

To Boldly Go

Joshua 1:3 / Mark 2:22

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To fully inherit the prophetic promises that God has for us individually and as a church we must be ready to let go of the 'old mould' and passionately pursue Him with our whole hearts.

Group Questions

Back in 2008, the Lord gave Peter Vincent a prophetic promise. This promise was: "I want to use you to break the mould of what's expected and do something disproportionate for a UK town."

As a declaration of agreement with this promise and a faithful embracing of God's call upon us, Peter symbolically smashed a heart shaped bowl with a hammer in front of the gathered church on Sunday morning.

Everyone was also given a small plastic bag representing the 'wineskin' of the past, which has defined us thus far. Together we made the following prayer declaration and then destroyed the plastic bags to symbolise our hunger for the new things of God...

"Lord, I choose today to discard the wineskin that has defined the past and to embrace your new wineskin for my life and for Your church. I welcome the new things that You will bring because I trust Your good nature. You're your way! I declare that I am fully Yours! Let Your Kingdom come! Amen!"

1. Can you identify something of what that 'old wineskin' has looked like for you?
2. What is your attitude towards change in general? Why do you think this is?
3. As God's Kingdom increases amongst us at CCBS, what specific evidence of His presence are you praying for and looking for?