## PASSIONATELY PURSUING JESUS Matt 5:6 Sept 24, 2023

Big Idea: God is blessed when we passionately pursue Him and He blesses us in return when we do.

| •   | BLESSED ARE THOSE (v6a)  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|   | 0  | Blessedness is a character trait: It describes anto God. v6a,                      |  |  |  |  |  |
|   |  | Matt 22:37   |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | 0  | Blessedness is the result of Godly character: It describes God's                   |  |  |  |  |  |
|   |  | to those who seek Him. Jas 4:8   |  |  |  |  |  |
| •   | HUNC   | GER AND THIRST FOR RIGHTEOUSNESS (v6b)   |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | o To hunger and thirst for righteousness is the heart that has a |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|   |  | to know God more. v6b, Ps 63:1   |  |  |  |  |  |
| <ul> <li>The hunger He's talking about it is not a hunger for righteousness of</li> </ul> |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|   |  | ; it's God's righteousness in us. Jn 12:32   |  |  |  |  |  |
| •   | THEY   | WILL BE SATISFIED (v6c)  |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | 0  | <ul> <li>A single focus on experiencing all Jesus has for us produces a</li> </ul> |  |  |  |  |  |
|   |  | you will find nowhere else. v6c, Matt 6:33   |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | 0  | The peace and rest of His satisfaction is afor those who                           |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | Him. Heb 4:9-10  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| •   | Key W  | Vords:   |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | 0  | Blessed  |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | 0  | Righteous  |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | 0  | Satisfied  |  |  |  |  |  |