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# SUNDAY GATHERING: 10:00 AM WE WERE CREATED FOR CONNECTION

# The Fourth Man

What would happen to our three courageous guys as they refuse to bow to Nebuchadnezzar's idol? That is where we left off last week. If we didn't know the story, the scene would be so intense at this moment because their execution is minutes away.

#### Daniel 3:19-3O

Nebuchadnezzar wants to make the story about himself.

No one refuses Nebuchadnezzar.

- ➤ He is furious/full of rage
- ➤ He is out of control
- > He has no regard for life

Even Nebuchadnezzar is shocked.

Nebuchadnezzar adds another god to his list.

Nonetheless, God cares about Nebuchadnezzar.

But the real story gives us great hope and assurance:

- \* The real main character is the 4th man
- \* God rescues <u>now</u> & <u>forever</u>
- \* Turn up the heat, we either <u>fight</u> or <u>flight</u>
  unless we follow the example of our three friends ...
  <u>peace</u> & <u>confidence</u>

Notes:			

## Reflective Questions

1) How did God get your attention so that you finally surrendered to Him?

2) When you realize God's closeness, how does it help you? Do you think that one of God's greatest attributes is his desire to rescue? Why or why not?

3) How could the example of Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego help you?





# GUESTS & VISITORS

We are delighted you chose to attend our gathering today. Use the Connection Card in the back of the chairs or our online Connection Card (<a href="newharvestch.org/connect">newharvestch.org/connect</a>) to share your prayer requests and to let us know that you joined us today.

#### CONNECTION CARD

Please utilize the card found in the back pouch of the chairs to share prayer requests, comments, questions, and information so we can best serve you. Or go to <a href="mailto:newharvestch.org/connect">newharvestch.org/connect</a> and fill out the online Connection Card.

## ALIVE YOUTH FUN FALL FESTIVITIES

Sunday, October 24

Middle School and High School students will head to the Pumpkin Patch after church.

Thursday, October 28

Middle School and High School students will have our Annual Costume Party!

Contact Meredith for more information.

#### ADOPT-A-STREET

Saturday, October 30 @ 9am

It is time to be a good neighbor. Every three months we pick up trash on Hawthorne Avenue. Would you like to serve on this team this time? Sign up in the Lobby.

## TRUNK OR TREAT

Sunday, October 31

Our fall community outreach is happening on Sunday, October 3lst from 4–6pm. We are hosting a Trunk-or-Treat which is a free and safe trick-ortreating alternative for children and their families. Here's how you can help:

Donate individually wrapped candy beginning today, October 10th.

Sign-up in the Lobby to bring your decorated car for the event.

Contact Karen Offield with questions or for more information.

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