

Focus on Repentance

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I. WHAT'S THE BIG IDEA?

Hebrews 5:12-6:3

Repentance is much more than <u>ceasing</u> from sinful behaviors. Repentance is turning away from our self-<u>centered</u>, self-<u>focused</u>, self-<u>driven</u> efforts, turning towards God, and <u>embracing</u> what God has <u>already provided</u> for us.

II. REPENTANCE THAT MOVES US FORWARD

- A. Repentance from sin to salvation.
- B. Repentance from <u>religion</u> to <u>relationship</u>.
- C. Repentance from <u>pleasing self</u> to <u>pleasing God</u>.
- D. Repentance from control to surrender.
- E. Repentance from organization to organic.
- F. Repentance from ownership to stewardship.