



**MONDAY
JANUARY 10, 2022**

**“Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.”
Matthew 5:3 (ESV)**

Prayer Points

- An increased awareness of our need for God.
- That I recognize my insufficiency and His *all* sufficiency
- For the kingdom of God characteristic of humility
- To acknowledge, as Christ did in John 5:30, I can of myself, do nothing...I do not seek My own will, but the will of the Father who sent me.

Related Scripture

John 15:5 (ESV) – “I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing.”

Micah 6:8 (ESV) – “He has told you, O man, what is good; and what does the Lord require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?”

Philippians 3:7-8a (ESV) – “But whatever gain I had, I counted as loss for the sake of Christ. 8 Indeed, I count everything as loss because of the surpassing worth of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord...”

Prayer

O God, Heavenly Father, I honor and bless you. Thank you for your Word, for your Spirit, and for your continued good work in my life. I am asking for “*more* of you.” Help me to receive the revelation of Matthew 5:3 and help me to be “poor in spirit.” I confess my need for humility and lowliness, before you and ask for forgiveness for any area of arrogance, pride, and selfishness in my life. I want to ARISE with a greater hunger and thirst for you...for “*more* of you!” May my desire and passion for You increase and fill me to overflowing.

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