

The Revelation of Jesus Christ

The Letters to the Seven Churches 2:1-3:22

The Church	Christ	Commendation	Criticism	Correction	Challenge
Ephesus (2:1-7)	Holds the seven stars in His right hand, walks among the lampstands	Works, toil, endurance, intolerance of evil, judgement of false teachers in word and actions	You left your first love	Remember, repent and return to your first works or be extinguished	You will eat from the tree of life in paradise
Smyrna (2:8-11)	The First and the Last who died and came to life.	Tribulation, poverty, and slander			You will receive the crown of life and not experience second death
Pergamos (2:12-17)	Has the sharp double edged sword	Faithfulness, honor for the name of Jesus, refusal to deny faith in Christ	You hold the teachings of Balaam leading to idolatry and sexual immorality	Repent or face My sword	Receive hidden manna, a white stone, and a new name
Thyratira (2:18-29)	Eyes like a flame of fire and feet like burnished bronze	Works, love, faith, service, and patient endurance	You tolerate Jezebel, who led you into idolatry and sexual immorality	Repent and hold fast to what you have until I come	Authority over the nations, and the morning star
Sardis (3:1-6)	Has the seven spirits of God and the seven stars	Works, undefiled clothes	You are spiritually dead	Wake up, strengthen what remains, remember, repent	Clothed in white, not blotted out of the book of life
Philadelphia (3:7-13)	Holy and true One who has the key of David	Works, keeping of Jesus' word, refusal to deny His name		Keep holding on to what you have	Kept from the hour of temptation, made a pillar in God's temple
Laodicea (3:14-22)	The Amen, the faithful and true witness, the beginning of God's creation		You are lukewarm, wretched, pitiable, poor, blind, and naked	Buy refined gold from Jesus and white clothing, eye salve, be zealous and repent	You will have communion with Christ and sit on His throne