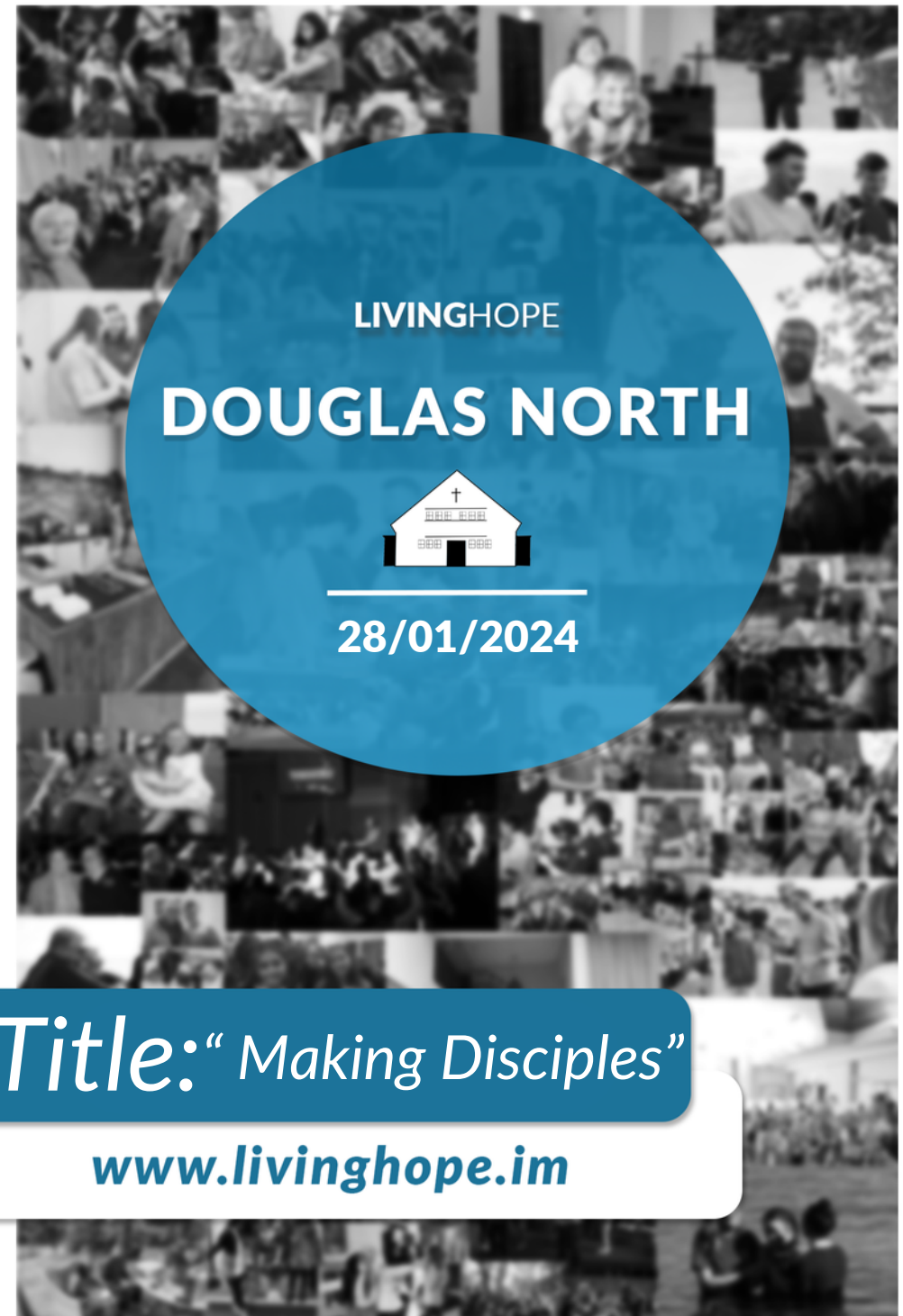


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Making Disciples Heart condition

A cold heart

3 And he told them many things in parables, saying: “A sower went out to sow. 4 And as he sowed, some seeds fell along the path, and the birds came and devoured them...

19 When anyone hears the word of the kingdom and does not understand it, the evil one comes and snatches away what has been sown in his heart. This is what was sown along the path. Matthew 13: 3-4 and 19

Jesus said to him, ‘If you want to be perfect, go, sell what you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow Me.’ But when the young man heard that saying, he went away sorrowful, for he had great possessions.” Matthew 19:21-22

A congenital heart condition.

“Other seeds fell on rocky ground, where they did not have much soil, and immediately they sprang up, since they had no depth of soil, 6 but when the sun rose they were scorched. And since they had no root, they withered away”.

“As for what was sown on rocky ground, this is the one who hears the word and immediately receives it with joy, 21 yet he has no root in himself, but endures for a while, and when tribulation or persecution arises on account of the word, immediately he falls away”. Matthew 13: 5-6 and 20

because, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved.

Romans 10:9

Coronary heart disease

“ Other seeds fell among thorns, and the thorns grew up and choked them”.

“ As for what was sown among thorns, this is the one who hears the word, but the cares of the world and the deceitfulness of riches choke the word, and it proves unfruitful”. Matthew 13:7 and 22

Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us Hebrews 12:1

A healthy heart

“Other seeds fell on good soil and produced grain, some a hundredfold, some sixty, some thirty”.

“As for what was sown on good soil, this is the one who hears the word and understands it. He indeed bears fruit and yields, in one case a hundredfold, in another sixty, and in another thirty.” Matthew 13:8 and 23

“And he said to them, “The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few. Therefore, pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest”. Luke 10:2

Life Group Questions

- 1) How does the bible define the heart?
- 2) This talk looks at four stages of making disciples, discuss each stage through the parable and its explanation by Jesus in Matthew 13. Which stage would you say you are currently in and how can we move forward?
- 3) The healthy heart is a heart that reproduces and produces a great harvest, in what way could we see a greater harvest in the life of our church.
- 4) What one step can I make today to make disciples of those who have not yet received a healthy heart?