

**HOW LONG IS YOUR FUSE?  
REVELATION 2:18-29**

**DAILY BIBLE READINGS  
September 1-7**

*Introduction -*

**I. THE PRESSURE TO COMPROMISE**

- A. Pressure from the outside
  
- B. Pressure from the inside
  
- C. The condition of the church
  - 1. its strengths
  
  - 2. its weaknesses

**II. THE PRESENCE OF CHRIST**

- A. His radiant glory (3:18)
  
- B. His penetrating gaze (3:19,23)
  
- C. His amazing grace (3:21,27; cf. I Peter 3:9)
  
- D. His stern gavel (3:22,23)
  
- E. His coming government (3:25)
  
- F. His promised gifts (3:26-28; cf. 22:16)

The passages this week equip us to withstand temptation, and to avoid compromises with the world. Each day recite the Lord's Prayer slowly and thoughtfully (Matthew 6:9-13). As you think of the various temptations that assaulted the people in these passages, including Jesus himself during his time on earth, remember that Jesus lives in you to be your victory: "The one who is in you is greater than the one who is in the world!" (I John 4:4).

<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>Genesis 39:1-22</b>
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>Daniel 1:1-21</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>Luke 4:1-15</b>
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>Luke 22:39-46</b>
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>Hebrews 2:14-18</b>
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>Hebrews 4:14-16</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>Hebrews 12:1-27</b>