

All the letters to the seven churches were written to the actual churches in John's time.

They teach us about the different types of people that make up the church today.

Jesus sees the good and the bad and things in our hearts and he tells us what to do.

For the seven churches, tell us 3 things for each.

1. How did the Lord praise the church?
2. How did the Lord criticize the church?
3. And what was the correction for the reward to the church?

Revelation Chapter 2

(Example. Ephesus)

(PRAISE... I know all about your good deeds and your hard work and how you have put up with hardship because of me, also you do not tolerate evil men.)

- CRITICISM.... You do not love me the way you used to.
- CORRECTION. TURN BACK TO ME AND DO THE THINGS YOU DID WHEN YOU FIRST LOVED ME.
- REWARD IF YOU REPENT, I WILL LET YOU EAT FROM THE TREE OF LIFE IN PARADISE