

Wedding at Cana Miracle – Jan. 27, 2021

John 2:1-11 – first miracle. Jesus, his disciples & mother are there.

- Mary says “they have no more wine” & “do whatever He tells you”
 - o She knew Jesus could change the situation. Faith.
 - o She brings Him the problem; allows Him to solve it His way
 - o She doesn’t hesitate to involve Jesus & He acts b/c she asks.
 - **Matt. 7:7-8** – “Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. ⁸ For everyone who asks receives; the one who seeks finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened.”
 - **James 4:2-3** – “You do not have because you do not ask God. ³ When you ask, you do not receive, because you ask with wrong motives, that you may spend what you get on your pleasures.”
 - **We can bring anything to God**; big or small.
 - Our emotional well-being matters to God.
 - **Romans 10:10** – “As Scripture says, ‘Anyone who believes in him will never be put to shame.’”
- **Notice:** Jesus worked behind the scenes; quietly, privately.
 - o Master of the banquet missed the miracle.
 - Don’t overlook the day to day grace God gives to us.
 - Be ready to point out the winemaker
 - o The wine that was made was abundant: 6 jars, 30 gallons
 - **John 10:10** – “I came so that they might have life and have it more abundantly.”
 - God’s desire for us is to have life that overflows; to live life “in its fullest measure.”
 - o “You have saved the best till now”
 - The best of life is found in God’s hands.

- Jesus changed molecular structure of water to make wine
 - He changes our nature. Brings out the best in us.
 - Rom. 12:2 – we are transformed by the renewing of our minds.
 - Are you changed? Allowing God to change the way we think?
 - Once our minds are changed, our actions follow.

Song of week – “He Turned the Water Into Wine” by Johnny Cash