

Redeemer Presbyterian Church (PCA)

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AN OUTLINE FOR TODAY'S SERMON

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Reconciling New Creatures

2 Corinthians 5:16-19

**I. Doctrine: “Reconciling New Creatures” Has a _____
*Double Meaning***

A. First, we *Were* _____ *To God—When we*
Were Made New In Christ; . . . , (2 Cor. 5:17)

B. . . . And *Now* we *Are* _____ *For God—As*
New Creatures In Christ, (2 Cor. 5:18-19)

**II. The *Supernatural* _____ of *Reconciling New Crea-*
*tures, vv. 16-19***

A. We _____ *On And Up* In our *Thinking—Even About*
Christ, v. 16

B. We _____ our *Miraculous New Identities, v. 17*

C. We _____ our *New Roles As Emissaries of The*
Gospel, vv. 18-19

**III. Why *Reconciliation* May _____ *Be “Brokered” Through*
*God's New Creatures***

A. —Because *False Gospels* _____ *People Through*
Self-Righteousness; . . . , (2 Cor. 5:12)

B. . . . *But The True Gospel* _____ *Sinners Around Jesus,*
our Only Righteousness, (2 Cor. 5:21)

Key Verse—v. 17: “Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.” (ESV)

Aim: To be *Reconciling New Creatures*—as God's forgiven church