

Bible study for the week starting August 10, 2025

## **SHARE**

Have you ever traveled to a famous battlefield? (I've been to Concord, Ft. McHenry...and "Armageddon," among others.) What was your impression of such places? When you imagine the final battle, what do you imagine?

## READ/STUDY/DISCUSS

- 1. Read Revelation 16:17-21. Last week we heard a message about the first 6 bowls of wrath, and now we hear about the 7<sup>th</sup>. What images come to mind, and what is your reaction to this last bowl?
- 2. You may have been introduced to a new term (probably because some theologian just made it up) in the message called "Storm-ophany," as in, God reveals His presence in the midst of thunder/cloud/lightning/earthquake/etc. We see this on Mt. Sinai also; why is it such a good way for God to reveal Himself?
- 3. Read Exodus 16:9-20, the storm-ophony on Mt. Sinai. Think of the context in the Exodus story, and why God might have chosen to reveal Himself that way. If you were Moses, what would you be thinking?!
- 4. Read Luke 12:22-34. Anxiety is a big issue in our culture today; it might affect everyone to some extent or another. How does Jesus help us with our anxiousness?
- 5. The loud voice of God comes out of the temple from His throne declares, "It is done!" What does this sound like? What does this mean?!

## **PRAY**

Pray that God would remind you that when He fights for us, we have no need to be afraid.



## IT'S FIXIN' TO HAIL (The 7th Bowl)

Revelation 16:17-21 (Exodus 19:9-20; Luke 12:22-34) August 10, 2025 — Pastor Eric Van Scharrel

Armageddon: the ultimate and FINAL battle for the earth

7 SEALS - 7 TRUMPETS - 7 BOWLS = TIME'S UP!

There was no **DOUBT** on Mt. Sinai WHO was up there.

Theophanies – Christophanies – <u>STORM</u>-ophanies

Babylon represents all the pagan, <u>IDOLATROUS</u> cities in world history and reminds us that these cities will meet their <u>END</u>.

The fury of God's wrath is **INESCAPABLE**.

All evidence to the contrary, they still do not **REPENT**.

David and Job <u>SUBMIT</u> to God in faith and <u>TRUST</u>, and out of the depths of their sorrow, they proclaim specific faith in the God who promises resurrection and <u>LIFE</u>.

Theology of the CROSS vs. Theology of GLORY

Satan's LAST STAND

"It is DONE."

For next Sunday, please read Revelation 17.