

A painting depicting a group of people in a forest. In the foreground, several individuals are engaged in conversation or prayer. A man in a dark top hat is prominent. In the background, a wooden structure, possibly a cabin or a well, is nestled among trees. The overall scene is lush and green, suggesting a rural or wilderness setting.

# SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

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Jeremiah 17:5-10 • Psalm 1  
1 Corinthians 15:12-20 • Luke 6:17-26

Blessed are those who trust in the  
LORD, whose trust is the LORD.

Jeremiah 17:7

They shall be like a tree planted by water, sending out its roots by the stream. It shall not fear when heat comes, and its leaves shall stay green;

Jeremiah 17:8a



Trees Beside a Stream -- Eliphalet Andrews, Smithsonian Museum of American Art, Washington, DC

They are like trees planted by  
streams of water, which yield their  
fruit in its season, and their leaves  
do not wither.

Psalm 1:3



Apple Orchard -- Luther van Gorder, Huntington Library, San Marino, CA

But in fact Christ has been raised  
from the dead, the first fruits of  
those who have died.

1 Corinthians 15:20

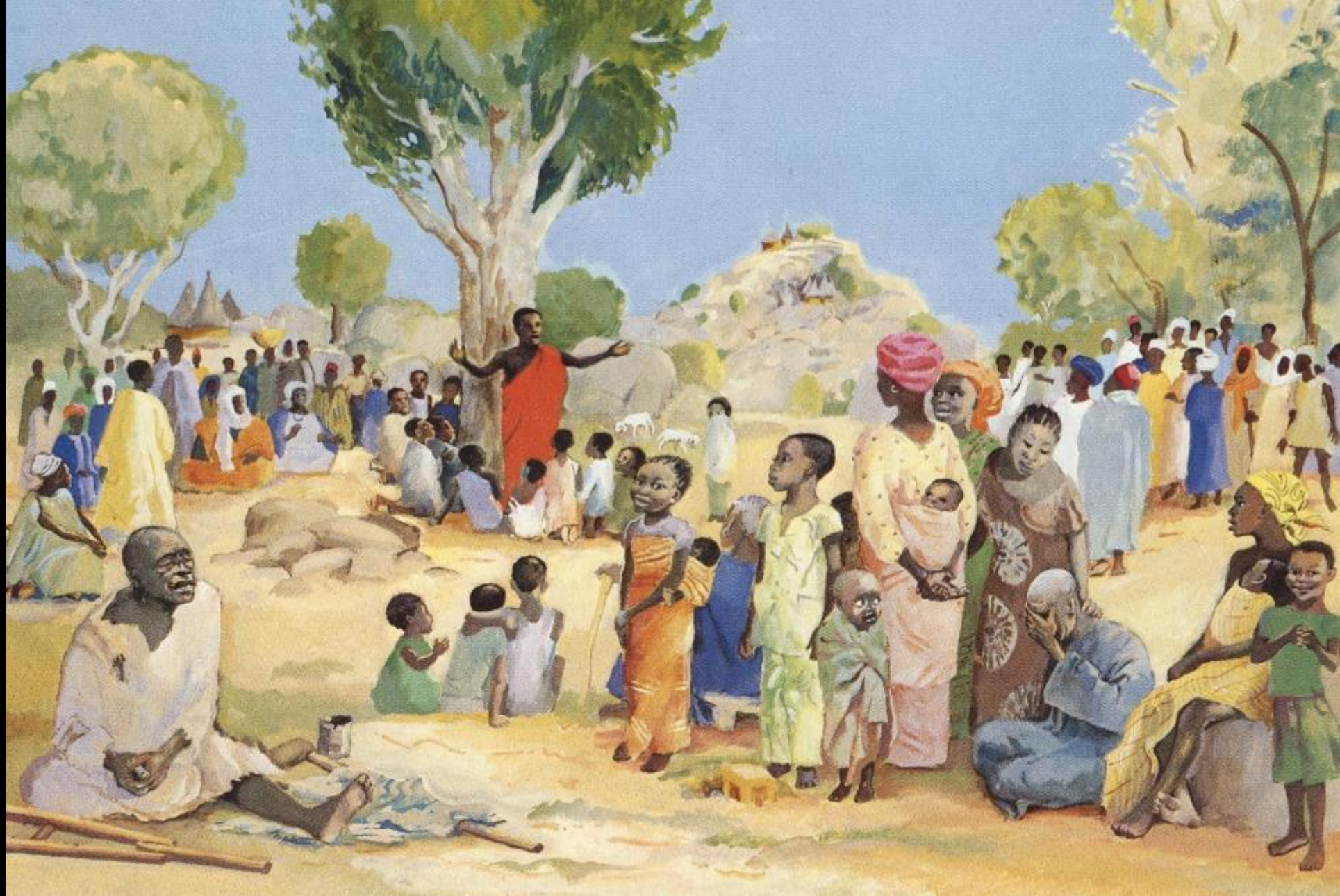


Blessing of the First Fruits -- Holy Resurrection Cathedral, Tokyo, Japan



He came down ... with a great crowd  
of his disciples and a great multitude  
of people from all Judea, Jerusalem,  
and the coast of Tyre and Sidon.

Luke 6:17ac



Christ Preaching (Sermon on the Mount) -- JESUS MAFA, Cameroon

They had come to hear him and to be healed of their diseases; and those who were troubled with unclean spirits were cured.

Luke 6:18



Sermon on the Mount -- Karoly Ferenczy, Hungarian National Gallery, Budapest, Hungary



The Sermon -- Fritz von Uhde, Museum of Fine Arts, Budapest, Hungary

Then he looked up at his disciples and said: "Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God.

Luke 6:20

Blessed are the Poor

Frank Wesley

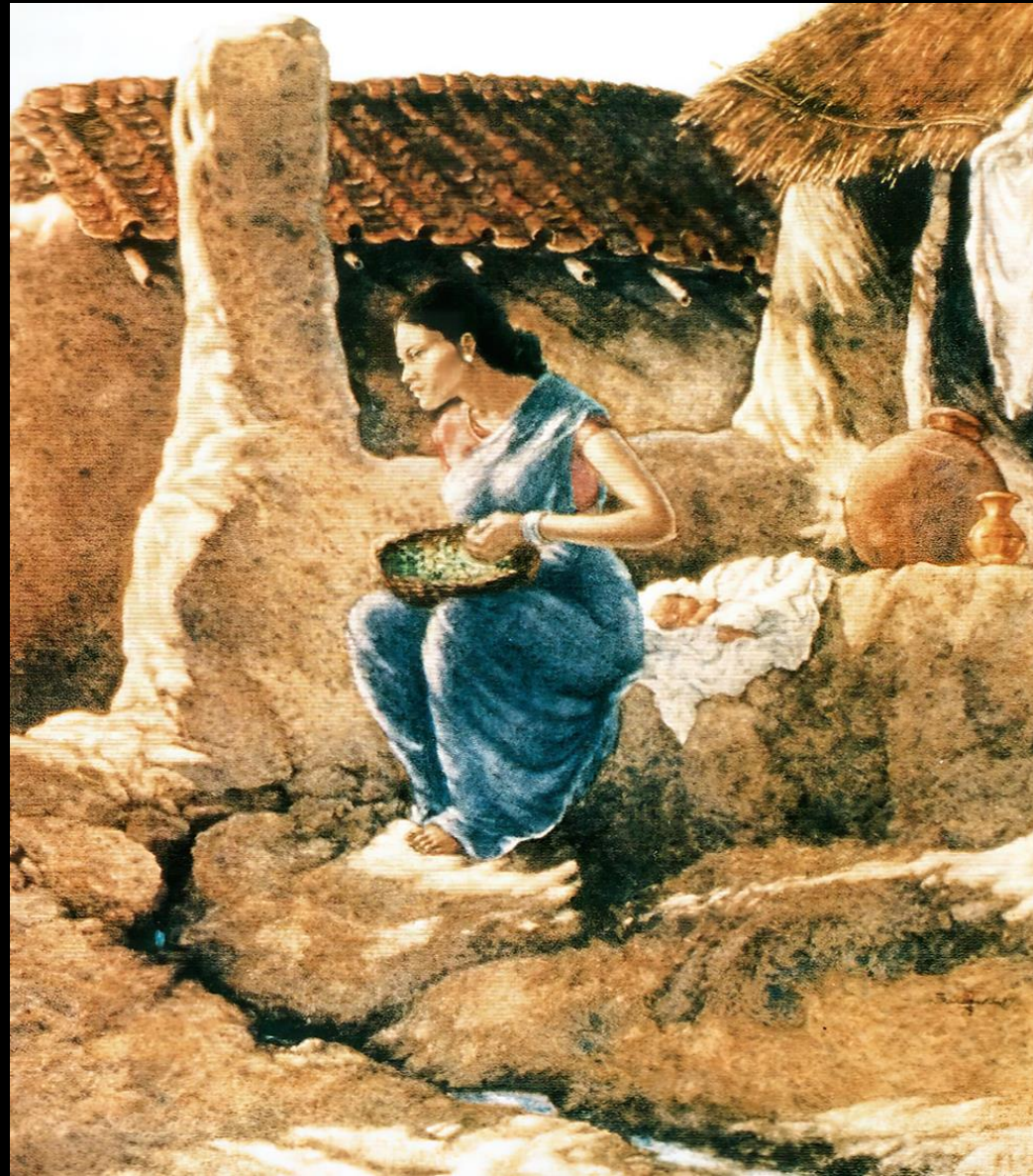


"Blessed are you who are hungry  
now, for you will be filled.

"Blessed are you who weep now,  
for you will laugh.

Luke 6:21





Hoping He Will Bring Something to Eat -- Frank Wesley

"Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man.

Luke 6:22



Karl Lwanga -- Basilica of the Ugandan Martyrs, Kampala, Uganda

Rejoice in that day and leap for joy,  
for surely your reward is great in  
heaven; for that is what their  
ancestors did to the prophets.

Luke 6:23



Awake My Soul -- Mike Moyers

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