APOCALYPSE NOW XII

August 10, 2025

READ: Revelation 4-5

QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION

1. What seems to be the most important takeaway from, or implication of, the Apostle John's observation of "a throne . . . standing in heaven" (4:2)? How does this influence us going forward in this vision?

2. What impression is left by the description of the "One sitting on the throne" (4:2-3)?

3. Where is the Holy Spirit relative to the throne (4:5; 5:6)?

4. Where is the Lamb relative to the throne (5:6-7)?

5. "Every created thing which is in heaven and on the earth and under the earth and on the sea, and all things in them" (v. 13) are described in ever-widening circles around the throne (4:4, 6-8; 5:11, 13). Identify these zones of created beings?

6. What primary activity(ies) is associated with each group of created beings?

7. Who receives the focus of the worship of these created beings (4:11; 5:9-10; 12, 13)?

What does this say about the Lamb?

8. Identify the results of the Lamb's death (5:9-10). What did He accomplish?

What accounts for the Lamb being the Lion?

9. What strikes you most about these two chapters? (Discuss within your group.)

PERSONAL RESPONSE

I will worship the Lord God this week by . . .

I will worship the Lamb this week by . . .