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Guler, Alex, Adam, Christie and (front) Sophie with some of the artwork that will be on display at *The Garden of My Mind*, Prahran Mission's 29th Annual Art Exhibition.

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Inspiration finds fertile ground

IN The Garden of My Mind is the theme of Prahran Missions 29th Annual Art Exhibition.

The exhibition showcases the work of people who have experienced mental illness and embraced art as a central component of their recovery.

Prahran Mission commu-

nity relations general manager Erica Myers-Davis said the exhibition, being held at Chapel off Chapel, included about 180 works from paintings, drawings, mosaics, sculptures and water colours to jewellery, pottery and ceramics.

"It's a celebration of people's recovery," Ms

Myers-Davis said. "It's a joyful expression of being able to put some of those worries to one side."

She said many of the artworks would also be available for sale.

The exhibition is open daily until October 29 at Chapel off Chapel, 12 Little Chapel St, Prahran.