10 Truths About Reconciliation

Sunday Morning, July 24th, 2022

Text: Matthew 5:21-26 Introduction:

- Psalm 133:1
- 1 Corinthians 12:12
- 1 Corinthians 1:10
- John 17:11
- John 17:21–23
- John 13:35
- Acts 2:44 -
- Acts 2:46
- Acts 4:32
- Philippians 2:2

- I Peter 3:8
- Romans 15:5-6
- Matthew 12:25
- 1 Corinthians 1:10-11
- I Corinthians 11:18
- I Corinthians 12:25
- Proverbs 6:16
- Proverbs 6:19
- Matthew 5:23-24
- Luke 10:29

1. Sin produces the need for reconciliation

- 1 Peter 3:18
- Ephesians 2:13–14
- Romans 5:10
- 2. External Worshipers of God can have internal issues with others.
 - Psalm 51:16–17
- 3. Jesus taught that "reconciliation" with man must precede true worship to God.
 - 1 Samuel 15:22
- 4. Unwillingness to reconcile makes you unfit to worship
 - Psalm 66:18
 - Isaiah 1:11
 - Isaiah 1:16–17
- 5. Reconciliation is what enhances true worship
- 6. Earthly reconciliation must be motivated by God rather than man.
- 7. Reconciliation must be sought even if you do not know of your offense, only that you know they are offended at you.
 - Proverbs 19:11
 - 1 Peter 4:8
 - Matthew 18:15–17
- 8. You cannot guarantee reconciliation with man, but you can seek it.
 - Romans 12:18
 - 1 Corinthians 6:5–7
- 9. Delayed reconciliation allows sin & consequences to increase and worship to decrease
 - Matthewew 5:25–26
- 10. Sin keeps people from reconciling
 - Luke 19:8–10