Talk 1: Blessed is the one who reads, hears and keeps what is written
Revelation 1-3

1. **Why bother hearing from the book of Revelation?**
   a. You'll find out…
   b. You won't be able to…
   c. It’s a message from God, through Jesus, to you
   d. The message bearer is worth hearing
      - Faithful witness
      - Firstborn from the dead
      - Ruler of the kings on earth
      - Someone who loves us
      - Judge
      - Incredibly powerful
      - Close to his people

2. **The right way to hear Jesus**

3. **Jesus’ message to his people**
   a. He knows
      …your faithful struggle
      …your failings
   b. He commands
   c. He promises
   d. He loves

4. **Will you hear and do?**