Bible Study Questions for

May 5th, 2018

“Beloved, let him that hath an ear (that discerneth spiritually) hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches; and seek thou the divine import of the Revelator’s vision —and no other. Note his inspired rebuke to all the churches except the church in Philadelphia —the name whereof signifies ‘brotherly love.’ I call your attention to this to remind you of the joy you have had in following the more perfect way, or Golden Rule: ‘As ye would that men should do to you, do ye.’ Let no root of bitterness spring up among you, but hold in your full hearts fervently the charity that seeketh not only her own, but another’s good. The angel that spake unto the churches cites Jesus as ‘he that hath the key of David; that openeth and no man shutteth, and shutteth and no man openeth;’ in other words, he that toiled for the spiritually indispensable.”

From *Message to The Mother Church, Boston, Massachusetts, June, 1900,*

by Mary Baker Eddy, page 14

Topic: The Message to the Churches Part 2

Moderator: Lynda from PA

Bible Readings: Revelations Chapter 2 and 3

Opitional Readings:

*Message to The Mother Church, Boston, Massachusetts, June, 1900,* by Mary Baker Eddy p. 11-14

Revelation of Saint John An Open Book by Irving Tomlinson p. 4 - 12; 124 – 138;

Revelation Interpreted by Rev. G. A. Kratzer, p. 45 - 87

Questions:

1. What is the message to the seven churches and how can we apply it to our lives?

A. Pergamos (Rev. 2:12-17)

B. Thyatira (Rev. 2:18-29)

C. Sardis (Rev. 3:1-6)

D. Philadelphia (Rev. 3:7-13)

E. Laodicea (Rev. 3:14-22)