### Overview of Revelation

- Why Should I Read Revelation?
- How Should I Understand Revelation?
- What Change Will Revelation Bring to My Life?



### Revelation 1

- The Prophecy's Blessing (v. 1-3)
- The Prophecy's Message (v. 4-8)
- The Personal Vision of the Son of Man (v. 9-20)



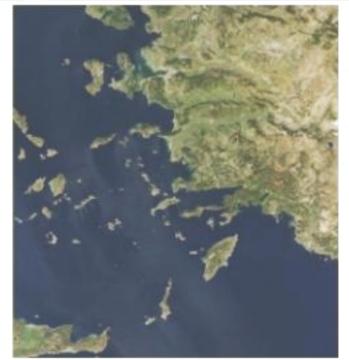
# **Application**

- Do you believe that through faith in Jesus Christ you are freed from your sins?
- How are you struggling or suffering right now?











### Revelation 2

- Ephesus: Retain First Love for God (v. 1-7)
- Smyrna: Stand Firm in Suffering (v. 8-11)
- Pergamum: Resist False Teaching (v. 12-17)
- Thyatira: Reject Deceitful Leaders (v. 18-29)



## **Application**

- How do you know you love God?
- For whom will you pray to know the love of Jesus and to receive Him as Lord and Savior?
- How can you be faithful and strong in supporting your church?



### Revelation 3

- Sardis: Reawaken and Repent (v. 1-6)
- Philadelphia: Suffering Church Keeps Christ's Word (v. 7-13)
- Laodicea: Lukewarm Church Receives Rebuke (v. 14-22)



## **Application**

- When have you found it difficult to stand for Jesus and keep His Word despite societal pressures?
- How have Jesus' words shaken your complacency?
- Where is your confidence? In God and His Son or the blessings He gives?

