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Read 2 Corinthians 5:20b – 6:10

We are God's ambassadors and we speak for Christ when we plead to come back to God. This is not us speaking, but it is actually us speaking God's words. This comes from God. In verse 6:10 Paul speaks to everything about us, both material and non-material conditions which comes from Christ and belongs to him.

We as a church family have a responsibility to reach out to people who are part of a broken relationship or are contributing to a broken relationship. Paul spoke of this when he said come back to God even though it was Paul pleading with the Corinthians it was actually Christ asking them to reconcile. Verse 6:10 says we may feel that we are not accomplishing what God wants, but we are never without hope. So we as a church family need to help others build a more loving relationship. This is not just the pastor's and leadership's responsibility, but all of the church family. Remember once we have been reconciled to Christ it doesn't stop there. We then find ourselves coming along side others who are reconciled to Christ, and with people who we may not have thought we would ever work with or perhaps people we would not have liked in the past.

Prayer: Lord God help us all to recognize when someone in our church family is struggling. Help us to provide comfort and hope when needed.

Yield: This effort if applied by the church family to building and fostering more loving relationships within the church will yield a loving relationship boom within the church.

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