Message Based Questions 10/25/20 Revelation – Part 4

Icebreaker: If you could have any superpower what would it be?

Scriptures: Revelation 1:9-20; Daniel 7:13-14

To Discuss:

- 1. What stands out to you from the message?
- 2. Last week's message was about growing in our trust for God because the future is under God's absolute control. Our Father is described as "the Alpha and the Omega, the One who is, and who was, and who is to come." (Rev 1:8) In what way did having that perspective impact your week? Did you sense less fear about the future--for your children/grandchildren or yourself?
- 3. Read out loud Revelation 1:9-20. What has been your typical image of Jesus? How does it expand or change in light of this passage?
- 4. Where was John and why was he suffering? Based on what you know of history or present-day circumstances, describe some of the persecution and hardships suffered by those who believe in Jesus Christ.
- 5. How can you be an encourager of those who face persecution or hardship?
- 6. How are you struggling or suffering right now? In what place has God called you to endure, when you'd rather escape? Take encouragement from knowing that if God is for you, who can be against you?
- 7. Who is the Son of Man and what do you learn about Him? (See also Daniel 7:13-14; Zechariah 12:10; Matthew 9:4-6; 24:30).
- 8. John was a close friend of Jesus. What does his reaction to seeing the glorified Jesus teach you? How does this impact the way you approach Him in worship?
- 9. What is the most important thing you learned as a result of studying this passage or participating in this discussion? How can your group pray for you as you make this truth a part of your life?