



Sunday Morning | October 26, 2025

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Sermon Title: Godly Grief Leads to Repentance

2 Corinthians 7:8-16

Series: 2 Corinthians

1. The _____ of Genuine Repentance

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The 5 C's of repentance:

- **Conviction:** Godly sorrow begins with a deep conviction of our sin, as the Holy Spirit touches our hearts and shows us where we've fallen short.
- **Contrition:** This conviction leads to true contrition—a genuine sorrow for having grieved God, not just regret over getting caught or facing consequences.
- **Change:** Out of contrition springs change, as repentance turns us away from sin to Christ and compels us to pursue a new direction in Him.
- **Clearing:** Godly sorrow produces a clearing of ourselves, when because of God-produced change within and forgiveness received, we seek to be right with God and others (if possible), restoring relationships and walking in integrity.
- **Commitment:** Finally, godly sorrow cultivates a renewed commitment—a zealous desire to honor God, live righteously, and continue growing in faith.

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