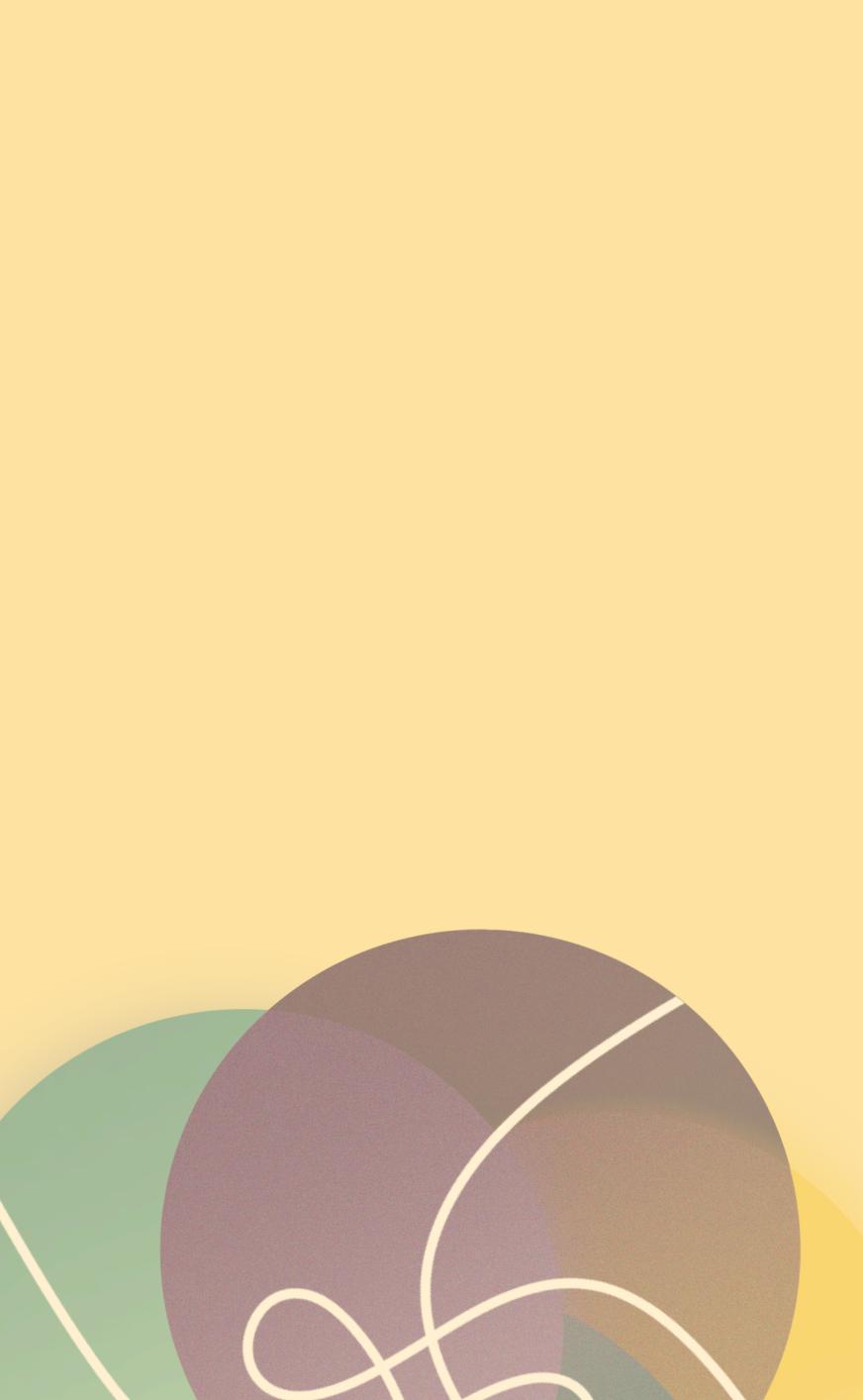
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The Beatitudes Being the Body of Christ

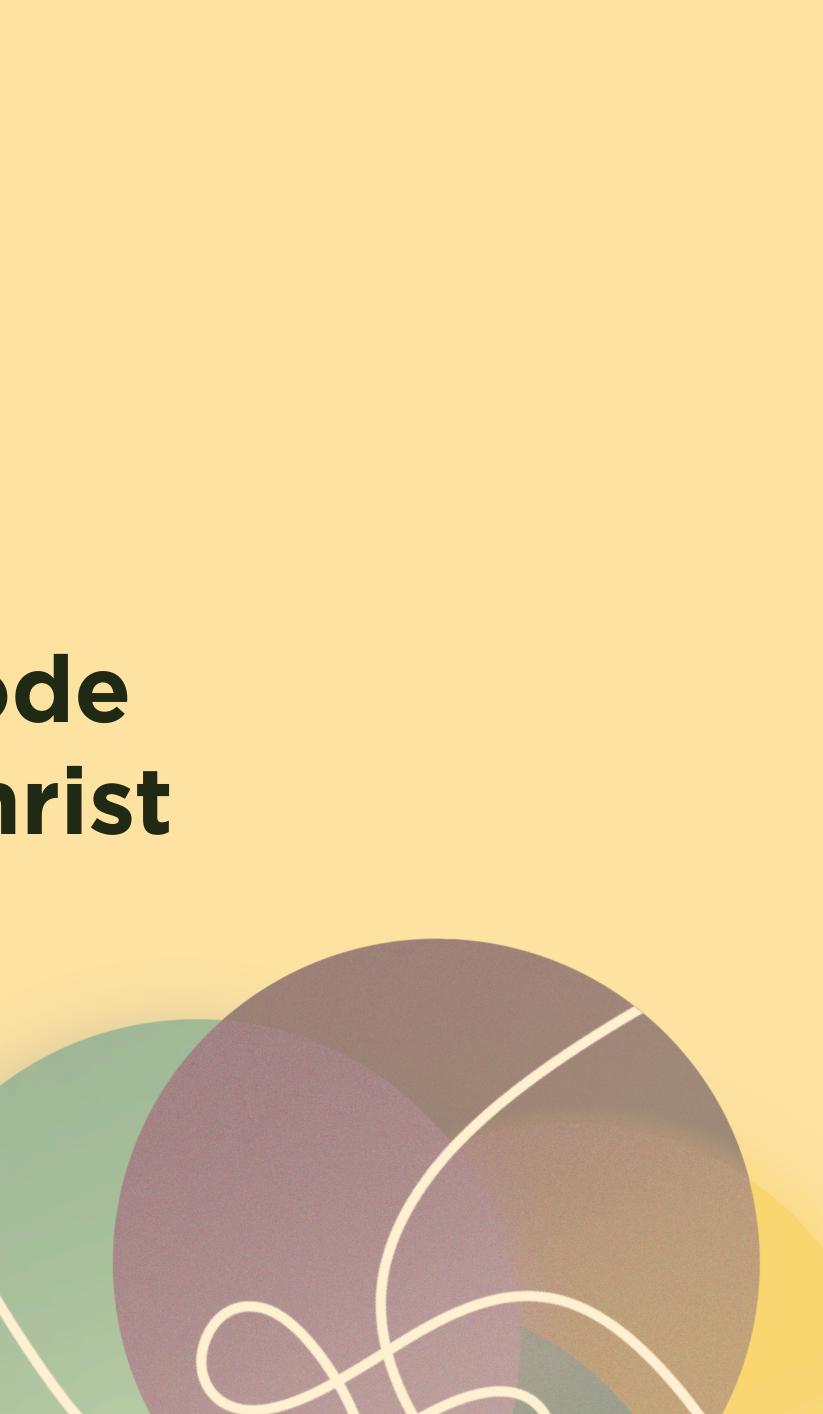




healing community imagination



The Beatitudes: flipping the honour code forming the body of Christ



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Matthew 5:3-6 (NIV)

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Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth. **Blessed are those hunger and thirst for righteousness**,



Those who use their honour for good

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Matthew 5:7-9 (NIV)

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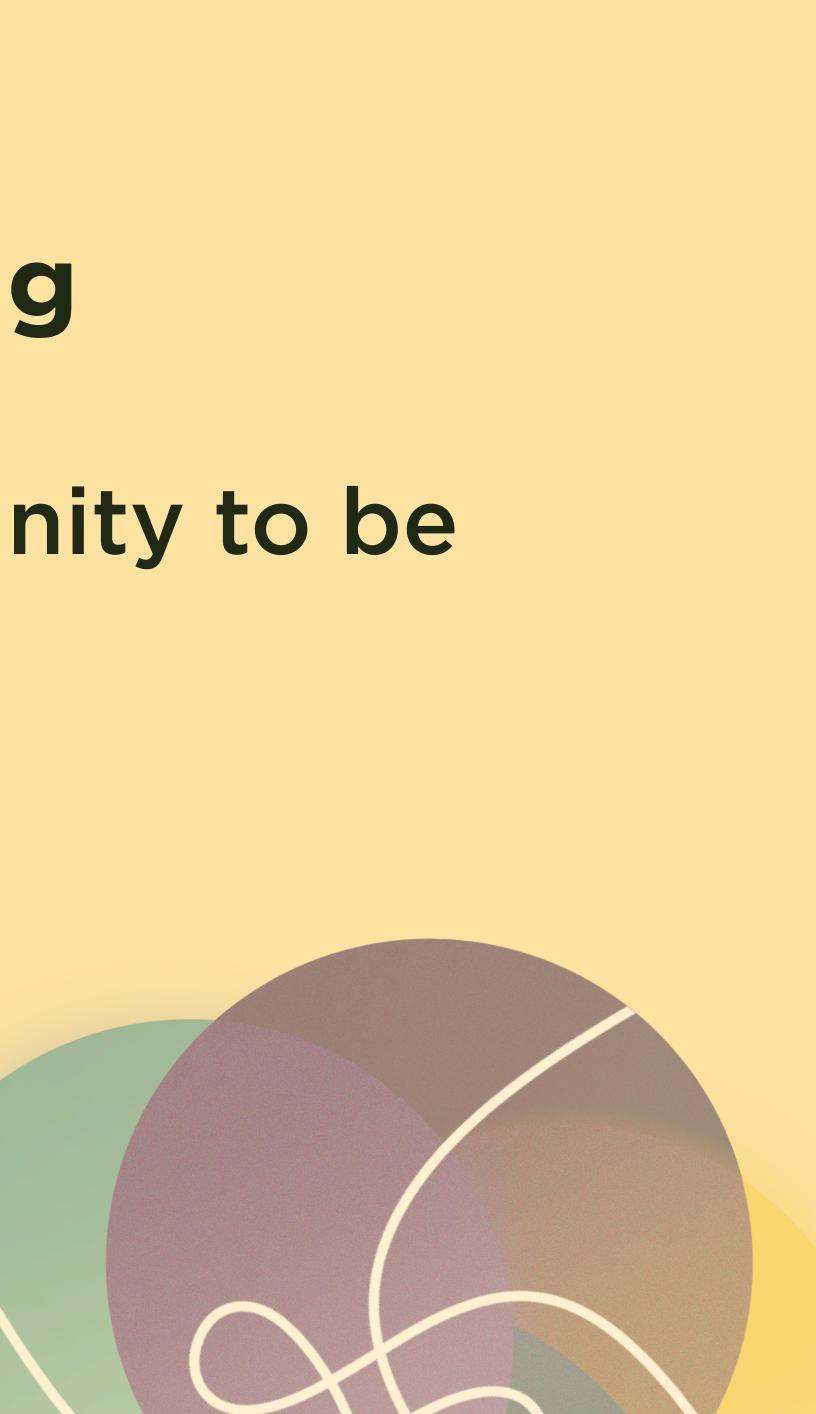




Jesus' peacemaking

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