FAMILY RESOURCES

SCROLLS

THE GOSPEL READING FOR THIS WEEK IS: Synagogue at Nazareth (Luke 4: 14-21)

This week's theme is "Scrolls"

Core extract from the Gospel (Luke 4: 16-18; for reflection throughout the week)

When Jesus came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, he went to the synagogue on the sabbath day, as was his custom.

He stood up to read, and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written: 'The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor.'

Gospel prayer (for use throughout the week)

Lord God, you speak with your people through the words of scripture. Help us to hear your word, and to heed your voice; today and always. Amen.



Things to think about

- Have you ever had to read aloud to an audience or congregation? How did you feel? Would you do it again?
- Jesus read good news from a scroll, what other ways can you think of that share written good news?

Things to do

- Why not sort out your book collection? There may be some books you no longer read, perhaps they could be donated to local charities.
- Make a set of model books to represent Old and New Testament books.
- paper scrolls

You will need: cardboard tubes, plain paper, glue, scissors, writing equipment, ribbon





Cut a length of paper that is slightly narrower than the cardboard tubes.

Stick the ends of the paper to the tubes.





Write a Bible text on the paper. We have used one from today's Gospel extract.

Roll the ends in towards each other and tie with a ribbon.

If you want to make your scroll look old, you could paint it with cold tea or coffee and perhaps scrunch it up a little after writing your text.

Why not share your creations with us? We would love to see what you have been up to! Please email any photos to education@liverpoolcathedral.org.uk or tag @LivCathedral on social media.

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