

## **Threats from Without and Within**

Revelation 2:8-17

Main Point; Jesus calls you to be prepared to suffer and to correct false teachings

Key Reminder: Jesus knows and loves you (Revelation 2:9, 13; 3:19)

1. Being prepared to suffer (Letter to Smyrna 2:8-11)
2. Being prepared to correct false teachings (Letter to Pergamum 2:12-17)

Questions for Discussion;

1. Is Jesus speaking anything directly to your heart in these letters?
2. Have you ever suffered for the sake of your faith? What has that looked like in your life?
3. Do you find yourself overly hesitant to label something as a false gospel or overly eager to do so?