



## House Church Study Questions Based on the SAC Sermon on May 29, 2022

**READ: Revelation 9-10**

### Discussion Questions

**Icebreaker Question: There are three doors from which you must choose one. Door one is a guaranteed 10,000 dollars in your pocket. Door two is free fuel for your car for 3 years. And Door 3 is a mystery, you won't know until it's opened. Which one will you choose?**

**Question #1: Can you remember a time when you received a 'wake up call'? A time when the Lord allowed something in your life that caused you to slow down enough to hear Him leading you in a different direction? How did that feel? How did it turn out?**

**Question #2: The 'trumpets' in Revelation 8 and 9 are judgments of God against creation and humanity. What is your response to this? How does it make you feel knowing that God brings this kind of calamity to the world?**

Additional Question: Because God is just and holy, sin must be dealt with, and sometimes severely. As horrible as these trumpet judgments are can you see the mercy of God because they are limited? It is not total destruction. Why do you think God limited these judgments? What is His ultimate motivation do you think?

**Question #3: Read Revelation 9: 20-21. What is the Lord asking humanity to do? Why do you think this is so important? And how important is it that people get serious about their relationship (or lack of relationship) with Jesus?**

**Question #4: Read Luke 19:10 and then read Luke 12:49. As you think about the things that are going on in Revelation, how do these two passages affect your understanding of Jesus?**

**Question #5: It has been said that the judgments of God do not save anyone, but they do serve to help wake people up. Read Revelation 10:7 that mentions the 'mystery of God'. Then read Colossians 1:24-27. Here the mystery is described as the church now telling the world about how the living Christ lives in us! The message of Jesus Christ and his salvation is meant to be delivered by the church to the world. What thoughts go through your mind as you think about this?**

**Invitation and Mission for this week**

**Your mission for this week is to prayerfully consider what Jesus may be 'waking you up to.' Ask Him how you might grow more fully into being the one who brings the message of Jesus to others. Ask Him to help you overcome your fears and to show you how He wants to do that through you.**

**Pray for each other**