"Feasting On Righteousness" Matthew 5:6 October 16, 2022

"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness for they will be filled."

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Next Steps For Next Week:

Matthew 5:1-12 - This section is typically referred to as "The Beatitudes." It is the introduction of the larger passage known as "The Sermon on the Mount." (Matthew 5-7) In this sermon, Jesus defines the values of the Kingdom of Heaven. What are some of these values that fly in the face of our common "western" values?

Matthew 5:6 - Why does this phrase seem like such a huge paradox in our culture? Have you ever been really hungry or really thirsty? What did you do to satisfy your hunger and quench your thirst? What does hungering/thirsting for righteousness look like in comparison to your hunger for food and thirst for refreshment?

Genesis 15:1-6 & Hebrews 11:1-10 - What did Abram "do" to receive "righteousness?" What was Abram/Abraham looking forward to?

Romans 4 - How do we receive "righteousness?"

Romans 5 - What are the promises found in this chapter?

2 Corinthians 5:1-21 - Where does our "righteousness" come from?

1 Peter 1:13-17 & Hebrews 12:14 - Why is it so critical for us to be "righteous" or "holy"? Spend some time thanking God for the work that Jesus did on the cross for our "righteousness" and "holiness."