

What do you think God will deliver this Christmas?

Think! I can't even remember what day it is let alone the month. Despite my muddle I have not forgotten the story which I have heard for decades. But I do seem to have mislaid my usual Christmas preparations. Buying Advent calendars. Writing many lists. Christmas cards. Gifts. Food. Sorting decorations.



What's new is the family discussions. Shall we or even should we have our usual Christmas get together?

I need to shake myself out of this and reawaken my motivation. Strong cuppa beside me. Here goes.

Unfolding God's plan. A message for all ages. A message for the whole world.

The giving of hope that brings meaning to life.



Time to lean on God and search for clues.

God opens the door for us to see life starts with an open canvas.

Each step is a piece of the puzzle. Colours denote different experiences. Certain colours depict significant people.

When we focus on what is in front of us, we can see how far we have come.

Our reflections on our experiences and people can transform our development into something beautiful.



Today is the invite to take time out. Ponder on the ways God is helping you create your image that belongs to Him. Let God speak to you as you catch glimpses of His grace.

God will deliver us into a journey to be together. To rediscover His love will shape the breath of life. That each precious thread opens the door of possibilities. Each experience crafts us into a work of art that mirrors Christ.

*And remember, I am with you
always, to the very end of
age.*

[Matthew 28:20]



We pray

Circle our lives with your love. Protect us and shelter us in the darkness. Create in us a desire to listen and a willingness to respond.

We ask you be St Mary's light through 2021. A light that leads us to reach out and circle each other with hope.

Amen