DAY 40 - EVALUATE YOUR CHURCH

Read Revelation 3:1-6

Your church is evaluated every week. The first-time guests who visit have an opinion about your church. The senior adults who attend have convictions about the life and ministry of your congregation. The young families have some thoughts, as well as the youth. The community in which your church is located also has something that comes to mind when they think of your church.

These opinions are varied and may have some merit. The opinion, or rather judgment, that matters most is the one offered by Jesus, the Head of the church. Jesus has some thoughts concerning your congregation, and the road to revitalization begins with seeking Jesus' view of your church.

How does your congregation's perception of your church's effectiveness differ from the perspective of Jesus?

PRAYER
Consider praying today that God will help your congregation understand how He views it and what He wishes to see happen for your church to move into new life and ministry and be an influence for Christ in your community.