

The Blessed Life The Surprising Road to Blessing

The Beatitudes are declarations of blessing.

Righteousness includes both individual morality and social justice.

The merciful offer forgiveness to the guilty and compassion toward people in need.

To be Pure in Heart is to be motivated solely by a desire to please God.

Peacemakers actively promote peace.

Key Passages: Matthew 5:1-12, Luke 6:20-26