Eyes that I may see

*I will bring the blind by a way they did not know; I will lead them in paths they have not known. I will make darkness light before them, and crooked places straight. These things I will do for them, and not forsake them. Isaiah 42:16*

1) Blind Bartimaeus

Mark 10:46-52, Luke 18:35-43

* Jesus is passing by, do not miss your opportunity to change your life
* Do not let the crowd and people’s opinions stop you from finding Jesus
* “Made well.” Greek: sozo – Healed, delivered, restored

2) Spiritual blindness

* God has more for you to see – Ephesians 1:17-18, Psalm 119:18, Jeremiah 33:3
* When leaders are self-serving, they become blind – Isaiah 56:9-12
* Bribery blinds - Deuteronomy 16:19
* Envy and self-seeking causes confusion and blindness – James 3:16
* Spiritual blindness progresses downward until you are totally deluded – 2 Thessalonians 2:9-12, Proverbs 4:18-19, Isaiah 60:1-3

3) God can open your eyes to miraculous provision

* Hagar – Genesis 21:14-19
* Abraham – Genesis 22:12-14

