What is the Good Life? Part 4 "Blessed are those who hunger and thirst after righteousness" Matthew 5:6 & Isaiah 55:1-7

## Short-sightedness



## Hunger and thirst

## Living water - seek and find

"As the deer pants for streams of water, so my soul pants for you, O God. 2 My soul thirsts for God, for the living God. When can I go and meet with God? "Psalm 42:1-2

## **Questions to Ponder**

What do you hunger and thirst for?

- How have you found yourself "short-sighted" in your hunger and thirst?

- In what ways do you struggle with perceived needs verses real needs?

Reflect on C.S. Lewis' comment that we are too easily pleased or satisfied with "making mud pies when a holiday at the sea is offered to us".

What caught your attention from our scriptures today?

- Pay attention to why you are drawn to this.
- What might God be saying through this?

How have you experienced God quenching your hunger and thirst?

In and through Christ Jesus we are conformed (salvation) and then we are being conformed (sanctification) to the intention and vision of our creator.

- How do you see this taking place in your life?
- In what ways are you hungering and thirsting for righteousness?
- What might be your next step letting God satisfy your life?

"You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart." Jeremiah 29:13