Repentance:
from unbelief to faith

What is repentance?

- Returning to our Original Design
- Upgrade in our thinking
- Change of mindset / worldview resulting in a change of behaviours / lifestyle
- Doing a U-turn with our lives
- Personal and societal change / transformation
- Return / turn to a person – Jesus
- Change your life because God's kingdom is here

The sin of the whole world is unbelief in me:

UNBELIEF:

Disconnection

Alienation

Exile

Absence

Power through coercion (military or ideology)

Self-protection

Pride

Defiance

Hierarchy / status

Lacks actual authority over sickness, disease, death

ROME

Matthew 8:5–13

The Faith of a Centurion

5 When he had entered Capernaum, a centurion came forward to him, appealing to him, **6** "Lord, my servant is lying paralyzed at home, suffering terribly." **7** And he said to him, "I will come and heal him." **8** But the centurion replied, "Lord, I am not worthy to have you come under my roof, but [l]only say the word, and my servant will be healed. **9** For I too am a man under authority, with soldiers under me. And I say to one, 'Go,' and he goes, and to another, 'Come,' and he comes, and to my servant, 'Do this,' and he does it." **10** When Jesus heard this, he marveled and said to those who followed him, "Truly, I tell you, with no one in Israelhave I found such faith. **11** I tell you, many will come from east and west and recline at table with Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob in the kingdom of heaven, **12** while the sons of the kingdom will be thrown into the outer darkness. In that place [r]there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth." **13** And to the centurion Jesus said, "Go; let it be done for you [s]as you have believed." [t]And the servant was healed at that very moment.

Through seeing Jesus, the centurion sees the world clearly: he sees through eyes of faith

FAITH

Connection

Intimacy

Home

Presence

Sharing power

Trusting in God / vulnerable

Humble

Surrender

Leadership serves

Carries actual authority over sickness, disease, death (states of descent / alienation)

KINGDOM OF GOD