

DINING WITH LIONS

March 12, 2023

MESSAGE RECAP

Some weeks you face the furnace, other weeks you face lions. This week at Northland, Matt unpacked Daniel, Chapter 6. Daniel is older and is living under a new king, and new kingdom. Yet, the consistency in Daniel's life stays the same. We learn in Daniel he is still spending three times a day praying to God. He is still living with integrity when threatened with lions. Matt said, "God isn't looking for a church who's afraid of lions, He's looking for the church to be faithful in the presence of lions."

GROUP DISCUSSION

1. After listening to the message, what stood out to you?
2. Read [Daniel 6:1-5](#) and talk through the reputation Daniel had in his work.
3. Do people around you recognize your dedication to God?
4. Read [Daniel 6:10](#). Daniel's faithfulness wasn't forged in the lion's den, but in his prayer closet. Describe your current prayer life?
5. As we read [Daniel 6:15-24](#), we witness another incredible story to draw from. God is in control.
 - a. Where is God calling you to be faithful?
 - b. Where is He calling you to trust him?
6. What is one spiritual discipline you want to start this week?
 - a. Prayer, Journaling, Daily Bible Reading, etc.
 - b. Ask the group to check in on you this week.

PRAY