



# Jesus Teaches Us How to Bee

## The Sixth Beatitude – Matthew 5:8

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

**Read:** Psalm 119: 5-16

**Discuss:** Have you ever seen a player on a baseball team play using the rules of football? Why wouldn't it work? Why would it be strange to find Goldilocks in the story "Where the Wild Things Are"? Often to be part of something you have to play by the same rules or tell the same story. This week's Beatitude reminds us that to be a part of God's family we have to live by His rules. He will never kick us off His team, but for the team to work, they must all have the same plan. This is why it is hard for us to see God, when we are seeking our own ways. What are some things you can do to learn God's ways and seek to be pure?

In the psalm the author directs us to find purity by pursuing God in all that we do. Where does the psalmist suggest we go to learn about God? According to the psalm when we dedicate ourselves to living pure lives, our thoughts, words, and actions will all be pleasing to God. Role play some ways this could happen at school, at work, and/or at home.

**Pray:**

Ask for God to tell you His story. Seek his guidance in knowing His ways and His will. Confess to him anything that isn't pure in your life.