

# The Beatitudes



Luke 6:17-26



Epiphany 6

Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Jesus invites us to be a blessing to others!**

## THE BIG BLESSING QUESTION

Who is blessed?  
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People are blessed.  
The hopeless are blessed.  
The sad are blessed.  
The poor are blessed.  
God's followers are blessed.  
The kind are blessed.  
The peacemakers are blessed.  
The hurt are blessed.  
**WE ARE BLESSED!**



Today's story, The Beatitudes, is from the Gospel of **Luke**. Luke is the third book in the **New** Testament. Find it after the book **Mark** and before the book **John**.

# Unexpected Blessing

Who are some of your blessing people? Who are some of your unexpected blessing people? Write about and draw about people who bless you.



blesses me

because \_\_\_\_\_.



is an unexpected

blessing because \_\_\_\_\_.

TRY IT!

# Blessing Hunt

**Beatitudes** is a fancy word for **blessing**. Our story today is full of blessings. Search for nine words from our story today. Circle each word in the big letter "B" for **blessing**.

- SAD
- HOPELESS
- PEACE
- RIGHT
- JESUS
- GOD
- KINDNESS
- BLESSED
- HURT

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**Faith on the Go!**

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# Blessed are the Peacemakers!

Jesus said, "People who make peace are blessed."  
We have many different symbols for peace.



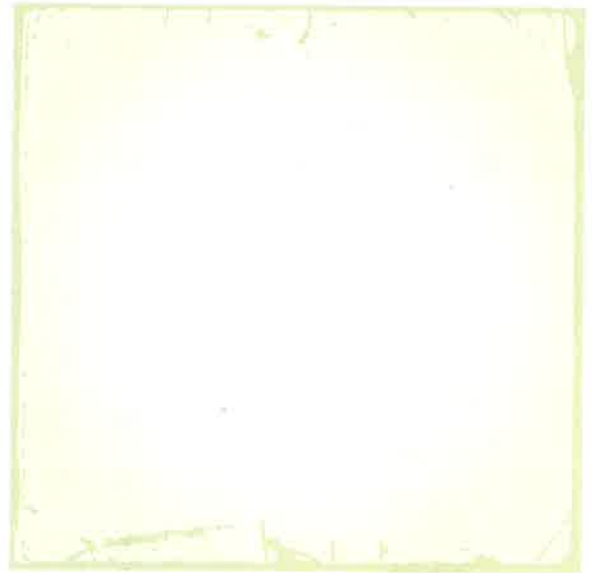
The peace sign was created by British artist Gerald Holtom. He designed this symbol because many people were against using weapons to keep the peace.



Holding up two fingers in a "V" has long been used to show peace. During the Vietnam War in the 1960s, people used this peace sign to show they wanted the war to end.



A dove with an olive branch was a sign from God to Noah. The dove showed Noah that the flood waters had gone away and the flood water would no longer destroy the land.



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To: \_\_\_\_\_ From: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**I want to:**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Tell you about God's blessings.                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Invite you to church. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Show you the ASL sign for "blessing."              | <input type="checkbox"/> Give you a big hug.   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Invite you to read today's story with me.          | <input type="checkbox"/> Say "I'm sorry."      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Praise God together with a big "hurrah!"           | <input type="checkbox"/> Pray for you.         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bless each person in our family with an eye blink. | <input type="checkbox"/> My own idea: _____    |