

**Lukewarm Laodicea**  
**Revelation 3:14-22**  
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**Quote of the Week**

*The basic interpretation is that Christ stands outside the door of a lukewarm church. This church has wealth and power, but no Christ. He is even willing to come into the life of one person, if that one person will but invite him. How tragic that a church can become so lukewarm and proud that Christ has to leave and stand outside. They are totally indifferent towards Christ. He is left outside their plans, programs, and their hearts. — Warren Wiersbe*

⇒ Laodicea, your lukewarm spirituality disgusts me. Take a side, plant your flag, and either lose your life for my sake or live for the world! You think you're rich and have no needs, but you're actually poor, blind, and bare. Repent! Let me in your midst and in your heart; that you may dwell with me now and reign with me eternally. I love you. Accept my discipline, and live.

**Discussion Questions**

- a. How different would Palm Sunday (and the last week of Jesus' life) have been if the people in Jerusalem had known his mission was to die a death of atonement vs restore the kingdom of Israel?
- b. Was there ever a time where you were lukewarm or too comfortable as a follower of Christ? What happened that brought you out of it?
- c. What are some uses for lukewarm water that you can think of?
- d. On the other hand, what are some of the uses of hot and cold water?
- e. What do you think separates the lukewarm Christian athletes/celebrities from the ones who truly follow Christ?