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Topic: Be Ye Reconciled to God

Scripture text: 2 Corinthians 5:18-21

1. When unbelievers are reconciled to God, it means that we are no longer His enemies, but have made peace with Him.
2. There is a need for unbelievers to be reconciled to God. When unbelievers refuse to repent of their sins, they have transgressed the commandments of the holy God and become His enemies. The judgment of God for sinners is eternal death. The only way to escape the penalty of sin is to be reconciled to God.
3. God has provided a way for sinners to enjoy eternal life through His only begotten Son - Jesus Christ. Jesus Christ was the anointed Saviour to save men from all their sins. He was fully Man and fully God on earth, lived a perfect life of righteousness and became the perfect sacrifice for our sins. Christ was resurrected on the third day after His death and obtained victory over sin, death and hell for us. Christ's righteousness is imputed upon those who have faith in His redemptive work. It is only by believing in Jesus Christ as our Lord and Saviour that we can be reconciled to God.
4. All those who have been reconciled to God have a duty to be ambassadors for Christ by sharing the gospel of Christ to the unbelievers. May the Lord grant us the passion for lost souls and seek to glorify His name as we share the good news of salvation.