



Thursday
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**“Blessed *are* those who hunger and thirst for righteousness,
for they shall be filled.”**
Matthew 5:6 (NKJV)

Prayer Points

- That we would experience the “ever-dynamic rest” of the with-God life.
- That our satisfaction in Christ would foster hunger and thirst for all that is God’s.
- For open eyes and hearts to the need for God’s righteousness in our communities.
- For the courage to live holy and righteous lives.

Related Scriptures

Matthew 6:33 (NKJV) – But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you.

Philippians 3:12-14 (NKJV)- Not that I have already attained, or am already perfected; but I press on, that I may lay hold of that for which Christ Jesus has also laid hold of me. Brethren, I do not count myself to have apprehended; but one thing *I do*, forgetting those things which are behind and reaching forward to those things which are ahead, I press toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus.

Hebrews 12:11 (NKJV) – Now no chastening seems to be joyful for the present, but painful; nevertheless, afterward it yields the peaceable fruit of righteousness to those who have been trained by it.

Prayer

O Righteous God, you give me rest in Jesus Christ, a gracious rest from the law’s impossible demands. Yet my spiritual poverty, my mourning for sin, my meekness—all this emptiness gives me also an insatiable hunger in my heart, a relentless thirst in my soul. Give me a passion to *know* you in the struggle to *be like* you in the world, and fill me with all your fullness. 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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