

God has spoken to us:

- The Elders prayerfully seeking God;
- Prophetic words from Martin & Stephen;
- Collectively: Sunday evening times of prayer;
- Leadership Team time away (Jan20) inc Martin Allen.

SCF's Leadership Team:

Elders:

Ben Lees - Craig Wood - David Wort

Ministry Leaders:

Andrea Lowndes - James Cook -

Mandy Flanagan - Sally Murcutt - Sue Wood



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GOD'S WORD

Developing Strong
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of Jesus

A PERSONAL
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IN EVANGELISM



People will
know SCF &
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to share The
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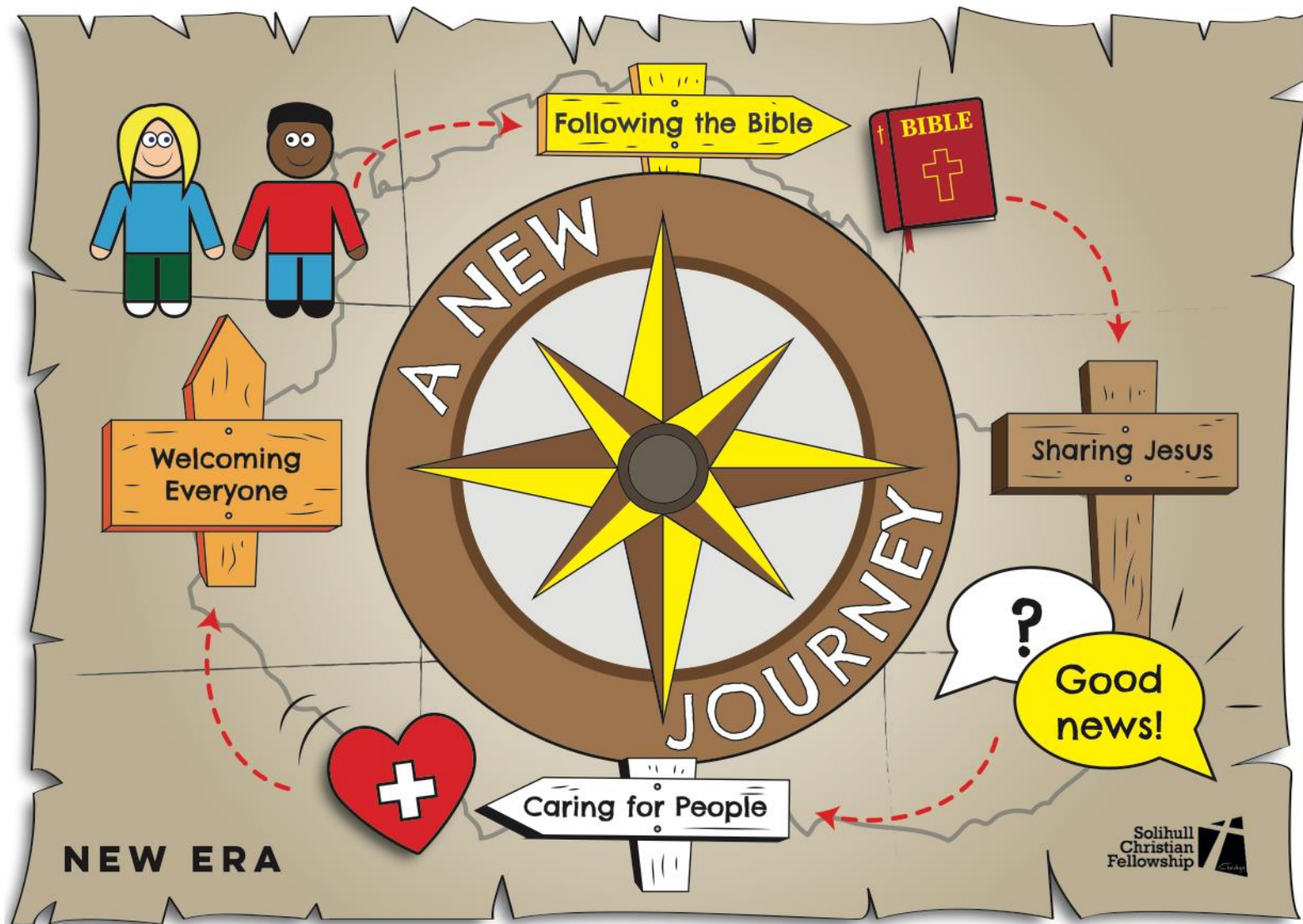


People see
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transforming lives

**"I SENSE PROPHETICALLY
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BUT A NEW ERA."**

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Two pictures from Martin:



The Two Path's



The Focused Torch Beam

Seeking God together:

“During the extended time of worship, I saw, over quite a prolonged period of time, a vivid picture of a mountain, with a person (of intention and real purpose) steadily walking up. The mountaineer was extremely well prepared, with 'vital' supplies of food, clothing, drink etc all carefully measured and organised. This person was determined to get to the top and had planned his ascent carefully. As the person climbed higher and higher, they realised that their back pack of 'provisions' was starting to slow them down and was in fact holding them back. It had become too heavy to continue carrying. So, they kept their eyes on where they were headed, to the mountain top and listened to the (inner) voice of their Father. The mountaineer was able to put down and leave behind things that seemed so 'essential' in the planning and climb on without them. Each step taken in faith ...trusting that God would supply every need....and lead him to the top.”

“God is walking a path and He is inviting us to join Him. It is His journey. He is Lord, guide, provider and protector. We are following Him to the destination of His choosing.”

“We are not calling upon God to support us on a journey of our choosing. We are not calling upon God to help us overcome challenges of our choosing.”

“As we set out on our journey there will be an ongoing need to reinforce the Lordship of Jesus in our lives, continually reminding us that we can trust God. An important element will be an on-going partnership with the Holy Spirit, learning to listen to and respond to Him, which is further strengthened by raising up the place of God’s Word in our lives. All of this is to be continually immersed in God’s love for us and our love towards people. The heart from which we respond will be a key mark of the character and nature of SCF in the New Era.”

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“We should not expect it to be neat and tidy and ordered – our culture and attitude will be challenged. It will be uncomfortable”

“Don’t wait to be equipped or to be ‘good enough’. Step out now, open your doors, bring down your walls and beckon them to come in.”

“For us as individuals God wants those things, he has done on the inside to be widely declared on the outside so people will know the fruit of knowing him. This will be a humbling and vulnerable thing to do, but in the vulnerability, people will come to know God.”

The New Era: Essentials:

- Greater numbers of people becoming disciples
- God has impressed upon us destinations of travel (Vision Wheel)
- We need to choose to take the journey and trust Him - it's His journey - we're walking with Him
- The journey is as important as the destination

Why travel:

- God has spoken and we must respond

1 Corinthians 6:19 – 20 “...*you are not your own, you were bought at a price...*”

- Jesus is Lord – speaks of a life fully committed to Him.
An ongoing willingness to lay down our own agendas.

How we travel:

- Choosing to trust in God – placing our hand in his and walking with him
- Nursing the Fire - Partnering with The Holy Spirit
- Remaining true to the authority of God's Word
- Our relationships with one another - SCF's special call to be family

What to expect

“I saw the church and the unchurched seated around a round table. Both were tasting the goodness of God”

- One round table;
- Seated with Christ - experiencing God's goodness;
 - Long established disciples;
 - New disciples;
 - Honoured guests.

Next steps

- Ministry Team Leaders: developing detailed plans for every area: every team member will clearly know how to play their part;
- Martin Allen: will continue to provide apostolic oversight to ensure we remain on the path;
- Impact Week + : Jonathan Conrathe will continue to walk with us, to encourage & to equip us in reaching out;
- We all need to commit our lives afresh & be good followers of His call.



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