

# Sermon Discussion Guide October 3, 2021

# The Great Exchange

## Gather



... with your family

... with friends or your 3G Group on a Phone Conference or video call (eg. Zoom, Hangouts, House Party, FaceBook Watch Party)

#### **Grow**



Processing today's message...

- Aha! What did you learn? What challenged you?
- **Uh-oh!** What concerns did it raise?
- **Hmmm!** What do you need to think about some more?

## Dig a little deeper...

- 1. How are you doing right now really? What adjective would you use to describe how you are doing?
- 2. Read Isaiah 61:1-3. What stands out to you from this text today? What are the 3 layers of this prophesy from Isaiah and why does it matter?
- 3. What is the Great Exchange that God wants to do in our lives? Why does he want to do this what is behind this great exchange?
- 4. Of the 4 ways to practically Experience the Great Exchange which one speaks most personally to you and why?
- 5. What is the Holy Spirit leading you to do with this?

# Go - How can you BLESS your neighbor this week?



- Begin with Prayer
- Listen
- Eat
- Serve
- Share Your Story

## 61

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Isaiah 61:1-3

#### 3 Layers Of The Book of Isaiah:

- Layer 1: What this text meant for the people of Isaiah's day.
- Layer 2: What this text meant for <u>Jesus'</u> ministry.
- > Layer 3: What this text means for us today.

## The Great Exchange

<u>Jesus</u> <u>Sin, Satan, Life</u>

Good News Poor

Heal Brokenhearted

Freedom and Release Captive and Enslaved (Darkness)
Comfort and Provide Mourning and Grieving

Oil of Joy Ashes

A Garment of Praise Spirit of Despair

They will be called oaks of righteousness, a planting of the Lord for the display of his splendor. (v. 3)

#### 5 Scriptures that will Change your Life...

- 1) God <u>Loves</u> You.
- 2) Problem Sin messed up everything.
- 3) Solution Jesus
- 4) Respond in Faith.
- 5) Follow Jesus- in his work of <u>redeeming</u> and restoring everything, and bringing his <u>kingdom</u> to earth.

#### 4 Words to Practically Experience the Great Exchange

1. Be Honest - Tell God What you are feeling.

(1 Peter 5:7 NJT)

2. Be <u>Humble</u> - Humbly Ask God for what you need.

(Matthew 7:7)

3. Be Grateful – Thank God for all that's good despite the bad.

(1 Thessalonians 5:18)

4. Humbly ask for Help/Prayer.

(James 5:16 NLT)