

Oh, magnify the LORD with me, and let us exalt His name together! PSALM 34:3 ESV



# **GCF EAST CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL**



# MESSAGE

# To the Church in Thyatira: The Corrupt Church

WHEN JESUS WRITES TO YOUR CHURCH Revelation 2:18–29

#### The Correspondent

<sup>18</sup> "And to the angel of the church in Thyatira write: 'The words of the Son of God, who has eyes like a flame of fire, and whose feet are like burnished bronze.

#### \* The commendation

<sup>19</sup> "'I know your works, your love and faith and service and patient endurance, and that your latter works exceed the first.

### The complaint

<sup>20</sup> But I have this against you, that you tolerate that woman Jezebel,

who calls herself a prophetess and is teaching and seducing my servants to practice sexual immorality and to agt food sacrificad to idols

and to eat food sacrificed to idols.

<sup>21</sup> I gave her time to repent, but she refuses to repent of her sexual immorality.
<sup>22</sup> Behold, I will **throw her onto a sickbed**, and those who commit adultery with her I will throw into great tribulation, unless they repent of her works, <sup>23</sup> and I will strike her children dead. And all the churches will know that I am he who searches mind and heart, and I will give to each of you according to your works.

# The command

<sup>24</sup> But to the rest of you in Thyatira, who do not hold this teaching, who have not learned what some call the deep things of Satan, to you I say, I do not lay on you any other burden. <sup>25</sup> **Only hold fast** what you have until I come.

# **\*** *The commitment*

<sup>26</sup> The one <u>who conquers</u> and <u>who keeps my works</u> until the end, to him <u>I will give authority over the nations</u>,

<sup>27</sup> <u>and he will rule them</u> with a rod of iron, as when earthen pots are broken in pieces, even as I myself have received authority from my Father. <sup>28</sup> <u>And I will give him</u> **the morning star**. <sup>29</sup> He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches.'

