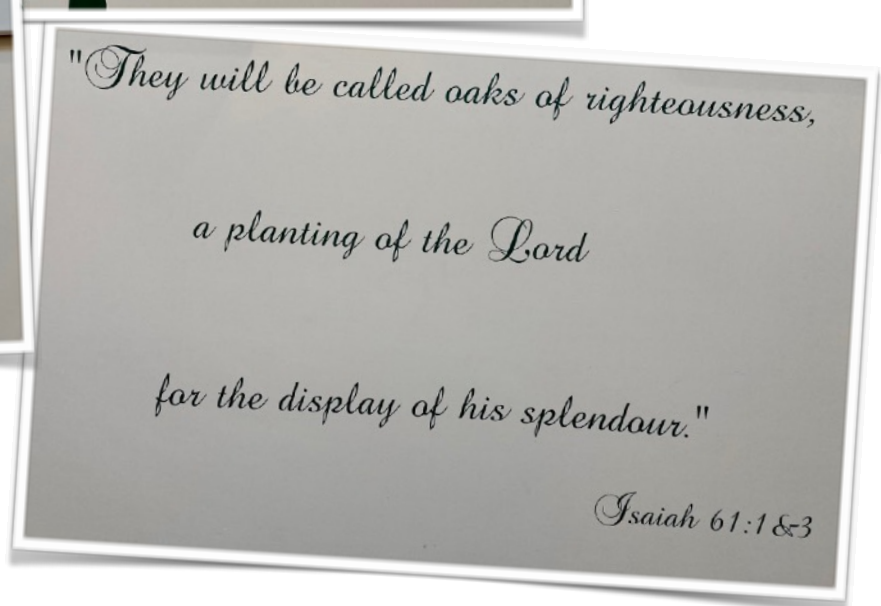
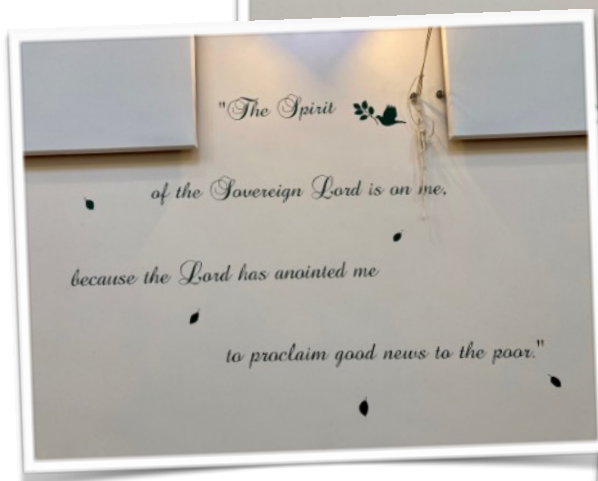


St Mary's Vision

Encountering God, Rooted in Christ,
Transforming Lives

Isaiah 61 Word and Spirit



But seek first his kingdom
and his righteousness, and all these
things will be given to you as well.

*"He has sent me
to bind up the broken-hearted,
to proclaim freedom for the captives...
to bestow on them a crown of beauty
instead of ashes."*



4 Areas of Focus

Prayer

Small Groups

Whole Church Hospitality

Outreach



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Isaiah 56:7

There will be joy in this 'house of prayer for all nations'
these I will bring to my holy mountain
and give them joy in my house of prayer.

Values of St Mary's

Jesus centred in everyone and in everything

Ministering to God, one another and the world

Holiness in thought, word and deed

Accountable to Leadership and one another

Reaching out to one another and to the world

Giving of our time, money and talents

Small Group belonging, supporting, growing

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Questions

What phrases or words stand out to you from Isaiah 61/Luke 4:16-21?

If our vision from Isaiah 61 is like the writing through the core of who we are, like a stick of rock... if we took a slice through each area of mission/ministry how is it written through with Isaiah 61 vision (Jesus-shaped)?

What difference could this vision make to your discipleship?

How could our vision and priorities shape our mission/ministry areas? And how they are led?

What could it look like for each of the 4 priority areas to receive focus this year in each mission/ministry area? Chat and pray about ideas.

Are there a couple of things you'd like to do as a result of this prayer and reflection?

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