A wide-angle photograph of a desert landscape at sunset. A winding stream flows through the center of the frame, reflecting the warm orange and yellow light of the setting sun. The stream is surrounded by dark, rocky terrain with sparse, low-lying vegetation. In the background, there are rolling hills and mountains under a sky that transitions from a deep purple at the top to a bright orange near the horizon. The overall mood is serene and contemplative.

Forget the former things: do not dwell on the past.
See, I am doing a new thing!
...I am making a way in the desert and
streams in the wasteland.

Isaiah 43:18-19



REDUCE
REUSE
RECYCLE

IMPROVE
SELF

ENJOY
LIFE
MORE

GET
FIT

MANAGE
DEBT

NEW
YEAR
GOALS

MORE
FAMILY
TIME


QUIT
SMOKING

HELP
OTHERS

LOSE
WEIGHT


GET
A BETTER
JOB

SAVE
MONEY

A wide-angle photograph of a desert landscape at sunset. A winding stream flows through the center of the frame, reflecting the warm orange and yellow light of the setting sun. The stream is surrounded by rocky, sparsely vegetated terrain. In the background, there are low mountains and hills under a sky transitioning from purple to orange. The overall mood is serene and hopeful.

Forget the former things: do not dwell on the past.
See, I am doing a new thing!
...I am making a way in the desert and
streams in the wasteland.


Isaiah 43:18-19

A wide-angle photograph of a desert landscape at sunset. The sky is a mix of purple, pink, and orange. In the foreground, a stream flows through a rocky, arid terrain. The stream is filled with water, reflecting the colors of the sky. The surrounding landscape is dry and rocky, with some sparse, low-lying vegetation. In the distance, there are low mountains or hills under the sunset sky.

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See, I am doing a new thing!
...I am making a way in the desert and
streams in the wasteland.

Isaiah 43:18-19


1. What was the new thing?

A desert landscape at sunset. The sky is a mix of purple, orange, and blue. A winding stream flows through the center of the frame, reflecting the sunset colors. The terrain is rocky and sparsely vegetated with small green shrubs. In the background, there are low mountains under the twilight sky.

Forget the former things; do not dwell on the past.
See, I am doing a new thing!
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streams in the wasteland.

Isaiah 43:18-19


- 1. What was the new thing?**
- 2. What about our church?**

A desert landscape at sunset. The sky is a mix of purple, orange, and blue. A stream flows through a valley, reflecting the light. The terrain is rocky and sparsely vegetated. In the background, there are mountains under the sunset sky.

Forget the former things; do not dwell on the past.
See, I am doing a new thing!
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Isaiah 43:18-19

- 1. What was the new thing?**
- 2. What about our church?**
- 3. What about ourselves?**



I am no longer my own but yours.
Put me to what you will,
rank me with whom you will;
put me to doing, put me to suffering;
let me be employed for you or laid aside for you,
exalted for you or brought low for you.
Let me be full, let me be empty,
let me have all things, let me have nothing.
I freely and wholeheartedly yield all things
to your pleasure and disposal.

**And now, glorious and blessed God,
Father, Son and Holy Spirit,
you are mine and I am yours.**

Adapted from Methodist Covenant Prayer

