



**Prophetic Noise
Dealing with Prophetic Noise
And the 70th week of Daniel
Genesis 9:1-19, Daniel 9:26-27
Matthew 24:15-28, 2 Peter 3:3-9**

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For those of us who are watching and waiting for the soon coming of Jesus Christ, we see various aspects of prophetic noise showing up in the landscape; news media as well as in announcements that just keep coming from sources in Israel who seem to be operating on a very distinct timetable.

In the same section of scripture that He warns His people to head for the hills Jesus also warns us of noise versus substance in the last days. Again, deception is the name of the game.



For those of us who used to aggregate intelligence, that is a daunting task. In all of the noise out there, you look for the kernels of truth and reality to get at what the real story is. First the text.

Daniel 9:26–27

“Then after the sixty-two weeks, the Messiah will be cut off and have nothing, and the people of the prince who is to come will destroy the city and the sanctuary. And its end will come with a flood; even to the end there will be war; desolations are determined. **And he will confirm a covenant with the many for one week, but in the middle of the week he will put a stop to sacrifice and grain offering; and on the wing of abominations will come the one who makes desolate, until a complete destruction, one that is decreed, gushes forth on the one who makes desolate.**” (NASB 2020)

Matthew 24:15–28

“The day is coming when you will see what Daniel the prophet spoke about—the sacrilegious object that causes desecration standing in the Holy Place. (Reader, pay attention!) Then those in Judea must flee to the hills. A person out on the deck of a roof must not go down into the house to pack. A person out in the field must not return even to get a coat. How terrible it will be for pregnant women and for nursing mothers in those days. And pray that your flight will not be in winter or on the Sabbath. For there will be greater anguish than at any time since the world began. And it will never be so great again. In fact, unless that time of calamity is shortened, not a single person will survive. But it will be shortened for the sake of God’s chosen ones. **Then if anyone tells you, ‘Look, here is the Messiah,’ or ‘There he is,’ don’t believe it. For false messiahs and false prophets will rise up and perform great signs and wonders so as to deceive, if possible, even God’s chosen ones. See, I have warned you about this ahead of time.** So if someone tells you, ‘Look, the Messiah is out in the desert,’ don’t bother to go and look. Or, ‘Look, he is hiding here,’ don’t believe it! For as the lightning flashes in the east and shines to the west, so it will be when the Son of Man comes. Just as the gathering of vultures shows there is a carcass nearby, so these signs indicate that the end is near.” (NLT)

That means we must be aware of deception at all times because there will be those who will glom onto news articles, normal astronomical events, or even a new twist on scripture to deceive us. In other words, look for books, pod casts as well as television shows asking questions and trying to make hay of the landscape for the purpose of a buck and get you and me to draw conclusions without being Bereans. Saying that does also point out that in and amongst the noise, we see prophetic events marching forward.

As we wait for the soon coming of Jesus to take us out of here and allow the 70th week of Daniel to begin, here is what I am watching.

Coming up this November, the organization Brit Olam, not to be confused with the political party carrying the same name in Israel, has announced the First International Congress of Noahides.

Meanwhile, just this same week, the reconstituted Sanhedrin, yes, the same court that ruled in the time of Jesus, issued a psak.

The Sanhedrin operates on the premise that a rabbinical court has the standing to issue a psak, a binding halachic ruling, and that, in matters concerning the fate of the Jewish people, a court above is bound to follow the ruling of a court below. Not every rabbinic authority accepts that the modern Sanhedrin carries this power. They say this about themselves.

The Jewish legal system consists of a large Sanhedrin of seventy one judges, small Sanhedrins in each city consisting of twenty three judges and numerous Basei din [law courts] of three judges. The members the large and small Sanhedrins and the Basei din (with the exception of monetary cases) must be semuchim. Ideally, there should be a direct line of semichah from Moshe Rabbenu משה [Moses]. However, this line of semichah was lost shortly after the last Sanhedrin ceased to function about 1600 years ago.



Hence, the Basei din of recent times do not consist of semuchim and are restricted to monetary cases. (The Sanhedrin n.d.)

In Israel, not everyone accepts this group. One member interviewed after the session acknowledged as much directly: "Not everybody accepts that. But the fact is that they have made rulings which have had very serious ramifications around the world." (Berkowitz 2026) What is the ruling?

Politically, what they are doing makes sense because they would like to control the political process in Israel. Yes, there is nothing new under the sun.

More to the point, from a Jewish perspective, can they even do this? Can they make a ruling that holds any weight at all?

The answer determines everything else: whether the ruling carries the weight of halakhah (Jewish law), or whether it has stepped into territory no court was ever authorized to enter. (Eitan 2026)

What is it they ruled on that has the religious community of Israel up in arms. Three resolutions were made which speaks tons of their ignorance of prophetic scripture.

The headline gives you a strong hint. **Sanhedrin rules it will formally petition Heaven to reveal Mashiach and rebuild the Temple.**

First resolution: removing hostile forces The first resolution addresses removing hostile forces. The ruling states: "The court rules that every kind of erev rav [the 'mixed multitude,' a term for corrupting elements within the nation], every kind of Amalekite, every kind of Ishmaelite, every kind of traitor of every stripe, and all the forces of evil shall leave the Jewish people and the Land of Israel. And just as the court below has ruled, so we ask that the court above rule the same, and so may it stand." (Berkowitz 2026)

That makes sense but also leads into the Noahide discussion.

I will get into that discussion before we are done today but this resolution is the throw everyone out except Jews resolution. They would consider completed Jews, those who have come to Messiah and accepted Him as their own Savior, as traitors to be thrown out of the land.

The Noahide Conference blends into this entire idea and points to what the more conservative aspects of Israel would like to see happen. In other words, this is not just throw out the Arabs, it is culling the herd too.

Second resolution: the revealed kingship of Heaven, Mashiach, and the Temple The second resolution asks for the revealed kingship of Heaven, Mashiach, and the Temple: "the revealed and powerful kingship of the Holy One, Blessed Be He, in mercy and in joy, upon every member of the Jewish people, upon every family, every community, every tribe, and the whole Jewish people, upon the righteous among the nations and the sons of Noach, and upon the entire world." It continues: "The court asks that the Holy One, Blessed Be He, reveal our righteous Mashiach. The court asks that the Holy One, Blessed Be He, remove and erase every obstacle so that we may build the Beit HaMikdash." (Berkowitz 2026)

I hate to be the one who burst bubbles, but He has already been here. And no, sorry Rabbi Kanievsky, Messiah did not come based on your formula and schedule. (Chabadinfo 2016)

Jesus was pretty clear about His second coming (Zechariah 13:9, 14:3-4, Revelation 19:11-16).



Hosea 5:15

"I will go away and return to My place Until they acknowledge their guilt and seek My face; In their distress they will search for Me." (NASB 2020)

Have we seen any of that show up in these resolutions? Not at all.

There will also be a realization among the remnant when He does return, how they missed Him the first time (Zechariah 12:10).

Rebuilding the Temple, which is indeed something that must take place, is what this is all about. Will Iran or one of their proxies make the ultimate mistake and blow up the Dome of the Rock with a missile strike? That seems to be what the Sanhedrin is praying for. But there is also the possibility that post-rapture of the church, they will side with someone who will promise them protection. Jesus talked about this when He was talking to this same grouping of individuals 2000 years ago.

John 5:39–43

"You examine the Scriptures because you think that in them you have eternal life; and it is those very Scriptures that testify about Me; and yet you are unwilling to come to Me so that you may have life. I do not receive glory from people; but I know you, that you do not have the love of God in yourselves. **I have come in My Father's name, and you do not receive Me; if another comes in his own name, you will receive him.**" (NASB 2020)

Then there is the third resolution, and once again, it too is based on bad data as they believe Malachi was the last prophet. But John the Baptist was a prophet as was Jesus Christ. Then there is the New Testament church as well.

Third resolution: the return of prophecy The third resolution asks "that the Holy One, Blessed Be He, restore prophecy to the Jewish people, and guard the prophets from all those who seek to harm the prophets of Israel." (Berkowitz 2026)

That will indeed happen though, just not the way they are expecting it to. They are relying on Talmudic sources, but the scriptures tell us what reality will be.

Revelation 11:3–6

"And I will grant authority to my two witnesses, and they will prophesy for 1,260 days, clothed in sackcloth." These are the two olive trees and the two lampstands that stand before the Lord of the earth. And if anyone wants to harm them, fire flows out of their mouth and devours their enemies; and so if anyone wants to harm them, he must be killed in this way. These have the power to shut up the sky, so that rain will not fall during the days of their prophesying; and they have power over the waters to turn them into blood, and to strike the earth with every plague, as often as they desire." (NASB 2020)

They are even looking to the book of Joel as a pointer to the coming of prophecy. But that is already been and is being fulfilled by the church. Peter made that very clear in Acts 2:14-36.

Per the Sanhedrin, they are still looking, but that day began on Pentecost just under 2,000 years ago. The resolution continues by saying "The return of prophecy is treated in Jewish sources as one of the fixed markers of the messianic age itself, not a separate development from it. The clearest biblical source is Joel." (Berkowitz 2026)

I am stopping there. Is this noise? Yes and no, the truth underlying all of this is that the nation is looking for their Messiah and they do indeed want to rebuild the Temple. We also see, hidden in the language, the ongoing blindness they have to their own Messiah and those who serve Him today. In Matthew, Jesus



clearly inferred that the Temple must be there and operating for the events of the mid-point of the Tribulation to take place. We are much further forward on the clock than we think but this is just a piece of the puzzle.

I say that because there are already arguments taking place in the media in Israel between the various groups that agree or disagree with the Sanhedrin.

One other piece of noise, and this really is that, on August 12, six planets will stretch across the morning sky. Mercury, Mars, Jupiter, Uranus, Saturn, and Neptune will all sit above the horizon at once, a lineup rare enough that NASA and major observatories have been tracking it for months. Hours later, the moon will pass fully between the earth and the sun, casting a total solar eclipse across a remote stretch of Russia, over Greenland, through Iceland, and down into northern Spain and a corner of Portugal, with a partial eclipse visible across a much wider stretch of the Northern Hemisphere.

Then, once darkness falls, the Perseid meteor shower will reach its peak, filling the sky with the burning debris of Comet Swift-Tuttle. (Berkowitz, *The Nations Will Be Dismayed: Reading the August 12 Eclipse and Meteor Storm Through Jeremiah's Prophecy* 2026)

And yes, there are those already trying to make something of this since it happens to also be the last day of Av. There is a warning given by the Lord to the nation about those who place way too much into what we see as basic orbital mechanics. In Jeremiah, the Lord warns His people about following the false gods.

Jeremiah 10:2

“Here is what ADONAI says: “Don’t learn the way of the Goyim, don’t be frightened by astrological signs, even if the Goyim are afraid of them;” (CJB)

That is from the Complete Jewish Bible which is used by Messianic believers. Do not let folks run you up the emotion scale over this.

I made a reference to the Noahide Conference scheduled to be in November. This is a bit more worrisome in my mind than the proclamation of a group of people who are as blind as they were in the days of Jesus Christ. And they begin on their website with eisegesis.

They quote from Zechariah 2 and neglect to tell you the verse comes from a context that is all about the church and the Kingdom. They are excising a section to convince you it is now. And yes, their website is very attractive and alluring, designed to suck you in and not bother to check the facts. There are two things that we as followers of Jesus must do. Dr. Sixbert Sanwa continues.

Christians must resist two equal dangers. The first is careless dismissal, as though religious institutions and international belief systems could never acquire prophetic significance. The second is sensationalism, in which every conference, symbol, or political meeting is immediately declared to be the fulfilment of a specific prophecy. (Sanwa 2026)

What makes this incredibly alarming is how deeply it is plugging into top level Israeli government diplomacy. The grand finale of this event is scheduled to take place at Beit HaNasi, the official residence of the President of Israel. (Bennin 2026)

Why? To deceive us and make it appear that this is a divine and historical thing taking place as a means to try and trick folks into what I believe to be a distinct lie. We are doing this instead.



1 Thessalonians 5:19–22

“Do not quench the Spirit. Do not despise prophecies, but test everything; hold fast what is good. Abstain from every form of evil.” (ESV)

What is defined as the Noahide Law comes from Genesis 9:1-19. It is also referred to as the Seven Laws of Noah. The Babylonian Talmud says, “Our rabbis have taught on Tannaite authority: Concerning seven religious requirements were the children of Noah commanded: setting up courts of justice, idolatry, blasphemy, [cursing the Name of God], fornication, bloodshed, thievery, and cutting a limb from a living beast [T. A.Z. 8:4]. (Neusner 2011, 296)

We see some these repeated in the scriptures as genuine moral principles, but here is the thing to remember, what is being proposed is a rabbinic Jewish framework of moral obligations they believe applies to all non-Jewish people, the nations.

They are called the “Noahide” laws because they are thought to have been given in their fullness to Noah after the flood. They are also called the Noachian laws, the Seven Laws of Noah, or the Seven Commands for Noah’s Sons (in Hebrew, Sheva Mitzvot B’nei Noah). The idea of a formal set of laws given to all humanity (all the sons of Noah) comes from the Talmud and is therefore extra-biblical. (Got Questions Ministries 2014-2021)

Extra-Biblical is the key phrase. The Noahide World Center in Jerusalem published a guiding work in November of 2025, “The Noahide Manifesto.” (Brit Olam 2025)

The Manifesto envisions Jews and Noahides forming two complimentary parts of one coherent religious order. Let me refer you back to the second resolution of the Sanhedrin, yes, they are apparently talking to each other. But the biggest issue is the pledge they want all to give.

“I pledge my allegiance to HaShem, God of Israel, Creator and King of the Universe and to God's Torah. I pledge to observe the Seven Laws of Noah, in their details, according to the Oral Law of Moshe under the guidance of the rabbis. Baruch Ata Adonai-Blessed are You God, King of the universe, Who has given me life, supported me, and sustained me till this day.” (Brit Olam 2026)

Dr Sanwa states that “The Noahide World Center states that a person who believes Jesus is God or an incarnation of God cannot sincerely make its Noahide declaration.” We have seen what the pledge says. Jesus is not involved in this anywhere. This is the same issue Paul had, Judaizers, but in new cloth.

“This places Noahidism in direct conflict with the gospel. Christianity does not merely teach that Jesus was a prophet, moral teacher, or Jewish reformer.” (Sanwa 2026)

John 1:1–5

“In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God. All things were made through him, and without him was not any thing made that was made. In him was life, and the life was the light of men. The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it.” (ESV)

John 1:14

“And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, glory as of the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth.” (ESV)

Yes, as followers of Jesus, we reject this and would use pretty much the same basis Paul would use.



Galatians 5:1

"For freedom Christ has set us free; stand firm therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery."
(ESV)

Galatians 2:16

"yet we know that a person is not justified by works of the law but through faith in Jesus Christ, so we also have believed in Christ Jesus, in order to be justified by faith in Christ and not by works of the law, because by works of the law no one will be justified." (ESV)

This is deception, pure and simple. This is a return to slavery which Paul spoke against in Romans. The Noahide Movement is not in the scriptures anywhere.

The reality, it is attracting people who reject Jesus Christ as an alternative to Islam as well as Christianity. It may indeed feed into what we see show up in Revelation 17 but there is no way you can put that stake firmly in the ground. I do expect a book or two will try and do so.

Looking at these events, the thing we must remember as followers of Jesus Christ waiting for the soon coming of Jesus. We allow prophecy to inform us as we see these things, but we also remain Bereans and work really hard at not trying to force everything into some prophetic idea or scheme. Noise, yes. Definitive, not really.

Interesting, to say the least.

Let's pray.

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