

John 2:5 | An encounter with Jesus's mother

Study Questions from 08.09.2019 sermon

Introduction

- i. What is the aim of the new autumn sermon series?

Wedding fail

- ii. Have you ever been at a wedding where something went wrong? Share with your group!
- iii. When the wine ran out Mary told Jesus. Why did he respond like he did in v4?
- iv. How did Mary react to his response?
- v. "Do whatever he tells you" applies to us. We find out what he tells us by reading the Bible. Share with your group what has most helped you read the Bible.

Reading the Bible is an act of Dependence, Defiance, Doing and Drawing

- vi. Discuss why reading the Bible should be an act of dependence, and how we can read it with humble dependence.
- vii. What have you read in the Bible recently which encourages you to defy culture/sin/satan/self?
- viii. Reading the Bible is not just reading it, but reading it and doing what it says. Why is this often so hard?
- ix. How does reading the Bible draw us closer to God?

The results of doing what Jesus said

- x. The servants did what Jesus said. The results of this obedience were Joy (v10), The End Of The Search (v11c) and An Encounter With His Glory (v11b). Have you experienced these results when you've read the Bible and done what Jesus says? Give specific examples.