Sermon Outline: 3.26.23

Sermon Series: Apocalypse

Sermon Title: **Behold, He Cometh!**

Sermon Text: Revelation 1:1-8

(Amos 3:7) (Genesis 6:3, 15:13) (Deuteronomy 31:29) (Revelation 1:19)

(Revelation 1:1-3)

The Prologue of the Book...

Point – The apocalypse, or unveiling

Purpose – To show us what's ahead

Process – God, Christ, angel, John

Promise – Blessing to read, hear, heed

(Revelation 1:4-5a)

The Salutation of John...

Author & Audience

From John to Seven Churches

Offering & Origin

Grace/Peace from Father, Spirit, Son

(Revelation 1:5b-6, 8)

The Exaltation of Christ...

Seven-Fold Declaration of Praise

Faithful Witness

Firstborn of the Dead

Ruler of Kings

Lover & Redeemer of Mankind

Maker of Kings & Priests

Glorious & Reigning Forever

The Almighty One

(Revelation 1:7)

The Expectation of Christ...

"Behold, He Cometh!"

With clouds

Every eye shall see

Kindreds of the earth shall wail

(Matthew 24:29-31)