

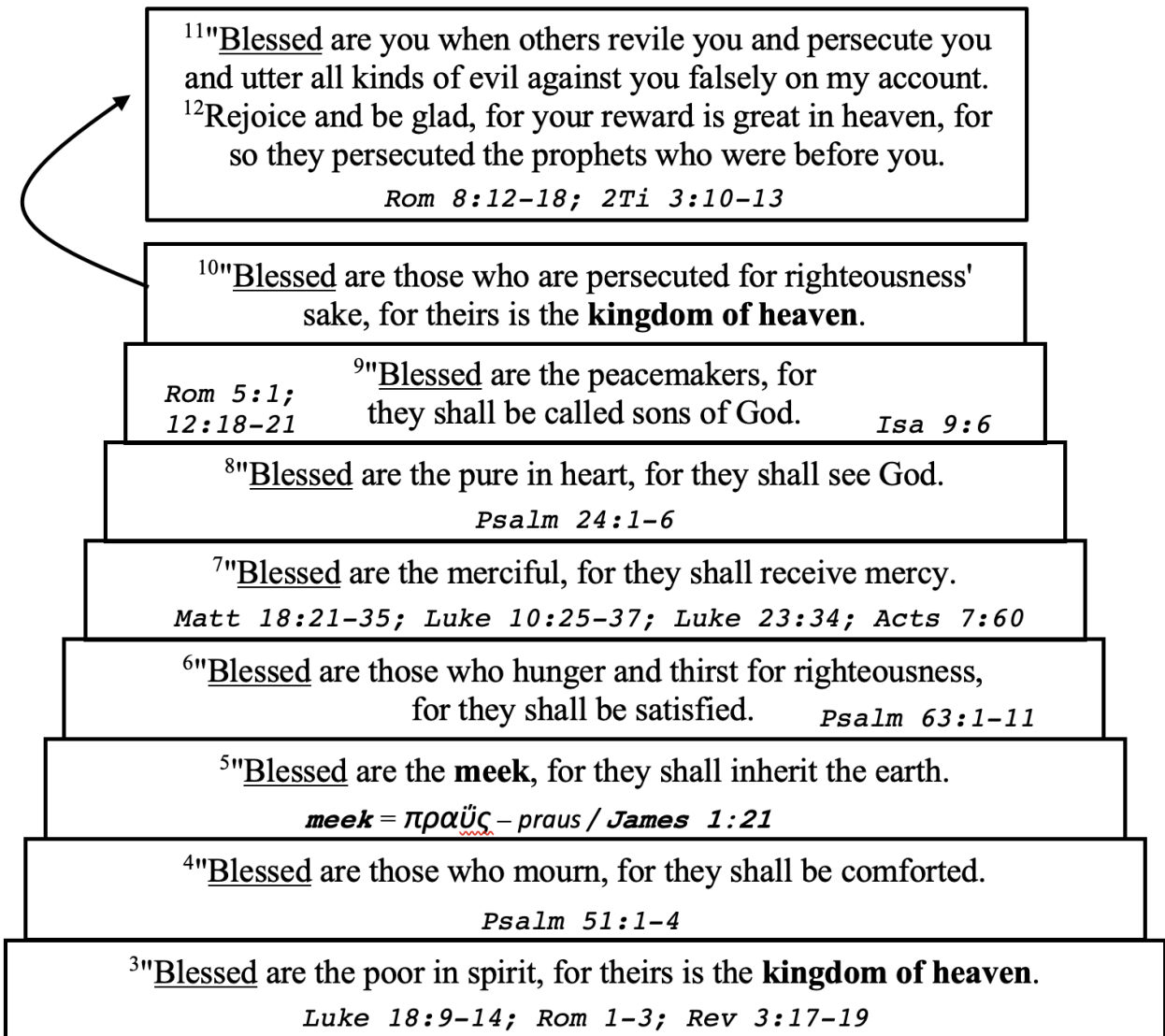
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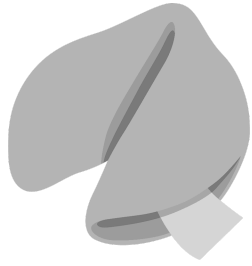
Sermons from the Sermon: Lesson 1 A Stairway to Righteousness (Matthew 5:3-12)

This morning we begin a new series of lessons from the “Sermon on the Mount” recorded in Matthew 5 through 7. We will start by looking at a section we call “The Beatitudes.”

The Beatitudes



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Growing up, most of the sermons and lessons that I heard about the Beatitudes presented them as simply a series of nice sayings from Jesus, as if each was like something you might pull from a fortune cookie. However, my sincere belief is that they represent much more, and that Jesus actually intended that each one build on the

previous to paint a word picture of a type of stairway to righteousness. With this in mind, consider the following questions that are answered by the Beatitudes:

What are the characteristics of:

- The _____ in God’s Kingdom?
- Those who exhibit genuine _____?

For those who are seeking to be subjects in God’s Kingdom and are seeking to be found righteous before God, the Beatitudes can be viewed like a grading scale to evaluate our level of maturity in Christ.

PRAYER LIST

- **Doug Demonbreun** is in Skyline hospital (room 713) with an infection in his leg
- **Lowell Gregory** is in Centennial hospital with GI problems, hoping to avoid surgery
- **Dale Garrett**, Donnie’s father, passed away Wednesday afternoon.
- **Jason Floding**, a friend of the Bakers, is in covid ICU in ohio
- Continue to remember **Kristine Garrett, Faye Waller** and **Ann Reed**

SERVING TODAY (October 17, 2021)

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Read: F. Brown
Prayer: E. Walker

WORSHIP

Read: J. Gupton
Wait On Table: J. Baker
Serve: S. Shatto,
D. Demonbreun
Prayer: D. Billingsley



“Our soul waits for the Lord; He is our help and our shield. For our Heart shall rejoice in Him, because we have trusted in His holy name.”

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Upcoming Events

- On October 27 we will have our annual Trunk or Treat after service.
- On October 31 we will have a fellowship meal after the morning service, and then meet again at 1:00

