**DANIEL: The Unshakeable Kingdom**

Daniel 5:13-31

1) [review] Who is king of Babylon now and what is he doing in chapter 5?

2) [review] What miraculous event terrified the king?

3) What did the king tell Daniel?

4) About how old do you think Daniel is at this point?

5) Why do you think Daniel didn’t want the king’s gift?

6) What did Daniel remind Belshazzar about in verses 18-19?

7) What two descriptions are given to pride in verse 20? What do they mean?

8) What was the reason for telling Belshazzar all of these things about Nebuchadnezzar?

9) How was Belshazzar’s pride described?

10) How does Daniel contrast the Most High God and the gods of Babylon?

11) Find other passages that describe idols this way and passages that describe God as the One who sees, hears, and knows.

12) What did the hand write on the wall and what did those words mean?

13) For Nebuchadnezzar’s second dream, how long did it take to come to fruition? What about the prophetic word for Belshazzar?

14) How does one justify the mercy given to Nebuchadnezzar and not to Belshazzar?

15) [personal] How can God’s word for Belshazzar be applied to us today?