

## SIGNS OF THE TIMES & POLITICS: WHEN PROPHECY MEETS REALITY

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“Nation shall rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom.” (Matthew 24:7)

“For the kingdom is the Lord’s: and He is the governor among the nations.” (Psalm 22:28)

“Yet once more I shake not the earth only, but also heaven.” (Hebrews 12:26)

### INTRODUCTION

We are living in the convergence of prophecy and politics. Earthly powers are shaking, and the headlines reveal

what the prophets foresaw. Jesus warned us not to fear, but to discern. Every crisis calls us to readiness.

### 1. EARTHLY KINGDOMS IN TURMOIL

“Kingdom shall rise against kingdom.” (Matthew 24:7)

“The Most High ruleth in the kingdom of men.” (Daniel 4:17)

“Be still, and know that I am God.” (Psalm 46:10)

Recent Examples:

- China and Russia alliance defies Western dominance. (Reuters, Sept 2, 2025)
- De-dollarization and economic blocs form a new world order.
- War in Ukraine reshapes Europe’s identity.

Teaching Point: Every kingdom built on pride will fall; every nation that forgets God will tremble.

Practical Preparation: Guard your allegiance, study prophecy, live as ambassadors for Christ.

### 2. WHEN NATIONS SHIFT, VALUES SHIFT

“And because iniquity shall abound, the love of many shall wax cold.” (Matthew 24:12)

“Woe unto them that call evil good, and good evil.” (Isaiah 5:20)

“The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom.” (Proverbs 9:10)

Signs:

- Global confusion on morality, family, and truth.
- Lawlessness normalized; faith mocked.

Application: The spiritual coldness of the world is a temperature check of the times.

Practical Preparation: Anchor ethics in Scripture, teach your children truth, live with integrity.

### 3. RETURN OF RELIGIOUS-POLITICAL POWER

“All that dwell upon the earth shall worship him...” (Revelation 13:8)

“We ought to obey God rather than men.” (Acts 5:29)

“Stand fast in the liberty wherewith Christ hath made us free.” (Galatians 5:1)

Observation: Religious and civil powers are blending again.

- Political leaders invoke religion for control.
- Laws once moral become coercive.

Practical Preparation: Discern motives, defend conscience, stand on truth even if alone.

### 4. ECONOMIC & ENVIRONMENTAL DISTRESS

“There shall be famines, pestilences, and earthquakes in divers places.” (Matthew 24:7)

“When these things begin to come to pass, look up.” (Luke 21:28)

“My God shall supply all your need.” (Philippians 4:19)

Current Data:

- Famine hotspots: Gaza, Sudan, Haiti, Mali. (Reuters, June 16, 2025)
- 295 million food-insecure worldwide (WFP 2025).
- WHO: Chikungunya outbreak 2025 (Indian Ocean region).
- Japan’s Tokara Islands – hundreds of earthquakes in 2025 (Global News).

Practical Preparation: Live simply, maintain health reform, serve others, anchor faith in

Christ.

## 5. COSMIC DISTURBANCES & GLOBAL SHAKING

“The sun shall be darkened, and the moon shall not give her light.” (Matthew 24:29)

“The stars shall fall from heaven.” (Revelation 6:13)

“Be ye also ready: for in such an hour as ye think not the Son of Man cometh.” (Matthew 24:44)

Historical Milestones:

- 1755 Lisbon earthquake – Europe shaken.
- 1780 Dark Day – sun darkened, moon turned red.
- 1833 Leonid meteor shower – stars fell across North America.

Modern Echoes:

- Svalbard warming 5–8× global average. (Le Monde, Sept 28, 2025)
- Increasing seismic and climate instability worldwide.

Practical Preparation: Hold loosely to material things, focus on eternal values, stand unshaken in Christ.

## 6. POLITICAL REALIGNMENT & GLOBAL CONTROL

“The ten horns... have one mind, and shall give their power and strength unto the beast.” (Revelation 17:13)

“He changeth the times and the seasons; He removeth kings, and setteth up kings.” (Daniel 2:21)

Modern Indicators:

- Digital currencies & AI governance emerging.
- Nations seeking central control over finance, speech, and faith.
- Global summits exclude key nations, signaling new alliances.

Application: Prophecy foretold the uniting of nations before Christ’s return.

Practical Preparation: Keep spiritual freedom; invest trust in God, not global systems.

## 7. GLOBAL GOSPEL ADVANCE

“This gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations; and then shall the end come.” (Matthew 24:14)

“Fear God, and give glory to Him; for the hour of His judgment is come.” (Revelation 14:7)

“The harvest is the end of the world.” (Matthew 13:39)

Observation: Despite turmoil, the gospel spreads rapidly via technology, missions, and media.

Practical Preparation: Be part of the message—share, support, and live the truth.

## 8. THE COSMIC CONFLICT BEHIND THE CHAOS

“The devil is come down unto you, having great wrath, because he knoweth that he hath but a short time.” (Revelation 12:12)

“The thief cometh not, but for to steal, and to kill, and to destroy.” (John 10:10)

“For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that He might destroy the works of the devil.” (1 John 3:8)

Insight: Behind political and natural upheaval is a spiritual adversary.

Christ is the solution—His victory is our assurance.

Practical Preparation: Pray for discernment, seek the Holy Spirit, proclaim Christ’s victory.

## CONCLUSION

The kingdoms of this world are shaking, but Christ’s kingdom will stand.

“Of His kingdom there shall be no end.” (Luke 1:33)

“Here is the patience of the saints: here are they that keep the commandments of God, and the faith of Jesus.” (Revelation 14:12)

## RESOURCES & LINKS

- <https://www.reuters.com/world/china/hosting-massive-military-parade-chinas-xi-says-world-faces-war-or-peace-2025-09-02/>
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#### FINAL APPEAL

Every shaking is a call to awaken.  
Every sign is both warning and invitation.  
Satan destroys, but Christ restores.  
Watch, work, and worship—until we see Him.