

CORE VALUES

³⁵ Jesus went through all the towns and villages, teaching in their synagogues, proclaiming the good news of the kingdom and healing every disease and sickness.

MATTHEW 9:37,38

36 **When he [Jesus] saw the crowds,**
he had compassion on them,
because they were harassed and
helpless, like sheep without a
shepherd.

MATTHEW 9:37,38

³⁷ Then he said to his disciples,
“The harvest is plentiful but the
workers are few. ³⁸ So pray to
the Lord who is in charge of the
harvest; ask him to send more
workers into his fields.”

MATTHEW 9:37,38

What kind of eyes
do you have?

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- **CONFLICTED EYES**

²³ “Therefore, if you are offering your gift at the altar and there remember that your brother or sister has something against you, ²⁴leave your gift there in front of the altar. First go and be reconciled to them; then come and offer your gift.

MATTHEW 5:23,24

What kind of eyes do you have?

- **CONFLICTED EYES**
- **LUSTFUL EYES**

²⁷ “You have heard that it was said,
‘You shall not commit adultery.’
²⁸ But I tell you that anyone who
looks at a woman lustfully has
already committed adultery with
her in his heart.

MATTHEW 5:27-28

What kind of eyes do you have?

- **CONFLICTED EYES**
- **LUSTFUL EYES**
- **UNFORGIVING EYES**

¹² And forgive us our debts, as we
also have forgiven our debtors.

MATTHEW 6:12,14-15

¹⁴ For if you forgive other people when they sin against you, your heavenly Father will also forgive you. ¹⁵ But if you do not forgive others their sins, your Father will not forgive your sins.

MATTHEW 6:12,14-15

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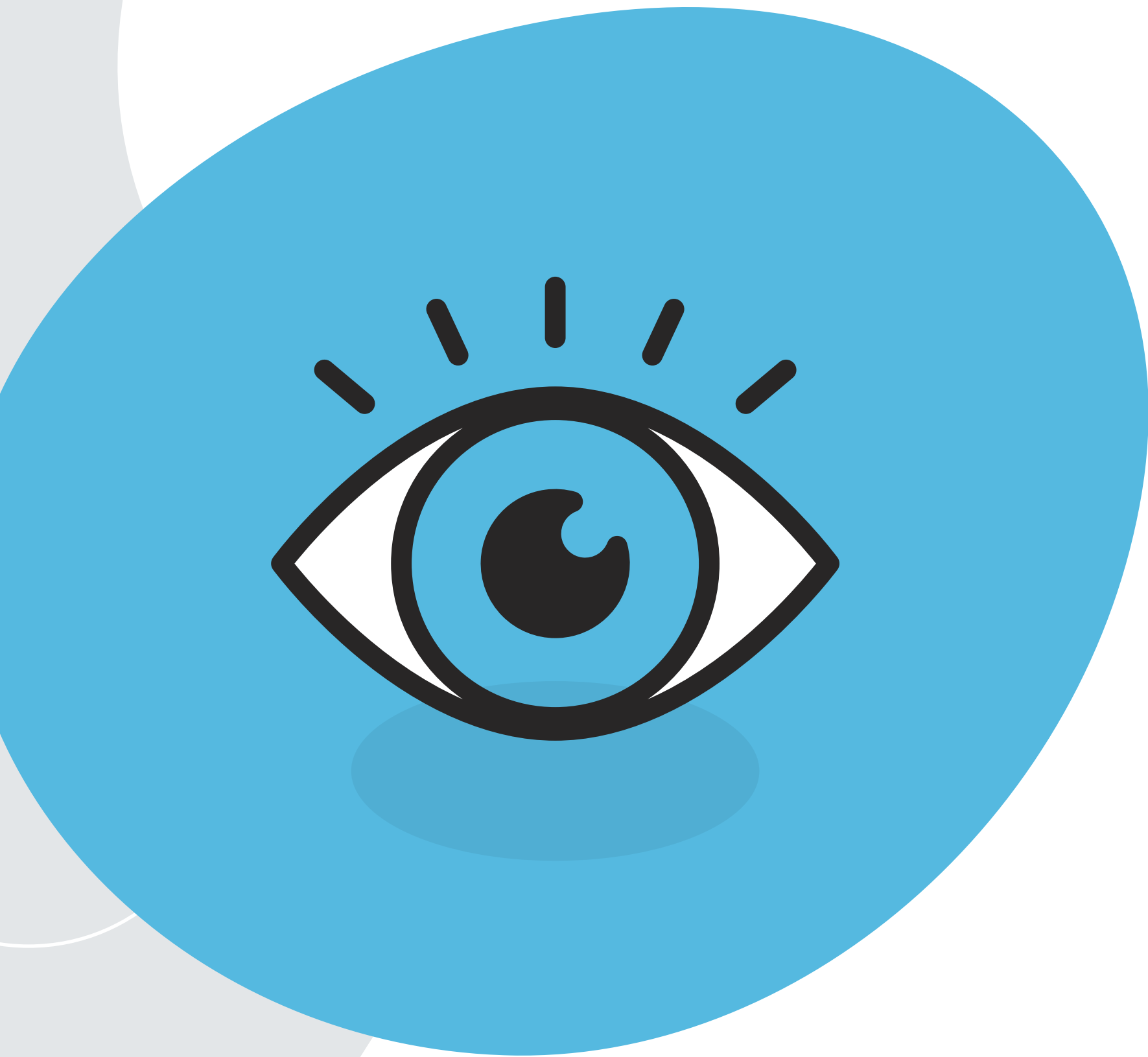
- **CONFLICTED EYES**
- **LUSTFUL EYES**
- **UNFORGIVING EYES**
- **CRITICAL EYES**

³ “Why do you look at the speck of sawdust in your brother’s eye and pay no attention to the plank in your own eye? ⁴How can you say to your brother, ‘Let me take the speck out of your eye,’ when all the time there is a plank in your own eye?”

MATTHEW 7:3-5

⁵ You hypocrite, first take the plank out of your own eye, and then you will see clearly to remove the speck from your brother's eye.

MATTHEW 7:3-5

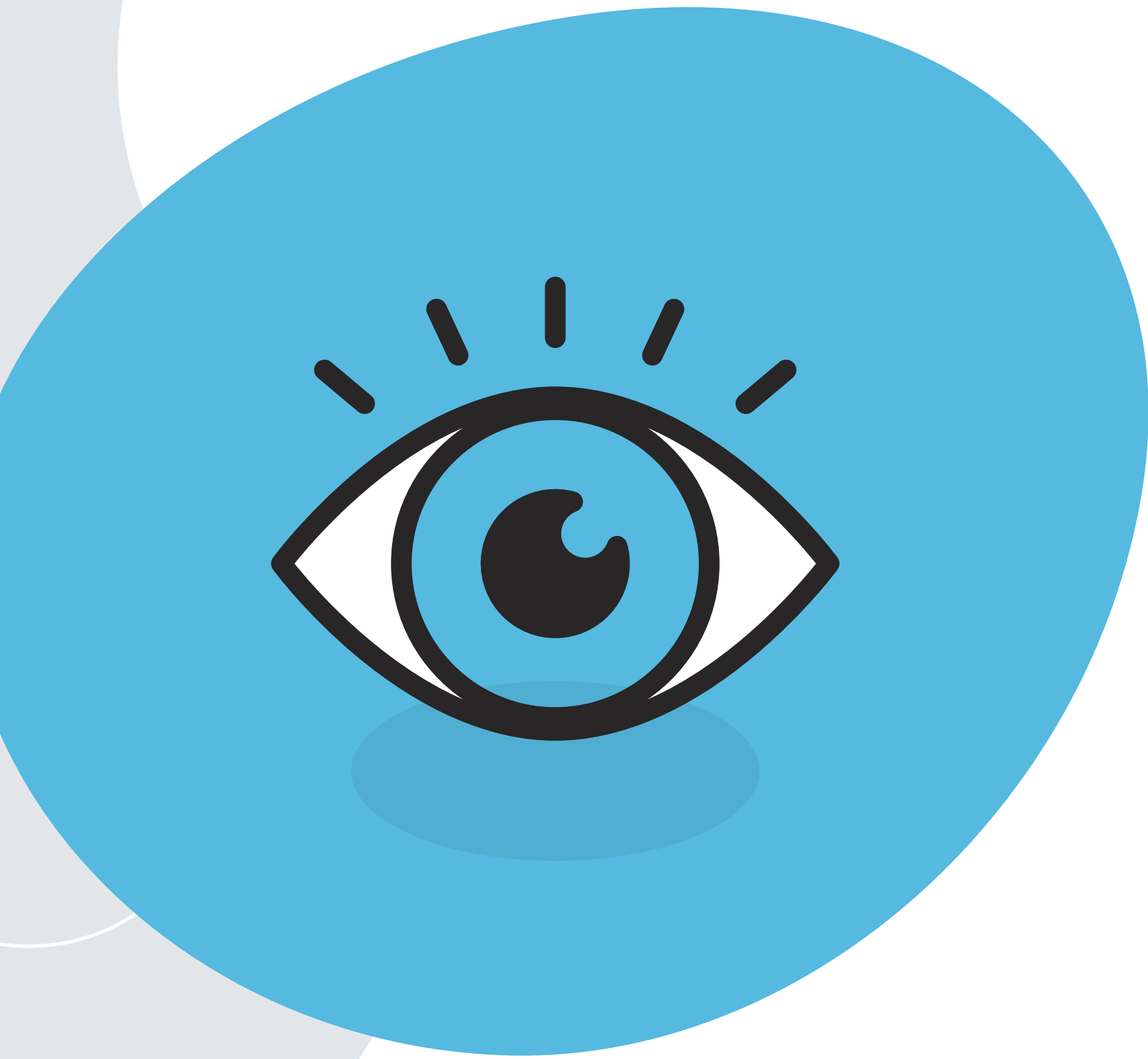


ATTENTIVE EYES

God looks on
each person
as his beloved
creation.

36 When he saw the crowds, he had compassion on them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd.

MATTHEW 9:36



**WE NEED
ATTENTIVE EYES
LOOKING AT US...**



WE NEED ATTENTIVE EYES LOOKING AT US...

- when we are new



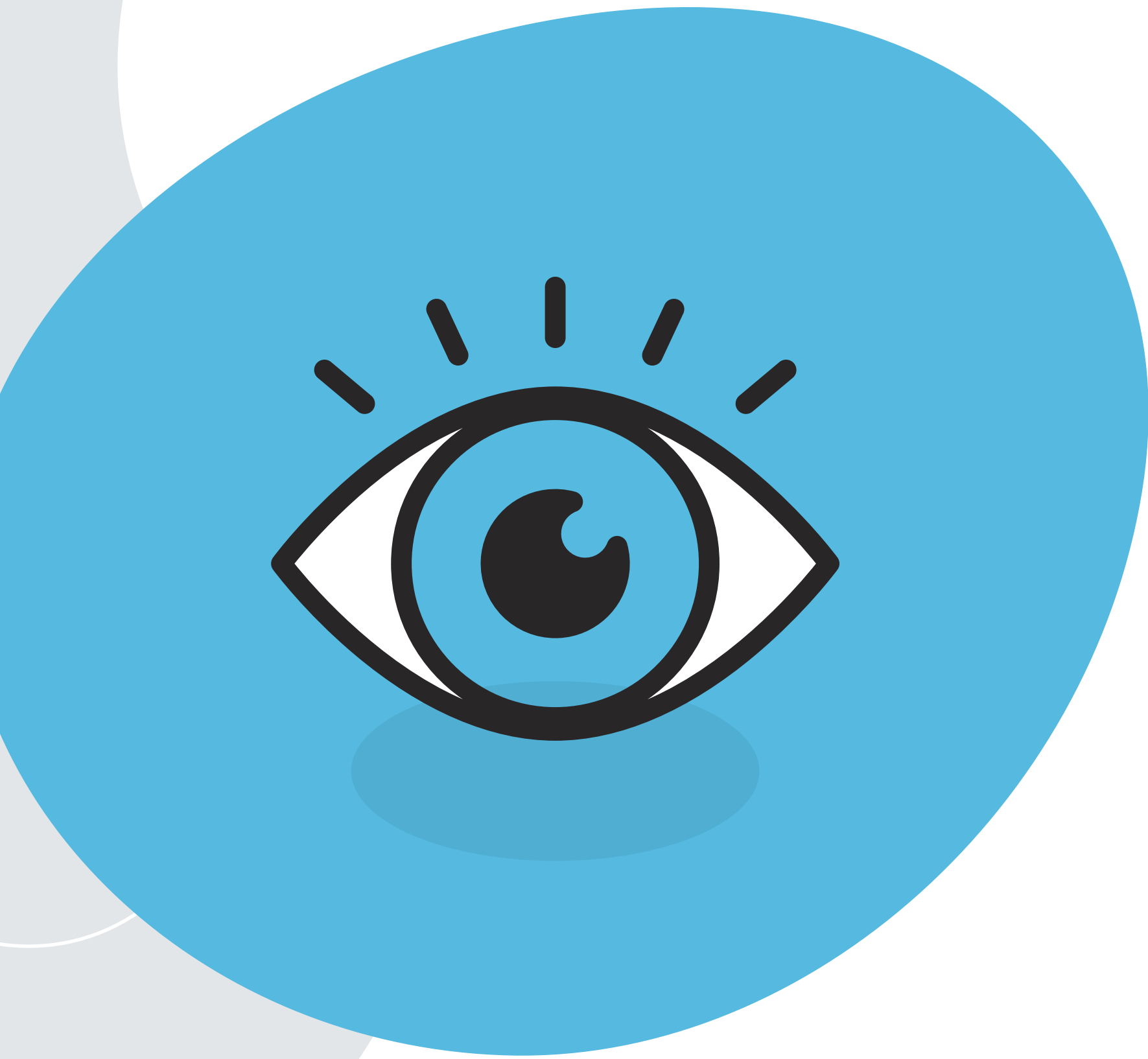
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- when we are new
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- when we are new
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- when we are nerdy



**JESUS'
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MATTHEW 9:36



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I do not know how any Christian service can be fruitful if the servant is not baptized in a spirit of compassion. We can never heal the needs we do not feel. Tearless hearts can never be the heralds of Christ's passion. We must pity if we are to redeem. We must bleed if would be ministers of the saving blood.

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¹⁶ So we have stopped evaluating others from a human point of view. At one time we thought of Christ merely from a human point of view. How differently we know him now!

II CORINTHIANS 5:16,17

¹⁷ This means that anyone who belongs to Christ has become a new person. The old life is gone; a new life has begun!

II CORINTHIANS 5:16,17

