



The Public Ministry of Jesus

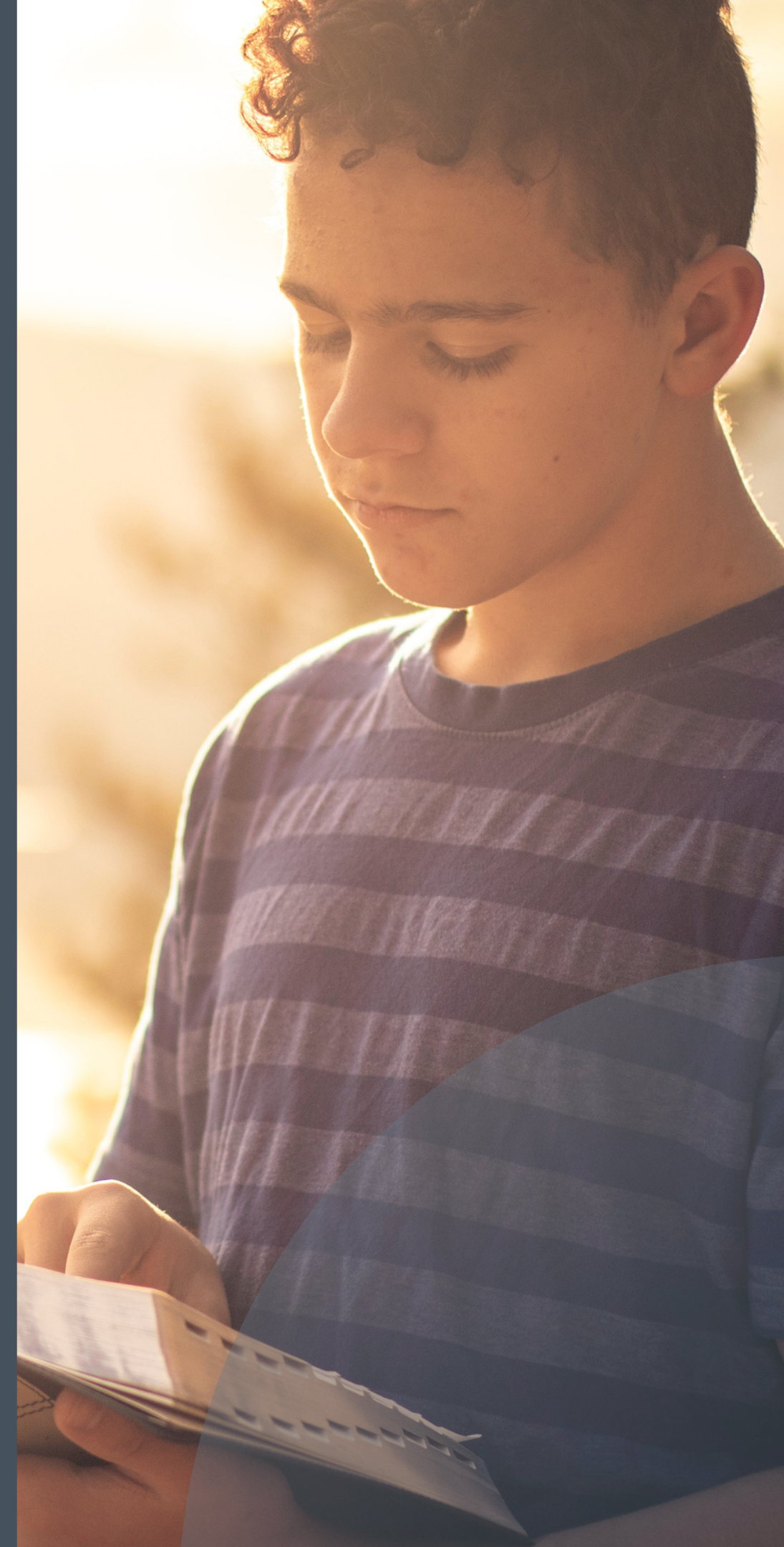
Matthew 4:12-17

Jesus Begins to Preach

12 When Jesus heard that John had been put in prison, he withdrew to Galilee.

13 Leaving Nazareth, he went and lived in Capernaum, which was by the lake in the area of Zebulun and Naphtali—

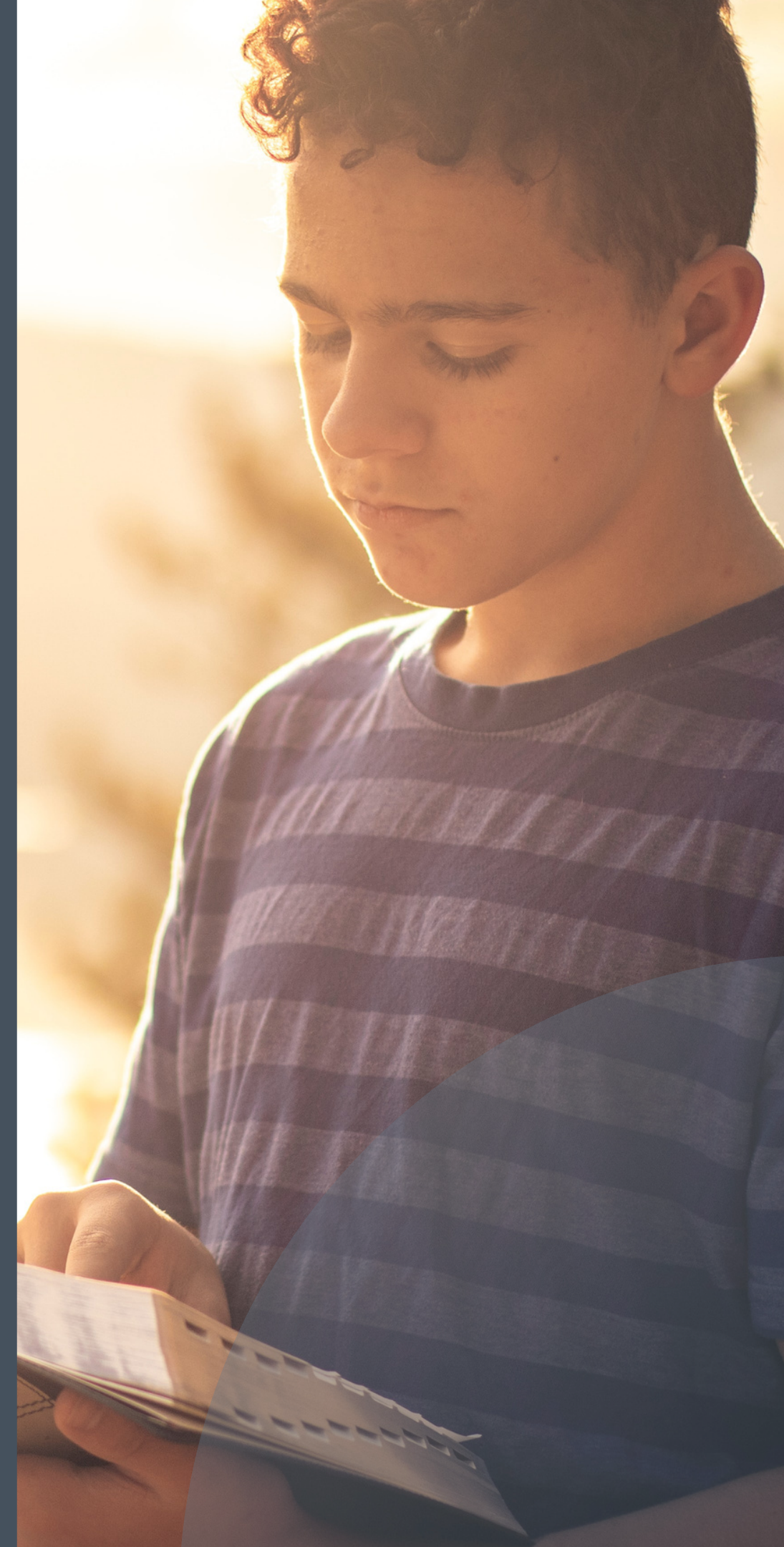
14 to fulfill what was said through the prophet Isaiah:



15 "Land of Zebulun and land of Naphtali,
the Way of the Sea, beyond the Jordan,
Galilee of the Gentiles—

16 the people living in darkness have seen
a great light; on those living in the land of
the shadow of death a light has dawned."

17 From that time on Jesus began to
preach, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven
has come near."



Matthew 4:23-25

Jesus Heals the Sick

23 Jesus went throughout Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and healing every disease and sickness among the people.

24 News about him spread all over Syria, and people brought to him all who were ill with various diseases, those suffering severe pain, the demon-possessed, those having seizures, and the paralyzed; and he healed them.

25 Large crowds from Galilee, the Decapolis, Jerusalem, Judea and the region across the Jordan followed him.



The ministry of
Jesus Christ did
not launch until He
was baptised



Matthew 3:13-17

16 As soon as Jesus was baptized, he went up out of the water. At that moment heaven was opened, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and alighting on him.

17 And a voice from heaven said, "This is my Son, whom I love; with him I am well pleased."

Even Jesus needed
the ANOINTING of
the HOLY SPIRIT



3-year Ministry

- Under the anointing
- Devoted to the Father's will
- A life that was not self-serving
- Purpose driven



THE PUBLIC MINISTRY OF JESUS

Preaching

Teaching

Healing



REPENTANCE
THE GOOD
NEWS
KINGDOM OF
GOD

was what Jesus
PREACHED



Matthew 10:6-7

6 Go rather to the lost sheep of Israel. 7 As you go, proclaim this message: 'The kingdom of heaven has come near.'

Matthew 11:5

5 The blind receive sight, the lame walk, those who have leprosy are cleansed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised, and the good news is proclaimed to the poor.



THE GREAT LIGHT

When people feel like death is looming, the Gospel that we preach should always bring the light that stirs hope and life

Are you
prepared to be
controversial?

Jesus never
turned away

ANYONE



KINGDOM
LIFESTYLE
KINGDOM
MINDSET

was what Jesus
TAUGHT



Jesus taught...

- How we should live
(dependence on God)
- Us about our inheritance and blessing
- How to die to self
- Endurance with the assurance of a great reward
- Us WHO we are IN HIM

Jesus taught...

- Teaches us how to pray
- The keys to a joyful and peaceful life
- He teaches us to do God's will
- How to build our lives wisely

JESUS HAD A PERFECT TRACK RECORD

His ministry was to
heal the sick



What can't He do?



He healed:

- Peter's mother in law who had a fever (with His word)
- Drove out spirits
- Healed the demon possessed

What can't He do?



He healed:

- Paralytic man took his mat & went home walking
- The woman who bled for 12 years (by touching His cloak)
- That same woman's daughter was raised from the dead

What can't He do?



He healed:

- The blind can see
- The mute can speak
- The lame can walk
- Leprosy cured
- The deaf can hear

The MANDATE is to GO

- Preach the gospel (Mark 16:15)
- Make disciples (Matthew 28:19)
- Baptise them (Matthew 28:19)
- Teach them (Matthew 28:20)



Matthew 9:37-38

37 Then he said to his disciples,
“The harvest is plentiful but the
workers are few. 38 Ask the Lord of
the harvest, therefore, to send out
workers into his harvest field.”

The promise - John 14:12-16

12 Very truly I tell you, whoever believes in me will do the works I have been doing, and they will do even greater things than these, because I am going to the Father. 13 And I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. 14 You may ask me for anything in my name, and I will do it.

The promise - John 14:12-16

15 "If you love me, keep my commands. 16 And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another advocate to help you and be with you forever.

As a disciple
and servant of
Jesus,
we must be
aware of the
public.



Called to have the
same mind/sets as
Christ Jesus

PHILIPPIANS 2:1-18



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