FRESH START 3

Anyone, or any church, who is known to follow Christ can have a fresh start.

(2 Chronicles 7:12-14) "I have heard your prayer and have chosen this place for Myself as a temple of sacrifice. If I close the sky so there is no rain, or if I command the grasshopper to consume the land, or if I send pestilence on My people, and My people who are called by My name humble themselves, pray and seek My face, and turn from their evil ways, then I will hear from heaven, forgive their sin, and heal their land.

1. Let's Get Humble

- A. The opposite of humble is proud.
- B. Humble ourselves before God.
- C. Being humble before God strengthens our self image.

(Philippians 4:13) I am able to do all things through Him who strengthens me.

- D. Begin yielding to God in all things.
- E. Humility comes with maturity.

2. Let's Seek God

- A. We need God desperately.
- B. We live in an ocean of faces.
- C. Let's seek until we find God.

(Jeremiah 29:11-14) I know the plans I have for you... plans for your welfare, not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope. You will call to Me and come and pray to Me, and I will listen to you. You will seek Me and find Me when you search for Me with all your heart. I will be found by you...

3. Let's Turn Around

- A. Sin has a negative influence on our lives.
- B. There is a terrible sin epidemic ravaging out world.
- C. Take precautions not to get caught up in sin.
- D. Turn around and walk away from it.

4. Then Let's Pray

Come join me here at the alter and let's pray together.