**TO PROCLAIM FREEDOM FOR THE PRISONERS**

Luke 4:14-30

Key Verse 4:18b “He has sent me to proclaim freedom for the prisoners and recovery of sight for the blind, to release the oppressed.”

1. Where and how did begin his ministry? (14-17)

2. How does the prophecy of Isaiah 61:1-2 summarize the Messiah’s work? (18-19) What does this prophecy show about people’s desperate situations?

3. What is good news? (18a) How are people imprisoned and how does Jesus free us? (18b)

4. How are people blind? How are people oppressed? What is the year of the Lord’s favor? (19)

5. Why couldn’t the hometown people accept Jesus’ declaration that he is the Messiah? (21-22)

6. Why did Jesus bring up the examples of Elijah and Elisha? (24-30) How did the hometown people respond instead of repenting?