

Revelation Journal

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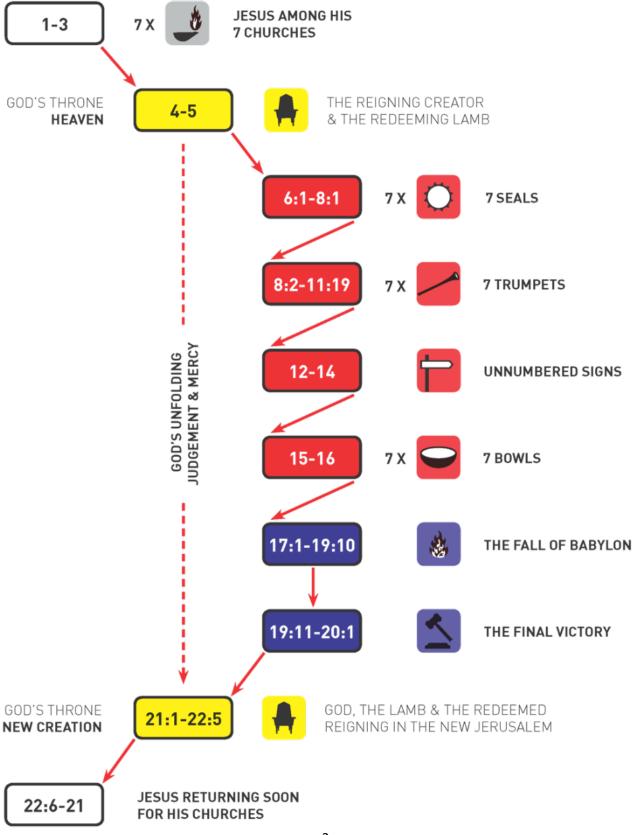
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 - 1. 26/7 Revelation 1 (S1)
 - 2. 2/8 Revelation 2-3 (S2)
 - 3. 9/8 Revelation 4-5 (S3)
- 4. 16/8 Revelation 6-8:5 (S4)
- 5. 23/8 Revelation 8:6-11 (S4)
- 6. 30/8 Revelation 12-15:4 (S5)
- 7. 6/9 Revelation 15:5-16 (S5)
- 8. 13/9 Revelation 17-19 (S6)
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THE STRUCTURE OF REVELATION

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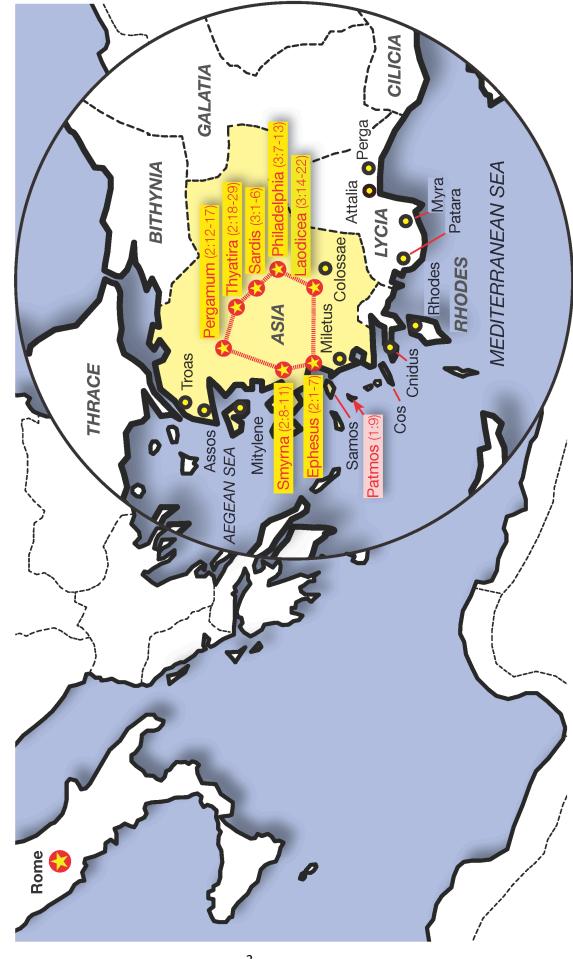
INTRODUCTION

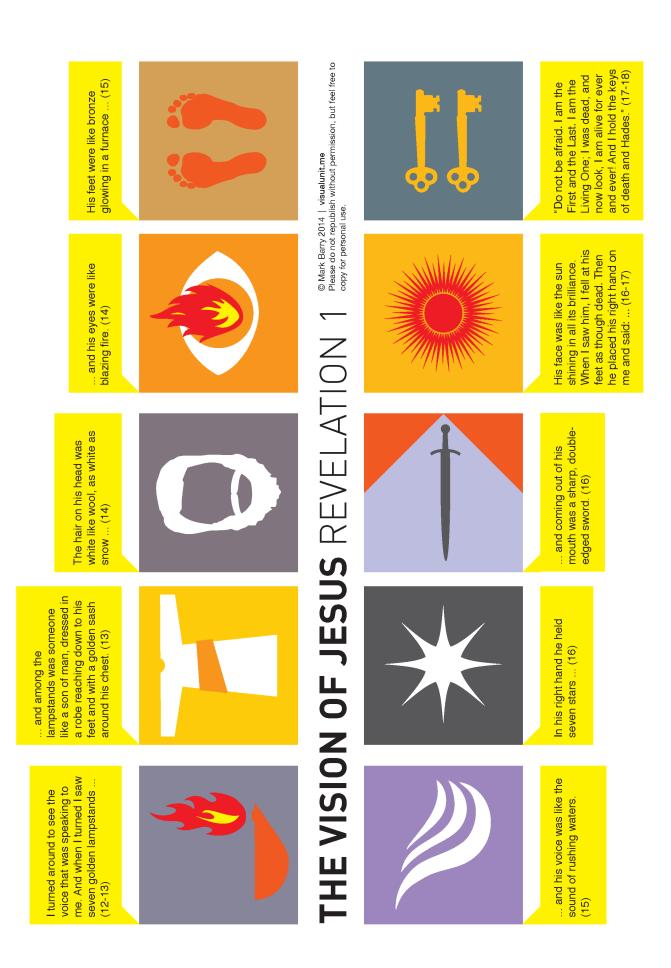


CONCLUSION

REVELATION: ROME & THE SEVEN CHURCHES

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1. Revelation 1 - 26/7/2020 (aligns with Study 1) Sermon Notes:

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THE SEVEN CHURCHES REVELATION 2-3

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1 EPHESUS (2:1-7)

Positives = toil and patient endurance for Jesus' sake, abhorrence of evil and false teaching

Negatives = abandoned first love

Command = remember, repent and return to previous good works

Disobedience = will have their lampstand removed Obedience = will eat from the tree of life

2 SMYRNA (2:8-11)

Positives = enduring opposition and slander and being spiritually rich Negatives = none Command = be faithful to the point of death Disobedience = none Obedience = will be given the crown of life and will not be hurt by the second death

3 PERGAMUM (2:12-17)

Positives = holding fast to Jesus' name and not denying his faith Negatives = some have accepted false teaching Command = repent Disobedience = will face war from the sword of Jesus' mouth Obedience = will be given hidden manna and a white enscribed stone

4 THYATIRA (2:18-29)

Positives = love, faith, service and faithful endurance Negatives = toleration of false teaching, idolatry and sexual immorality Command = reject false teaching and hold fast to Jesus Disobedience = tribulation

and death **Obedience** = will be given authority over the nations and given the morning star



5 SARDIS (3:1-6)

Positives = none Negatives = spiritually dead and incomplete in works Command = wake up, strenthen faith and repent Disobedience = will be opposed by Jesus who will come like a thief Obedience = will walk with Jesus, be clothed in white, will have names in the book of life and confessed by him before the Father and angels

6 PHILADELPHIA (3:7-13)

Positives = kept Jesus' word, not denied his name and patiently endured Negatives = none Command = hold fast Disobedience = none Obedience = will be kept from the hour of trial, made a pillar in the temple of God and have the name of God, New Jerusalem and Jesus written on them

7 LAODICEA (3:14-22)

Positives = none Negatives = spiritually lukewarm, wretched, pitiable, poor and blind; need to buy spiritual gold and salve to become spiritually rich, clothed and seeing Command = be zealous, repent and hear Jesus' voice Disobedience = (spat out) Obedience = will eat with Jesus and sit with him on his throne

PATMOS (1:9)

An Aegean island south of Samos, where prisoners were exiled by the Roman authorities. John was sent here 'on account of the word of God and the testimony of Jesus' (1:9) and received his prophetic revelation during this stay. 2. Revelation 2-3 – 2/8/2020 (aligns with Study 2) Sermon Notes:

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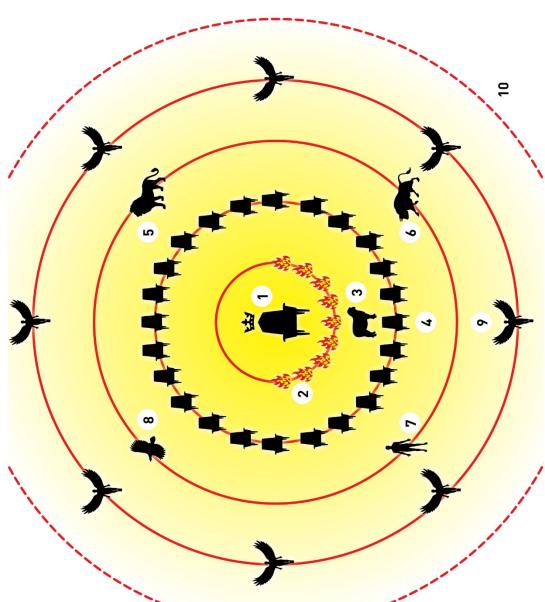
A VISION OF HEAVEN REVELATION 4-5

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(1) God the Father's throne at the centre of heaven, around which is a rainbow like an emerald and from it comes flashes of lightning, rumblings and peals of thunder [4:2-3, 5].

(2) 7 torches of fire, which are the 7 spirits of God [4:5]. (3) The conquering Jesus, announced as 'the Lion of the tribe of Judah, the Root of David' and appearing as a slain Lamb with 7 horns and 7 eyes, which are the 7 spirits of God. Jesus takes the 7-sealed scroll from God the Father on the throne (5:1-7).

[4] The 24 elders sitting on thrones, dressed in white, wearing golden crowns and holding harps and golden bowls full of incense, which are the prayers of the saints. The elders worship God, cast their crowns before his throne and sing a "new song" praising the worthiness of Jesus to open the scroll [4,4, 10-11, 5:8-10, 14].



(5-8) The 4 living creatures, each with 6 wings and full of eyes all around and within, holding harps and golden bowls full of incense, which are the prayers of the saints. The living creatures perpetually praise the Creator God and sing a 'new song' praising the worthiness of Jesus to open the scroll (4:7-9; 5:8-10, 14).

(5) The 1st living creature looks like a lion (4:7).

(6) The 2nd living creature looks like an ox (4:7). (7) The 3rd living creature has the face of a man (4:7). (8) The 4th living creature looks like an eagle in flight (4:7).

(9) 1000s of 1000s of angels praising the worthiness of Jesus [5:11-12]. (10) Every creature in heaven and on earth, under the earth and in the sea, praising Jesus and God the Father (5:13). 3. Revelation 4-5 – 9/8/2020 (aligns with Study 3) Sermon Notes:

Main Point:

Questions :

THE SEVEN SEALS REVELATION 6-8

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THE FOUR HORSEMEN



4. Revelation 6-8:5 – 16/8/2020 (aligns with Study 4)

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THE SEVEN TRUMPETS REVELATION 8-11

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	8:2-6	GOD GIVES TRUMPETS TO SEVEN ANGELS
1 🦯	8:7	1ST TRUMPET = HAIL & FIRE
	Hail and fire burns up a third of the earth, as well as the trees and grass.	
2	8:8-9	2ND TRUMPET = A FIERY MOUNTAIN
		ountain turns a third of the sea into blood and destroys sea creatures and ships.
3 🗡	8:10-11	3RD TRUMPET = A BLAZING STAR
	A blazing	star turns a third of the waters bitter and many die.
4	8:12-13	4TH TRUMPET = DARKNESS
	Darkness	covers a third of the sun, moon, stars, day and night.
THE THREE WOES		
5 🦯 🕵	9:1-12	5TH TRUMPET = TORMENTING LOCUSTS
	THE 1ST WOE: Locusts with the power of scorpians are released by an angel from the abyss to torment people without God's seal.	
6	9:13-21	6TH TRUMPET = MOUNTED WARRIORS
		WOE: Four angels, commanding 200 million mounted re released to kill a third of humanity.
	10:1-11	PAUSE = THE ANGEL & THE LITTLE SCROLL
	A angel gi	ves John a scroll of prophecy against the nations to eat
	11:1-14	THE TWO WITNESSES
	God's witr	nesses are killed by the beast, but raised by God.
7 🥕 🕵 🔒	11:15-19	7TH TRUMPET = GOD REIGNS IN HEAVEN
	kingdom o	WOE: The kingdom of the world becomes the of the Lord and his Christ. God's servants are and his enemies destroyed.

5.Revelation 8:6-11:19 – 23/8/2020 (aligns with Study 4)

Sermon Notes:

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Have a go at drawing what you read in Revelation 12-15 here:

6. Revelation 12-15:4 – 30/8/2020 (aligns with Study 5) Sermon Notes:

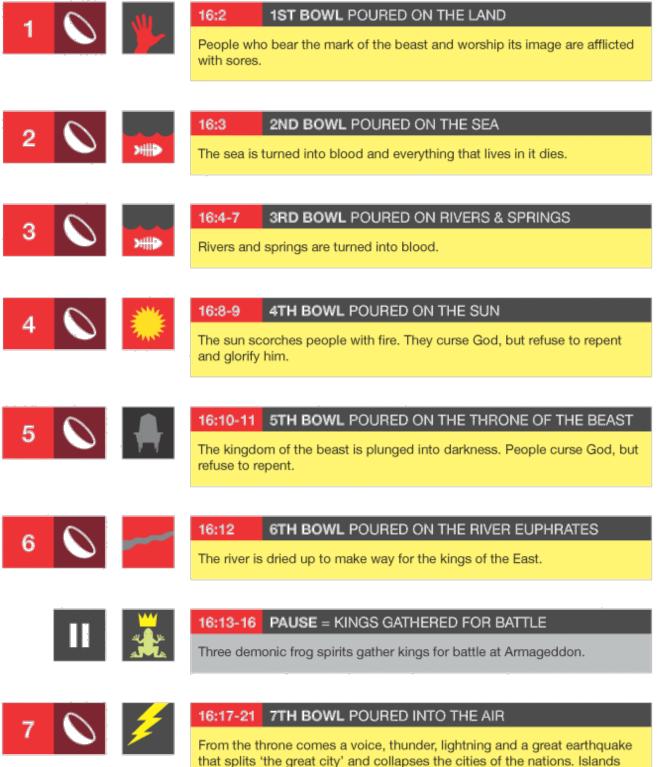
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THE SEVEN BOWLS REVELATION 16

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16:1 SEVEN BOWLS OF GOD'S WRATH



and mountains disappear and huge hailstones rain from the sky.

7.Revelation 15:5-16:21 – 16/8/2020 (aligns with Study 5)

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Have a go at drawing what you read in Revelation 17-19 here:

8. Revelation 17-19 – 13/9/2020 (aligns with Study6)

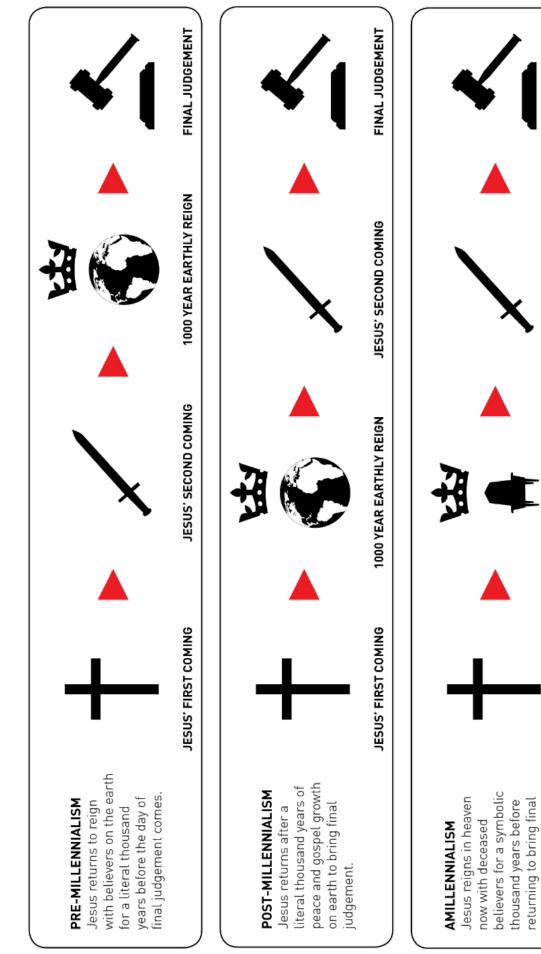
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THE MILLENNIUM THREE VIEWS

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FINAL JUDGEMENT

JESUS' SECOND COMING

PRESENT HEAVENLY REIGN

JESUS' FIRST COMING

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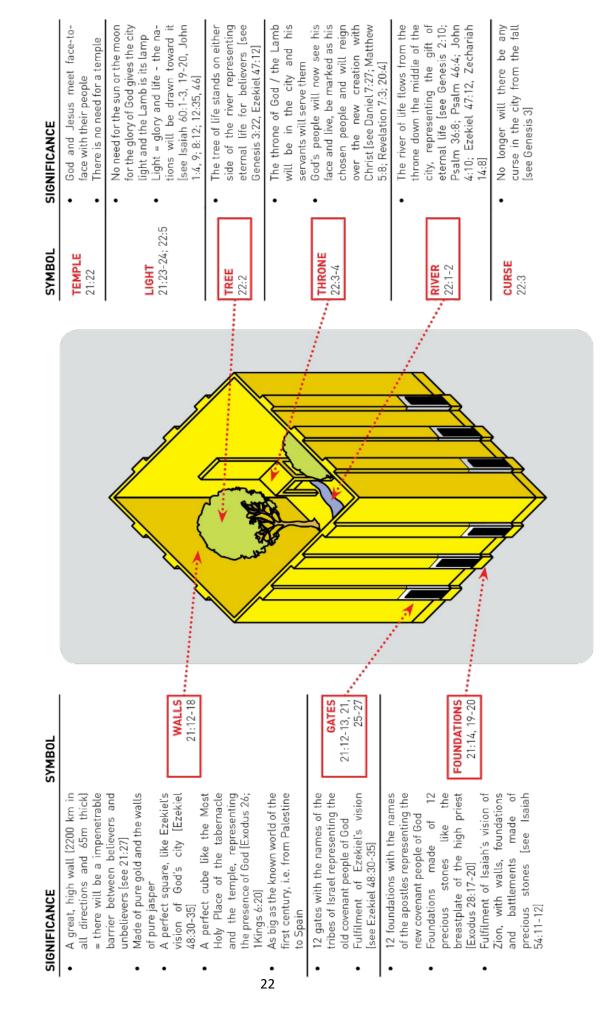
9. Revelation 20 – 20/9/2020 (aligns with Study 6) Sermon Notes:

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THE NEW JERUSALEM REVELATION 21-22

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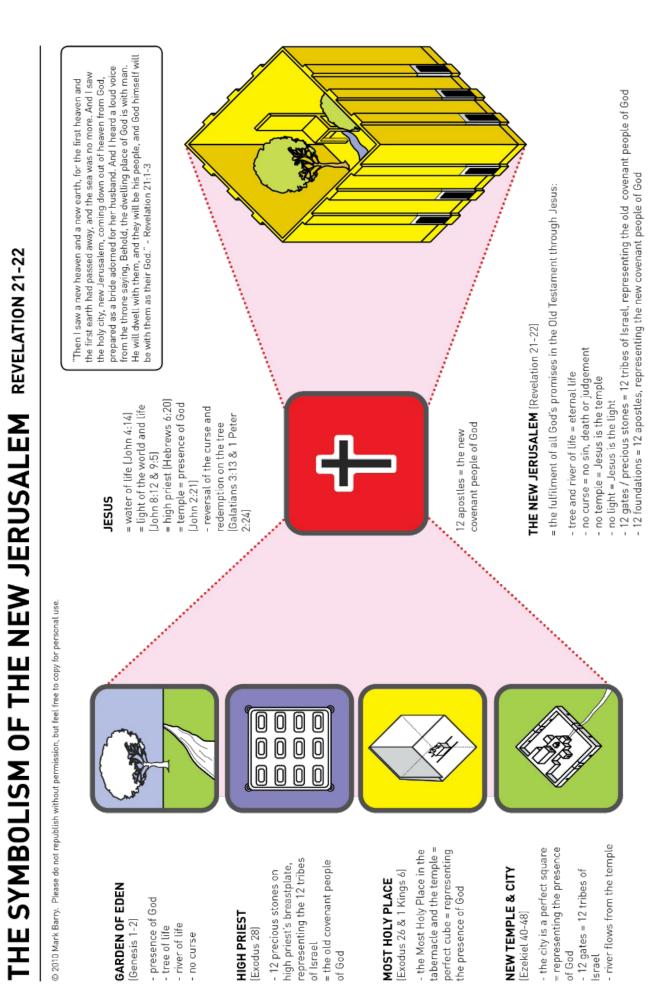


10. Revelation 21-22:5 – 27/9/2020 (aligns with Study 7)

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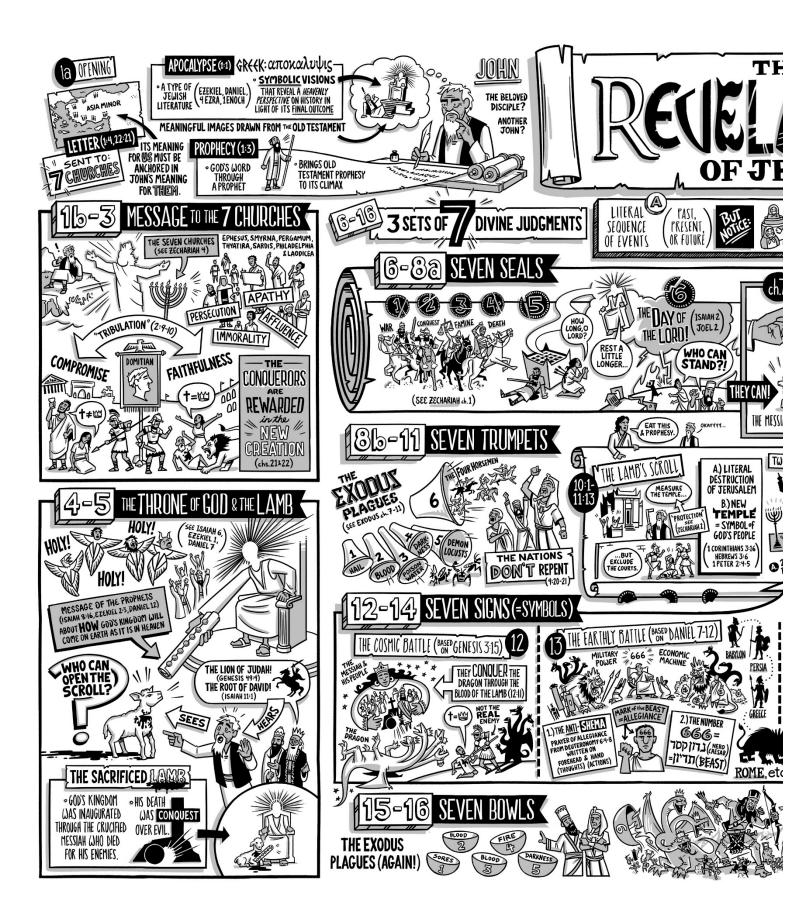


11. Revelation 22:6-21 – 4/10/2020 (aligns with Study 7)

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- Series of sermons by Phillip Jensen:
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- Series of Video Lectures from Dr W Robert Godfrey:
 https://www.ligonier.org/learn/series/blessed-hope-book-revelation/
- Tim Chester, Revelation for You. (Commentary to accompany Bible Study books by Good Book Company).
- Article: Can You Understand Revelation (Sandy Grant): <u>http://thebriefing.com.au/2014/07/can-you-understand-revelation/</u>
- The Returning King: A Guide to the Book of Revelation (Available online by Vern Sheridan Poythress): <u>https://frame-poythress.org/ebooks/the-returning-king/</u>
- Series of Sermons by John Lennox on Revelation: https://www.st-helens.org.uk/resources/series/934/