

Today!

Sunday November 30, 2008

Luke 4:14-21

The List

- **Leaders** – Fair, Righteous, Truth
- **Oppression** – Freedom, Overthrow Tyrants
- **Poverty** – Food, Prosperity, Independence
- **War** – Peace, Reroute Resources
- **Sickness and Death** – Healing, Resurrection
- **Harm and Fear** – Safe and Secure
- **Knowledge of God** – Like Waters Cover the Sea
- **Corruption of Earth** – New Heaven and Earth

Jesus Mighty Works

Healing, Raising Dead, Feeding, Casting Out Demons, Nature

Jesus Teaching

The Kingdom, The Father
True Greatness, Serving, Loving
Forgiving, Turning other Cheek, Going Extra Mile

The Cross

Picture of God Forever Changed
Picture of the Best Leader Forever Changed
Power of Evil Broken
A New Assurance Results

The Resurrection

First Fruit of the Resurrection of the Dead
The New Creation Has Begun

This is It!

- **Already** – This is What Jesus Started
- **Not Yet** – This is What is Coming
- **Mission** – This is Our Task in the World
- **Prayer** – This is What We are Asking For

Take it Home!

Read Luke 4:14-21 together.

Consider 'the List' again this week - a list of what happens when the right king reigns. In what ways did Jesus do these very things?

With the stories of Jesus in mind think through the items on this list again ...

- in terms of International Affairs, or Politics
- in terms of Church Life
- in terms of Family Relationships
- in terms of Personal Relationships

What would each item look like in these different settings?

Jesus started something when He came, and this list describes some of what He started. How can we continue what He began? What can only be accomplished when He returns?

What next steps can you take now?

Take It Home - Take this home and use these questions to think about the ideas shared today. It is even better if you can use these questions in a conversation with someone else.