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Groups

Sermon Guide

Revelation 4:1–5:14

- Remember that groups are a place to practice what is preached in community with God and one another.
- Pray together for the Holy Spirit to open your eyes to behold wonderful things (Ps. 119:18) as your group meets with the Lord.
- Ask a few group members to read **Revelation 4:1–5:14** out loud; assign sections to different members and remember Revelation 1:3 as you read: Blessed is the one who reads aloud the words of this prophecy, and blessed are those who hear, and who keep what is written in it, for the time is near.
- What is your impression of the figure on the throne? What about the 24 elders? Remember that the number 24 is used to represent all of God's people—the Church.
- Chapter 4 focuses on God as Creator. What aspects of creation most demonstrate God's glory and power in this chapter and in your own life?
- Chapter 5 focuses on God as Redeemer. What is your impression of what is happening here in John's vision?
- What makes the scroll so significant (see Jeremiah 36:2–32)? What dilemma does the scroll present (see Isaiah 29:11)? What titles are used to describe Jesus in this chapter?
- What does all of this mean for our worship of God?

Weekly Questions for One Another

- What is God saying to you in this Word, in the sermon, and in your walk with Him this week?
- What is God telling you to do? How can we as a Group be part of giving you courage to obey?
- How can we pray for you? For your neighbors?