



Central Parkway Baptist Church

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Sunday, January 7, 2018
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Sowing Righteousness Hosea 10:12

1. Why this invitation/exhortation? – Hosea
6:6-7, 10:9-10; 14:9
 - 1) Sin is still the issue
 - 2) God has not changed!
 - i. He still loves
 - ii. He still redeems
 - iii. He still judges
 - iv. He alone reigns
2. Sow righteousness for yourselves...
 - 1) Sow – do the necessary work simply to live
 - 2) Righteousness – God’s ways, not ours
 - 3) For yourselves – accountability for choices
 - 4) Again and again and again
3. ...and reap faithful love [mercy]
 - 1) We reap what we sow
 - 2) God keeps covenant
4. Break up your unplowed ground
 - 1) Prepare for sowing, then reaping
 - 2) Provide context for proper growth of what has been sown
 - 3) Continue as often as appropriate



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5. It's time to seek the LORD...

1) God wants relationship with you

2) You must choose

3) God is faithful

i. ...until He comes

ii. ...and pours righteousness on you like the rain

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