Water to Wine.

Sept. 27th & 28th, 2025



Read John 2:1-12.

1. Take a moment to share some of your best wedding stories, good, bad, or hilarious. What was highlighted, focused on and celebrated? What made it good or bad?

2. What does the way Jesus addresses his mother tell us about our relationship with Him? If we connect it to prayer, what does Mary's posture in approaching Jesus and her response reveal about her view of him?

3. In your life, what does it take to reach the level of revealing you need to pray about something or even reach out to others for prayer support? Is it anything and everything or does it have to be a serious need?

4. The Master of the Banquet tastes the fruit of Jesus' work but fails to give glory to whom it came, most likely out of ignorance. Where do you taste God's goodness and fail to acclaim Him glory consistently? How can you cultivate a heart of gratitude for every good thing that comes from God?

5. The disciples saw this first sign as a revelation of Jesus' glory leading to belief. What connections were they making to lead them there? Consider Amos 9:13, Isaiah 25:6, Joel 3:18 and Genesis 49 blessing of Judah.

6. **Read 2 Corinthians 3:18.** Some passages are more about seeing Jesus for who He is without clear commands. How does this text connect to our growth and transformation in Jesus?

7. Jesus used ceremonial washing jars to make new fine wine. What are possible connection points to be made between the Old Covenant of the law and its rituals like washing and the new covenant with Jesus by His blood in fulfillment?

8. Jesus' hour is typically connected to the passion narrative leading to crucifixion and resurrection. Why does Jesus follow through after telling his mother it was not time? Does He change His mind or if not, how does this miracle keep Him on mission?