

THE GREAT UNVEILING

#3 Revelation 1 -3

HOMEWORK:

- Each Day read 1 of the letters in Revelation 2 & 3 (only 4-11 verses)
- Chart out:
 1. How does Jesus address that church?
 2. What aspect from chapter 1 does Jesus bring up about Himself?
 3. What does Jesus PRAISE them for? (5 of the 7)
 4. What does Jesus CRITICIZE them over? (5 of the 7)
 5. What's the CHALLENGE?
 6. What's the PROMISE (Pathway to victory)?

Two Primary Problems:

- Pressure from *OUTSIDE*: **PERSECUTION**
- Struggles on the *INSIDE*: Internal influences seeking to **LEAD THEM INTO ERROR**

Two Primary Issues Jesus addresses: **WORLDLINESS** and **IDOLATRY**

Church #1 – Ephesus (2:1-7)

Church #2 – Smyrna (2:8-11)

Church #3 – Pergamum (2:12-17)

Church #4 - Thyatira (2:18-28)

Church #5 - Sardis (3:1-6)

Church #6 – Philadelphia (3:7-13)

Church #7 - Laodicea (3:14-22)

Applications:

1. A lot of appeals to stay *FAITHFUL*
2. A lot of appeals to *REPENT*
3. Be part of *THE* Church, Be part of a church, Be the church!