

Revelation - Hey Church! WAKE UP!!! Part 3

...the time is near.
-Revelation 1:3

Read: Revelation 3:1-6

What causes a church to die, even when they have had a reputation for being alive?

What breathes life into a church?

Who is the head of the church?

17 And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together. 18 And he is the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in everything he might be preeminent.
-Colossians 1:17-18

In the message Kelly said we had to follow Christ not culture, comfort, or His creation (gold, man, etc). How could the pursuit of any of these before Christ corrupt the church/a Christian?

Read: Revelation 3:14-18

How did the explanation of the cold water from Colossae and the hot water from Hierapolis creating the Laodicean lukewarm water affect the way you interpreted that verse?

The sin of Laodicea was pride. Can pride ever be healthy? (2 Corinthians 7:3-4, Galatians 6:4)

Pride is a repeated sin issue in the Bible. It crops up everywhere and in everyone. From the rich to the poor, the wise and the foolish, the old and the young. How can we guard ourselves from falling into the trap of pride without losing a healthy sense of pride?

Read: Revelation 3:19-20

In His final call to course correction, Jesus reminds them of His love, and His desire for relationship. He says if "anyone" hears His voice and opens the door He will come in.

What does this tell us about God's humility and the way He values relationship?

What does that say about us?

Take time to pray for one another.