

Small Group Questions – Feb. 16<sup>th</sup> - Read Revelation 3:7-13

1. Verses 7-9: Christianity has "little power" in our late modern culture as Western society becomes more antagonistic towards institutional religion. What are some ways we as Christians witness to the Gospel amidst our current cultural weakness?
2. Verse 10: Keeping Jesus' word of patient endurance means to witnessing to the Gospel by sharing in Jesus' suffering and enduring His suffering. How does our manner of suffering as Christians in Toronto bear witness to the far surpassing worth of Jesus Christ?
3. Verse 11: Waiting for Jesus' return bears witness to the Hope that we have in Him. What are people "waiting" for in Toronto, and how do we as Christians "wait" in a faithful manner that bears witness to our hoping in Jesus alone?
4. Verses 12-13: Jesus promises to make faithful witnesses of His Gospel into pillars in God's Temple, and to give them the names of God, of the New Jerusalem, and of His own new name. How does the promises of permanence and prominence in God's presence (pillar) and the three-fold perfection of our being (the three new names) transform the way you handle weakness, suffering, and patient endurance and waiting in our lives in Toronto?