

INSPIRING WORSHIP ALL WEEK

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| K E Y | <p>“When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying: “Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.”</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Matthew 5:1-4</p> |
| R E A D I N G S | <p>Preparing for Sunday, October 25th</p> <p>Day 1 – Revelation 7:9-17</p> <p>Day 2 - Psalm 34:1-10, 22</p> <p>Day 3 - 1 John 3:1-3</p> <p>Day 4 - Matthew 5:1-12</p> <p>Day 5 - Jeremiah 17:7-8</p> <p>Day 6 – John 1:16</p> <p style="text-align: right;">*Sunday readings in bold.</p> |
| A P P L Y | <p>When do you consider yourself blessed? More often when life is going along perfectly and everything seems its place, right? Probably not so much when we’ve messed up or things just seem to be falling apart? The “blessed are...” verses or “The Beautitudes,” Jesus shares in this week’s Gospel from Matthew tell a very different story. That God’s blessings are still there, in each and every moment, no matter what or no matter where. God’s goodness, mercy and grace show up for all people in the midst of their highest of highs, lowest of lows and everything in between. Never forget how truly blessed we are! Think of a time in your life when something didn’t seem like such a blessing, but ended up being one?</p> |
| P R A Y E R | <p>Dear God-</p> <p>Help us to remember to count the many blessings in our lives. May the ways we love and serve you, be a measure of thanks for the life that you have given us and the grace you continue to show us. And, when we meet those who think they fall short, guide our hearts and hands to communicate just how deep and wide your love really is. Amen.</p> |

Devotions written by Trinity members