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Sunday, February 2, 2020 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday after the Epiphany "Life is a Risky Business" Rev. Frank Hallock, Associate Pastor of Music and Visitation



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Matthew 5:1-12

<sup>1</sup>Now when Jesus saw the crowds, he went up on a mountainside and sat down. His disciples came to him,

<sup>2</sup>and he began to teach them. He said:

<sup>3</sup>Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

<sup>4</sup>Blessed are those who mourn,

for they will be comforted.

<sup>5</sup>Blessed are the meek,

for they will inherit the earth.

<sup>6</sup>Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness,

for they will be filled.

<sup>7</sup>Blessed are the merciful,

for they will be shown mercy.

<sup>8</sup>Blessed are the pure in heart,

for they will see God.

<sup>9</sup>Blessed are the peacemakers,

for they will be called children of God.

<sup>10</sup>Blessed are those who are persecuted because of righteousness,

for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

<sup>11</sup>Blessed are you when people insult you, persecute you and falsely say all kinds of evil against you because of me.

<sup>12</sup>Rejoice and be glad, because great is your reward in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.