Reset Wk 2 (Revelation Series) Group Discussion Guide

- 1- What Bible verses or stories do you think about when you hear the word "Jerusalem"?
- 2- Read Revelation 21:9-27. What did you notice the most in this passage? Do you see Jerusalem as a city (place), people our both?
- 3- Read Revelation 21:9-11, Ezekiel 16:2, Isaiah 62:1 & Hebrews 12:22-23. What do these passages have in common?
- 4- Read Revelation 21:12-13 & discuss the following questions:
- Why would this perfect city have a wall?
- What are some things this wall might symbolize?
- What are some ways that the twelve gates, angels (stationed at the gates) & the tribal names would have encouraged the apostle John?
- 5- Read Revelation 21:14 & Ephesians 2:19-22. What is the significance of the foundation in these passages?
- 6- In John's vision, the angel measures the city of Jerusalem. It is a perfect cube of 12,000 stadia (About 1,400 miles in every direction). Read Revelation 21:15-16

- & Revelation 7:9. How do these verses relate? What truth is being emphasized through these measurements?
- 7- Read Revelation 21:17-21. How do you picture this in your mind? What are these verses saying about Christ's Bride & City?
- 8- In 70AD, the temple in Jerusalem was demolished by the Roman Empire. The Jews (and Jewish Christians) lost their place or worship and ongoing symbol of God's presence. Read Revelation 21:22-23. What are some ways that these verses encouraged the first century Christians? How are you encouraged or strengthened by them today?
- 9- Read Revelation 21:24-26 & Matthew 28:18-20. How do these passages relate with each other? What thoughts or feelings do you experience when you interact with them?
- 10- Read Revelation 21:27. How does this verse provide hope? What are some ways that it challenges us?
- 11- Read Revelation 21:9-27. What does God want you to carry away from this passage?
- 12- Lift one another up in prayer. Use the answers to the previous question (#11) to guide your prayer time.