MATTHEW 24:15 -- Part 2 10/27/21

- Tonight -- Opportunity to give a Bible study
- On October 6 -- Started a series -- discussing Matthew 24
- Last week -- Matthew 24:15 -- Part 1
- Tonight -- Matthew 24:15 -- Part 2

Matt. 24:15 abomination of desolation (spoken of by Daniel the prophet) standing in the holy place abomination of desolation (spoken of by Daniel the Mark 13:14 prophet) standing where it ought not

Dan. 8:13an angel asked -- how long will the vision be about the following?

Daily sacrifices remain stopped

Sanctuary & host trampled underfoot

Dan. 11:31forces shall be mustered by him -- they shall defile the sanctuary fortress -- they shall take away the daily sacrifices -- and place the abomination of desolation

- Defile the sanctuary
- Take away the daily sacrifices
- Place the abomination of desolation

Dan. 12:11from the time that the daily sacrifice is taken away and the abomination of desolation is set up -- 1290 days

- Take away the daily sacrifice
- Set up the abomination of desolation

Physical point of view

Problems Physical solutions

- Defiled the sanctuary (altar)
- 1. Rebuild a sanctuary
- Took away daily sacrifices
 Set up idol in sanctuary

 2. Reconvene daily sacrifices
 Remove idol in sanctuary 2.

- Wikipedia.org -- Third Temple

Jewish views -- The Third Temple is used in reference to a hypothe-tical rebuilt third temple in Jerusalem, which would succeed both the original Solomon's Temple (built under Solomon and destroyed in 587

BC by the Neo-Babylonians) and the Second Temple (built under the Persian Empire and destroyed in 70 AD by the Romans). Although it remains unbuilt, the notion of and desire for a Third Temple in Jerusalem is sacred in Judaism, particularly Orthodox Judaism.

Christian views -- While there are a number of differing views among Christianity with regard to the significance or the require-ment of a third temple being built in Jerusalem, the writers of the New Testament taught that every believer's body and every gathering of believers comprise the temple.

Muslim views -- Most Muslims view the movement for the building of a Third Temple on the Temple Mount as an affront to Islam due to the presence of the Al-Aqsa Mosque and the Dome of the Rock in the location of the former Holy Temple.

* Remember -- Luke's description

Luke 21:20 Jerusalem surrounded by armies, know that its desolation is near

* Physical reaction

Matt. 24:16 in Judea -- flee to the mountains

Mark 14:14 in Judea -- flee to the mountains

Luke 21:21 in Judea -- flee to the mountains -- in the middle of the city, depart -- those in the country, stay out of Jerusalem

- * Spiritual application -- each believer
- 1. The believer is the sanctuary
 1 Corinthians 3:16-17 -- you are the temple of God
 2 Corinthians 6:16 -- you are the temple of living God
 Ephesians 2:19-22 -- growing into a holy temple
 1 Peter 2:4-5 -- built up to be a spiritual house. . .
- 2. The believer has spiritual sacrifices
 Romans 12:1-2 -- present your bodies a living sacrifice
 1 Peter 2:4-5 -- . . . to offer up spiritual sacrifices
- 3. The believer has spiritual idolatry

 Ezekiel 14:1-8 -- do not set up idols in your heart

 Colossians 3:5 -- covetousness, which is idolatry
 - * Spiritual application -- religious groups
- 2 Thes. 2:3-4 man of sin and son of perdition -- in the temple -- (among the Body of Christ)
- 2 Cor. 11:20 tolerating 5 horrible qualities
 - * Brings you into bondage
 - * Devours you
 - * Takes from you
 - * Exalts himself over you
 - * Hits you on the face

* Spiritual reaction

2 Cor. 6:17-18 come out -- be separate -- accept God as Father