

# Year A - 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Matthew 5:1-12

### Beatitudes Prayer



### Background

Using either the children's Beatitudes craft or copies of the Beatitudes poster, pray together the Beatitudes from today's gospel.



Blessed are those ...

who depend only on God

who grieve

who are humble

who obey only God

who are merciful

whose hearts are pure

who make peace

who are treated badly for doing right

You will have a great reward in heaven.

### Prayer

- Make the Sign of the Cross together.
- Have a leader pray... *Loving Jesus, thank you for showing us the way to God. Please help us to be aware of people who are sad, or hungry or thirsty, or is poor, or afraid to stand up for what they believe in. May we be able to stand with them through our actions, words, and prayers. Let us help to make your words come alive this week.*
- Finish praying the Beatitudes together.
- Make the Sign of the Cross.