2 Corinthians 5:20 *How to Eat a Sermon: The Entrée*

Title Slide

First Slide: Preaching is making clear God’s message on God’s behalf.

Second Slide: Making Clear

 Insert: *Didasko*

Insert: (same line) *=* Teaching

Replace with:

Jesus went out beside the lake. A large crowd came to him, and he began to *teach* them.

 Mark 2:13

Insert:

 Jesus went throughout Galilee, *teaching* in their synagogues, preaching the good news of the kingdom, and healing every disease and sickness among the people.

 Matthew 4:23

 Insert:

He went up on a mountainside and sat down. His disciples came to him and he began to *teach* them.

Matthew 5:1-2

 Replace all three scriptures with:

All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and *teaching* them to obey everything I have commanded you.

 Matthew 28:18-19

 Replace Scripture with:

**7**The Levites—Jeshua, Bani, Sherebiah, Jamin, Akkub, Shabbethai, Hodiah, Maaseiah, Kelita, Azariah, Jozabad, Hanan and Pelaiah—instructed the people in the Law while the people were standing there.**8**They read from the Book of the Law of God, making it clear and giving the meaning so that the people understood what was being read.

 Nehemiah 8:7-8

Third Slide: God’s Message

 Insert: *Euangelizo*

Insert: (same line): = Announcing the gospel

 Insert: Eu- = Good

 Insert: Angel = Message

 Replace all with:

For Christ did not send me to baptize, but to *preach the gospel*--not with words of human wisdom, lest the cross of Christ be emptied.

1 Corinthians 1:17

 Insert:

To be a minister of Christ Jesus to the Gentiles with the priestly duty of *proclaiming the gospel* of God.

 Romans 15:16

 Replace both scriptures with:

 I resolved to know nothing while I was with you except Jesus Christ and him crucified.

 1 Corinthians 2:2

Fourth Slide: On God’s behalf

 Insert: *Keryx*

Insert (on same line): = Herald

Replace with:

*preach* the Word; be prepared in season and out of season

 Timothy 4:2

Insert:

“Philip went down to a city in Samaria and *proclaimed* the Christ there.”

 Acts 8:5

 Replace both scriptures with:

"He who listens to you listens to me; he who rejects you rejects me; but he who rejects me rejects him who sent me”

Luke 10:16

 Insert:

20We are therefore Christ's ambassadors, as though God were making his appeal through us. We implore you on Christ's behalf: Be reconciled to God.

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