

## Station 2: The Poor

Blessed are the poor in spirit, *for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Matthew 5:3*



We are blessed when we are at the end of our rope,  
with less of us there is more of God and his rule

*The Message - Eugene H. Peterson*

The Earth's resources are being exploited leading to communities being displaced or living in poverty.

Earth resources such as air, water, minerals and animals are abused and mistreated and instead of seeing them in relation to the divine we see them as a means to security in themselves instead of gifts from God.

We are blessed when we recognize our own complicity in the growing climate crisis yet continue to struggle daily to care for creation in meaningful ways.

Millions of people carry out small acts of active hope every day; recycling goods, using alternative technologies, choosing to buy ethically, sharing resources with each other and are willing to put their security aside to address inequalities in the world.