

Gospel: John 4:5-30, 39-42

⁵So {Jesus} came to a town of Samaria called Sychar, near the field that Jacob had given to his son Joseph. ⁶Jacob's well was there; so Jesus, wearied as he was from his journey, was sitting beside the well. It was about the sixth hour. ⁷A woman from Samaria came to draw water. Jesus said to her, "Give me a drink." ⁸(For his disciples had gone away into the city to buy food.) ⁹The Samaritan woman said to him, "How is it that you, a Jew, ask for a drink from me, a woman of Samaria?" (For Jews have no dealings with Samaritans.) ¹⁰Jesus answered her, "If you knew the gift of God, and who it is that is saying to you, 'Give me a drink,' you would have asked him, and he would have given you living water." ¹¹The woman said to him, "Sir, you have nothing to draw water with, and the well is deep. Where do you get that living water?" ¹²Are you greater than our father Jacob? He gave us the well and drank from it himself, as did his sons and his livestock." ¹³Jesus said to her, "Everyone who drinks of this water will be thirsty again, ¹⁴but whoever drinks of the water that I will give him will never be thirsty again. The water that I will give him will become in him a spring of water welling up to eternal life." ¹⁵The woman said to him, "Sir, give me this water, so that I will not be thirsty or have to come here to draw water." ¹⁶Jesus said to her, "Go, call your husband, and come here." ¹⁷The woman answered him, "I have no husband." Jesus said to her, "You are right in saying, 'I have no husband'; ¹⁸for you have had five husbands, and the one you now have is not your husband. What you have said is true." ¹⁹The woman said to him, "Sir, I perceive that you are a prophet. ²⁰Our fathers worshiped on this mountain, but you say that in Jerusalem is the place where people ought to worship." ²¹Jesus said to her, "Woman, believe me, the hour is coming when neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem will you worship the Father. ²²You worship what you do not know; we worship what we know, for salvation is from the Jews. ²³But the hour is coming, and is now here, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth, for the Father is seeking such people to worship him. ²⁴God is spirit, and those who worship him must worship in spirit and truth." ²⁵The woman said to him, "I know that Messiah is coming (he who is called Christ). When he comes, he will tell us all things." ²⁶Jesus said to her, "I who speak to you am he." ²⁷Just then his disciples came back. They marveled that he was talking with a woman, but no one said, "What do you seek?" or, "Why are you talking with her?" ²⁸So the woman left her water jar and went away into town and said to the people, ²⁹"Come, see a man who told me all that I ever did. Can this be the Christ?" ³⁰They went out of the town and were coming to him.

Lessons for Next Week:

Isaiah 42:14-21; Psalm 142; Ephesians 5:8-14; John 9:1-41



First Lutheran Church  NALC
North American Lutheran Church

MARCH 8, 2026

(406) 234 – 4161

PO BOX 188, 512 CALE AVE, MILES CITY, MONTANA

EMAIL US AT: flc@midrivers.com

VISIT US ON THE WEB AT FLCMILESCITY.COM

**ON SUNDAY MORNINGS LISTEN TO FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH WORSHIP SERVICE AT 10AM
ON KATL 770 AM OR ON A CONNECTED DEVICE AT KATLRADIO.COM.**

This congregation practices "open communion". We invite all who believe that our Lord's body and blood are truly and essentially present in the bread and wine to share in the sacrament. We believe Christians are worthy to receive communion when, according to the teaching of Scripture and Lutheran tradition the words, "given and shed for you" are accepted by grace through faith. You may receive the wine by dipping the bread into the dipping chalice or by drinking from the principal chalice. Repent, and be served!

What's Happening

Today
9:15 am Our radio broadcast today is sponsored today, and we invite you to sponsor, too.
11:00 am An FLC Foundation meeting was held before the service.
1:30 pm Join us for corned beef and cabbage!
6:00 pm Holy Communion at HRH Residential Living
Our weekly FLC supper for MCC students will be served tonight at 6 pm.
Come join the group for fellowship and brief Bible study. A sign-up sheet for cooks and study leaders is in the narthex.

Monday
4:00 pm Adult Confirmation Class
4:30 pm Sr. High Youth Group

Wednesday
8:30 am Quilters
10:00 am Coffee
5:30 pm Soup Supper (sign up in the narthex to bring soup or bread)
6:00 pm Lenten Service
6:30 pm Men's Fellowship at Otium Brewery

Next Sunday
8:30 am Council Meeting
10:00 am Worship

Notes and News

- Easter Lily order forms are in the narthex. Please place your form and payment in the offering plate. We look forward to seeing the lilies on Easter morning!
- Butter Braids and Cookie Dough Sales end tomorrow. Please support these Let Me Shine Preschool fundraisers! (Order Forms are in the narthex, or scan below).



SCAN TO
ORDER!

Butter Braids



SCAN TO
ORDER!

Cookie Dough

Our Vision

Empowered by God to Love, Praise and Worship Him
and Boldly Share the Gospel's Good News Everywhere.

Our Mission

Who are we? A Welcoming Community of Faith,
Aiming to Bring Everyone Closer to Christ
through His Word in Fellowship and Education.
Come and See!

Last Sunday: Attendance 33 - Giving \$1,115 **Lent Midweek:** Attendance 33