

SERMON NOTES

THE BEATITUDES OF A CHRISTIAN

And seeing the multitudes, He went up on a mountain, and when He was seated His disciples came to Him. Then He opened His mouth and taught them, saying. (Matthew 5:1-2)

Matthew 3:1-3; Matthew 4:17,23

Blessed are the pure in _____

And the tax collector, standing afar off, would not so much as raise his eyes to heaven, but beat his breast, saying, 'God, be merciful to me a sinner!' (Luke 18:13)

Blessed are those who _____

Mourning over sin

The price for sin was paid – *Revelation 1:5*

Guilt is personal – *Psalm 51:3-4*

Blessed are the _____ (gentle)

Meekness is understanding our relationship with God and need for Him – *Luke 17:10*

Poor in spirit is humility – *Philippians 3:7*

Blessed are those who _____ and _____ for righteousness

Being poor in spirit, mourning sin, learning meekness; we hunger and thirst for righteousness *Psalm 42:1-2*

Blessed are the _____

With hunger and thirst I learn of God's mercy

The Samaritan – *Luke 10*

Jesus on the cross – *Luke 23:34*

Stephen – *Acts 7:60*

Blessed are the _____ in heart

Purity of heart is a heart without the motive of selfish interest – I no longer live

I have the mind of Christ – *Philippians 2:1-5*

Blessed are the _____

The qualities of a Christian change me to be a maker of peace – *Romans 12:18-21*

I accept the challenge – *2 Timothy 3:12*

I rejoice – *Matthew 5:10-11*

The poor in spirit _____ the kingdom of God
Those who mourn will be comforted
Learning to be _____ I inherit the earth
My hunger and thirst is quenched in God's word
God bestows His _____ as I show mercy
Purity of heart helps me see God for who He is
I am a peacemaker and called a _____ of God
Persecution will not destroy me but increase my faith



*Therefore whoever hears these sayings of Mine, and does them, I will liken him to a wise man who built his house on the rock: and the rain descended, the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house; and it did not fall, for it was founded on the rock. But everyone who hears these sayings of Mine, and does not do them, will be like a foolish man who built his house on the sand: and the rain descended, the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house; and it fell. And great was its fall.
(Matthew 7:24-27)*