



**REVELATION:  
THE SEVEN CHURCHES (PART 2)**

Revelation 3

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**BIG IDEA:** Our desire should be to go deeper in Christ, so that we can go further in mission.

## **SARDIS—THE DEAD CHURCH (vv. 1-6)**

A church's reputation should not be rooted in its "glory days." (*Philippians 3:12-14*)

Life is the evidence of the Holy Spirit at work. (*John 6:63*)

## **PHILADELPHIA—THE ENDURING CHURCH (vv. 7-13)**

Success is not measured by numbers but rather faithfulness to Christ. (*1 Corinthians 1:26-31*)

God opens doors of opportunities for mission. (*1 Corinthians 16:8-9*)

## **LAODICEA—THE LUKEWARM CHURCH (vv. 14-22)**

Comfort can cultivate complacency. (*Romans 12:9-13*)

Our proximity to Christ will determine our production of fruit. (*John 15:1-4*)

## **POINTS TO PONDER**

Wherever there is a void, there is an opportunity.

Our leadership pipeline is to move people from consumer to contributor to coach.