

BLESSED ARE THE POOR IN SPIRIT, FOR THEIRS IS THE KINGDOM OF  
HEAVEN. BLESSED ARE THOSE WHO MOURN, FOR THEY WILL BE  
COMFORTED. BLESSED ARE THE MEEK, FOR THEY WILL INHERIT THE  
EARTH. BLESSED ARE THOSE WHO HUNGER AND THIRST FOR  
RIGHTEOUSNESS, FOR THEY WILL BE FILLED. BLESSED ARE THE  
MERCIFUL, FOR THEY WILL RECEIVE MERCY. BLESSED ARE THE PURE  
IN HEART, FOR THEY WILL SEE GOD. BLESSED ARE THE PEACE-MAKERS,  
FOR THEY WILL BE CALLED THE SONS OF GOD. BLESSED ARE THOSE  
WHO ARE PERSECUTED BECAUSE OF RIGHTEOUSNESS, FOR THEIRS IS  
THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN. BLESSED ARE YOU WHEN PEOPLE INSULT  
YOU, PERSECUTE YOU AND FALSELY SAY ALL KINDS OF EVIL AGAINST  
YOU BECAUSE OF ME. REJOICE AND BE GLAD, BECAUSE GREAT IS YOUR  
REWARD IN HEAVEN, FOR IN THE SAME WAY THEY PERSECUTED THE  
PROPHETS WHO WERE BEFORE YOU.

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***Serving with the Character of Christ***

***The Beatitudes***  
***Matthew 5***

***THE PURE IN HEART***

**blessèd**

## ***Matthew 5:1-8 NIV***



**Now when Jesus saw the crowds, he went up on a mountainside and sat down.**

**His disciples came to him, and he began to teach them. He said:**

**“Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.**

**blessèd**

## ***Matthew 5:1-8 NIV***



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

**Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy. Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.**



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**There is Blessing for  
the Pure in Heart**

**Seeing Jesus Face to Face  
The Promise of Heaven**

**Also: Here and Now**

**As Jesus Addresses the Heart**

***Blessed are the pure in heart,  
for they will see God.***

**blessèd**

# THE HYPOCRITICAL HEART



**The Pure Heart is  
Free from Duplicity**

***on the outside you appear to people as righteous  
but on the inside you are full of hypocrisy and  
wickedness.***

**Genuine as Opposed to False**

**We Experience Freedom from Selfishness and  
Self-Preservation**

**Freedom from Our Masks**



**blessèd**

# THE DIVIDED HEART



**The Pure Heart is  
Free from Rivalry**

***give me an undivided heart, that  
I may fear your name***

**Wholehearted as Opposed to Contested**

**Your Pursuit Can be  
Unhindered and Unobstructed**

**The Overwhelming Presence of God  
That Trumps All Other Motivations**

blessèd

# THE CONTAMINATED HEART



*The heart is deceitful above all things, And desperately wicked;*

**The Pure Heart is Free from Dirt**

**To Have a Pure Heart, we Must Be Purified**

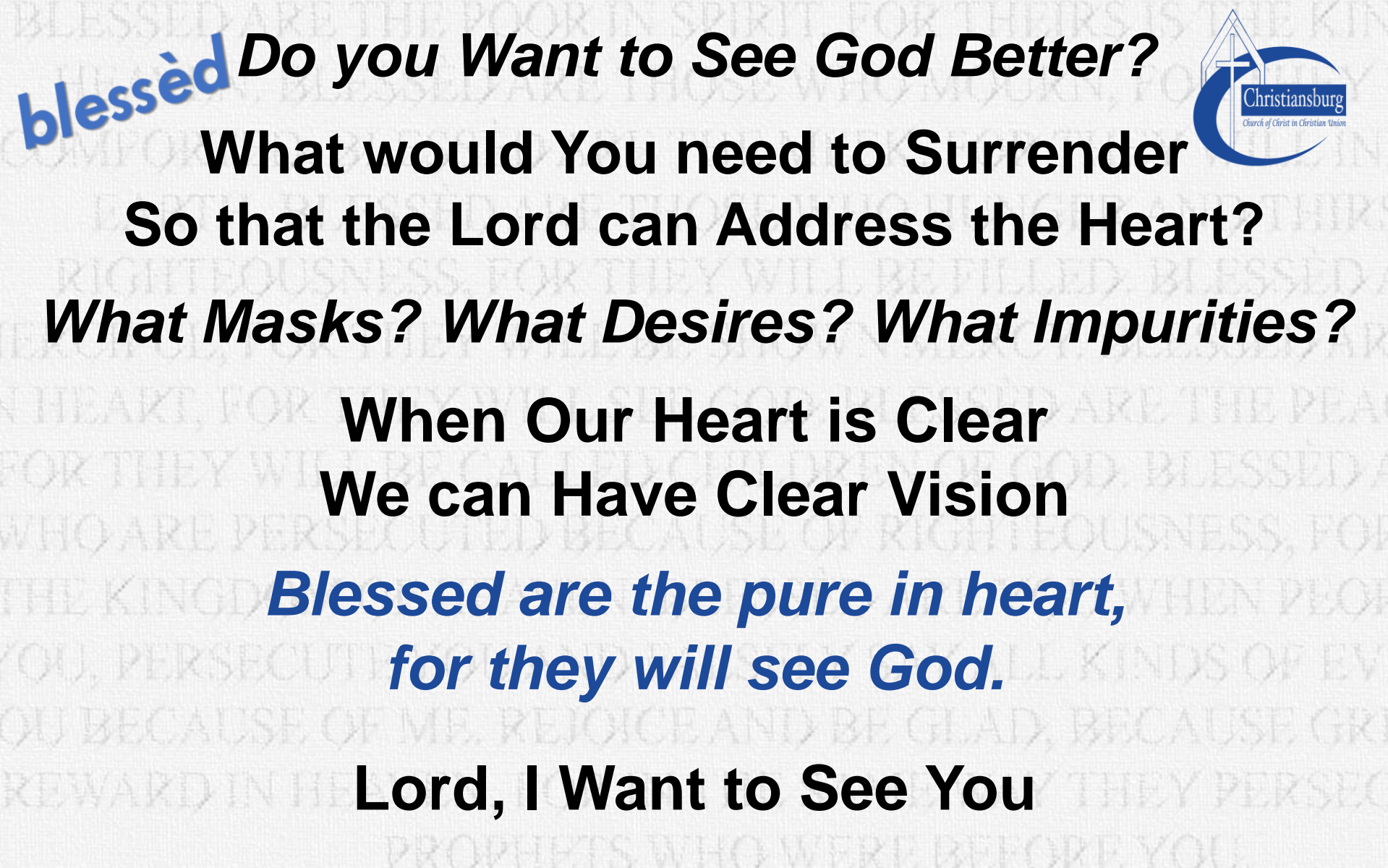
**God in His Grace Desires to Purify**

**Clear as Opposed to Distorted  
See With Clarity**

**See All Things Full of God**

**See Others the Way God Does**





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**Do you Want to See God Better?**



**What would You need to Surrender**

**So that the Lord can Address the Heart?**

***What Masks? What Desires? What Impurities?***

**When Our Heart is Clear  
We can Have Clear Vision**

***Blessed are the pure in heart,  
for they will see God.***

**Lord, I Want to See You**