

# SERMON APPLICATION SHEET FOR:

Rev. Phil

Reconciliation: The Greatest Appeal

2 Corinthians 5:11-21

February 16, 2020

Sermon Text	Sermon Notes
<p><b>2 Corinthians 5:11</b> Therefore, knowing the fear of the Lord, we persuade others. But what we are is known to God, and I hope it is known also to your conscience. [12] We are not commending ourselves to you again but giving you cause to boast about us, so that you may be able to answer those who boast about outward appearance and not about what is in the heart. [13] For if we are beside ourselves, it is for God; if we are in our right mind, it is for you. [14] For the love of Christ controls us, because we have concluded this: that one has died for all, therefore all have died; [15] and he died for all, that those who live might no longer live for themselves but for him who for their sake died and was raised. [16] From now on, therefore, we regard no one according to the flesh. Even though we once regarded Christ according to the flesh, we regard him thus no longer. [17] Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come. [18] All this is from God, who through Christ reconciled us to himself and gave us the ministry of reconciliation; [19] that is, in Christ God was reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation. [20] Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, God making his appeal through us. We implore you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God. [21] For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.</p>	<p><b>Jesus Christ took our sin, as a substitution, and now, we believers, are counted righteous.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>I. Motivation</li><li>II. Attitude</li><li>III. Tone</li></ul>

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Sermon Application Questions	Prayer Requests
1. Discuss some of the reasons Phil gave for why we do missions.	This week our family will lift up requests for:
2. What does this passage say about our motivation for doing missions?	
3. What does this passage say about our attitude for doing missions?	This week our family will praise the Lord for:
4. What does this passage say about our tone in doing missions?	
5. What are ways we can be effective ambassadors for Christ right here in the KC area?	HFG Notes & Actions:  Next HFG meeting is: