

# SERMON TOPIC:

## Brand New Life

### SERMON SUMMARY

This week's sermon focuses on how Jesus Christ transforms believers by giving them a new perspective, making them new people, and providing them with a new purpose. Pastor Clark emphasizes that God sees people differently than humans do, and through Christ, anyone can become a new creation. The message centers on 2 Corinthians 5, highlighting God's work of reconciliation through Christ and our role as His ambassadors.

1. Jesus gives believers a brand new perspective on how to view others
2. Through Christ, we become completely new people, not just improved versions of ourselves  
God has given us the ministry of reconciliation as His ambassadors
4. The time for salvation is now - we shouldn't delay in responding to or sharing God's message

### KEY VERSES

- **2 Corinthians 5:17**
- **2 Corinthians 5:20**
- **2 Corinthians 5:21**

### QUESTIONS

- How does seeing people through God's perspective differ from how we typically view others?
- What does it mean to be a 'new creation' in Christ?
  - Why do you think God chooses to use us as His ambassadors?
  - How does understanding God's reconciliation through Christ change how we approach sharing our faith?
  - What are some ways we might be keeping 'one foot in Egypt and one foot in the promised land'?
  - How does being an ambassador for Christ affect our daily lives?  
What does it mean that God is 'making His appeal through us'?
  - How should the urgency of 'today is the day of salvation' impact our witness?

### LIFE APPLICATION

This week, identify one person in your life whom you've been viewing through a human perspective rather than God's perspective. Pray for them daily and look for opportunities to share God's message of reconciliation with them.