24 What does it mean that this is not our fight?

Short Answer

- 4. Who wrote the book of Daniel?
- 5. Why did the Jews go into the Babylonian exile? What did the Prophet Jeremiah call the Jews to do in exile? Read Jeremiah 29:5-7.

Discussion

- 6. Bless. Serve. Pray. Which of these is hardest to do in your sphere of relationships?
- 7. Daniel really believed God was in control. What area in your life is hardest to know God is in control?
- 8. Daniel understood that God loves people who don't love him. How can we work to love those who don't love us?
- 9. Daniel did not demand influence, he fostered it. What does it look like to demand influence verse fostering it?
- 10. Why is regular church attendance so important?

Application (all play – Men and Women separate)

11. What's your next step in making God's kingdom your priority?

