

## **SUNDAY MORNING (April 1<sup>st</sup>) • Counterfeit Gods Idolatry: A Clear & Present Danger**

Take the time to read Daniel 1:1-4 and 3:1-30. What stands out to you about these young men?

How would you summarize the commandments of God delivered through Moses in Exodus 20:3-6, Leviticus 26:1 and Deuteronomy 11:16-17 these young men would have known?

We dare not blow off idolatry as an Old Testament transgression with little 21<sup>st</sup> century relevance in light of the plurality of New Testament warnings against it. In your own words, how would you summarize...

- Romans 1:24-25 -
- 1 Corinthians 6:9-10 -
- 1 Corinthians 10:14 -
- Galatians 5:19-21 -
- 1 John 5:21-
- Revelation 21:7-8 -
- Revelation 22:15 -

We've been plainly told that the only "image" worthy of our adoration and allegiance is Jesus. He is "the image of God" (2 Cor 4:4), "the radiance of the glory of God and the exact imprint of his nature" (Heb 1:3).

In light of the passages referenced above, in your own words, what is idolatry?

"For they themselves report concerning us the kind of reception we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols to serve the living and true God, and to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead, Jesus who delivers us from the wrath to come."

(1 Thes 1:9-10)