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Office Hours

Horario de la Oficina

Monday – Thursday / Lunes a Jueves
9:00am - 2:00pm 401- 722-9054

Weekend Masses

Misas de fin de semana

Saturday: 4:30pm English/Ingles

Sabado 6:00pm Español/Spanish

Sunday: 9:30am English/Ingles

Domingo 11:30am Español/Spanish

Daily Masses

Misas durante la semana

Monday & Wednesday 8:00am English/Ingles

Martes y Viernes 7:00pm Español/Spanish

Bilingual Mass Saturday/Sabado at 8:00am

Confessions

Saturday / Sabado 3:30pm & 5:30pm

Baptism / Bautizo

Baptisms are celebrated on the second Sunday of every Month after the 11:30am Mass. Please call the rectory a month in advance to schedule.

Los Bautismos se celebran el segundo Domingo de cada mes después de la Misa de las 11:30am. Llame a la rectoría con un mes de anticipación.

Matrimony / Matrimonio

Call one year in advance to begin preparation

Llamar un año con anticipación

Anointing of the Sick

Unción de los enfermos

Please call the parish

Por favor llamar a la parroquia

Eucharistic Adoration

Adoración Eucarística

Every Friday / Todos los Viernes

9:00am to 6:45pm in the Church/Iglesia

Youth Group/Grupo Juvenil

Sunday/Domingo next meeting TBD

(Grades 7th to 12)

Comunidad Evangelizadora (Cers)

Viernes a las 7:30pm en el sótano

Food Bank / Banco de Comida

January/Enero

Mondays/Lunes 17 & 24

9:30am to 11:00am - 6:00pm to 7:00pm

Wednesday/Miercoles 19 & 26

9:30am to 11:00am

9:30am to 11:00am - 6:00pm to 7:00pm

Hospitality House/Casa de Hospitalidad

Open every Tuesday/Martes at 10:30am

Hot lunch served/Almuerzo at 11:30am

Almuerzo Caliente para los necesitados

New Parishioners/Nuevos Miembros

Please call the rectory to register Llamar a la

Rectoría para registrarse

Second Sunday of Ordinary Time, January 16, 2022

Dear Parishioners,

In this weekend's Gospel, we hear about the wedding feast at Cana, in which Jesus performed a miracle by turning water into wine. The last line of the Gospel says: "*Jesus did this as the beginning of His signs at Cana in Galilee and so revealed His glory, and His disciples began to believe in Him*". "*And His disciples began to believe in Him*". This is what the Lord wants of us - His bride, the Church.

He wants us to have faith in Him, to walk with Him, and to constantly seek His help. We are in a marital relationship with the Lord, and the Lord desires our fidelity toward Him. This fidelity includes the willingness to allow the Lord to change us, just like He changed the water into wine. My brothers and sisters, what do we need to change in our lives, so as to be more faithful in our marriage to our Lord? What areas of our lives do we need to invite the Lord into, so that He can change the water into wine - the old and ordinary parts of our lives into something new and extraordinary? Some practical suggestions include *giving more time for prayer, studying more about our beautiful Catholic Faith, being more public with our witnessing for Jesus, and even making a commitment to share our Catholic Faith with others - to evangelize.* Let us entrust all of our changes to our Blessed Mother. At the Wedding Feast, it was our Blessed Mother who noticed that the wine was running short, and she went to Jesus with the problem. Her intercession for the wedding couple helped them avoid the embarrassment of running out of wine at their wedding feast. At first, Jesus seems to ignore His mother's intercession, but notice Mary's patient waiting in prayer, and then the beautiful advice that she gives to the servers, "*to do whatever He tells you*". These words of our Blessed Mother serve as great advice for our marriage with the Lord - to do whatever Jesus asks of us, through listening to His word, allowing it to change us, and then putting it into practice in our lives, until we have finally arrived at the wedding Feast of Heaven. *Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death, God Bless!*

Fr. Sistare

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday January 15	4:30pm
Sunday January 16	9:30am
Monday January 17	8:00am
Wednesday January 19	8:00am
Saturday January 22 Bilingual	8:00am
Vigil Mass	4:30pm
Sunday January 23	9:30am
+Robert & Jocelyn Davignon by family	

WE ASK FOR YOUR PRAYERS

For all who are homebound or in nursing homes, and especially for the following parishioners:

Jeanne Jugan Residence:

Florence Corneau, Jeannine Rondeau,
Annette Tetreault, Lillianne Depot

At Home: Jovina de Barros

St. Antoine: Georgette Smith

Elmhurst Nursing Home:

Cesar Zuleta Sr.

1/9 Weekly Collection	\$2674.00
<u>2nd Collection</u>	
January 16	Catholic University
January 30	Church in Latin America



Faith Formation Schedule

Class January 16, 23, 30

Time: 10:15 to 11:20am

January 2022 events for LIFE

January 7 through February 6

The Missionary Image of Our Lady of Guadalupe will be visiting various parishes throughout the Diocese of Providence from Friday, January 7 through Sunday, February 6, 2022. The full schedule will be available beginning January 3 by contacting 401-278-2518 or LCooley@dioceseofprovidence.org, and by visiting the diocesan website at www.dioceseofprovidence.org.

January 19-27

9 Days for Life

This annual novena for the protection of human life is January 19 - 27, 2022. Sign up here - 9daysforlife.com.

Annual Respect for Life Bus Trip to the March for Life in Washington, DC

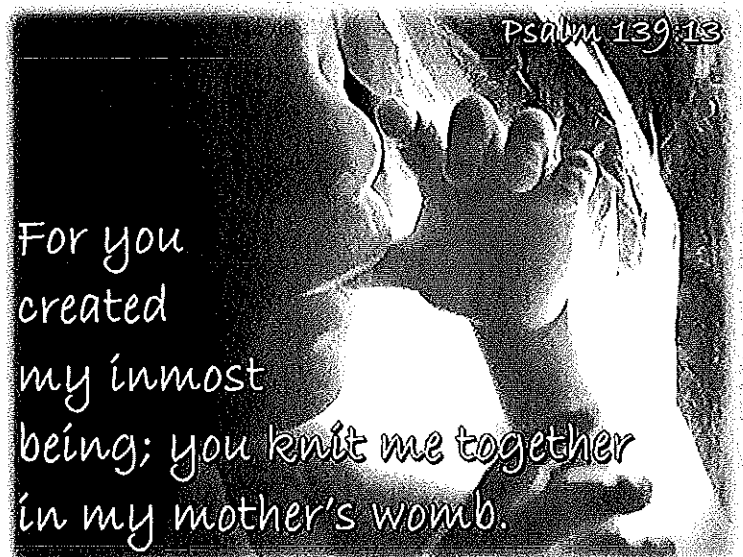
January 20- 22

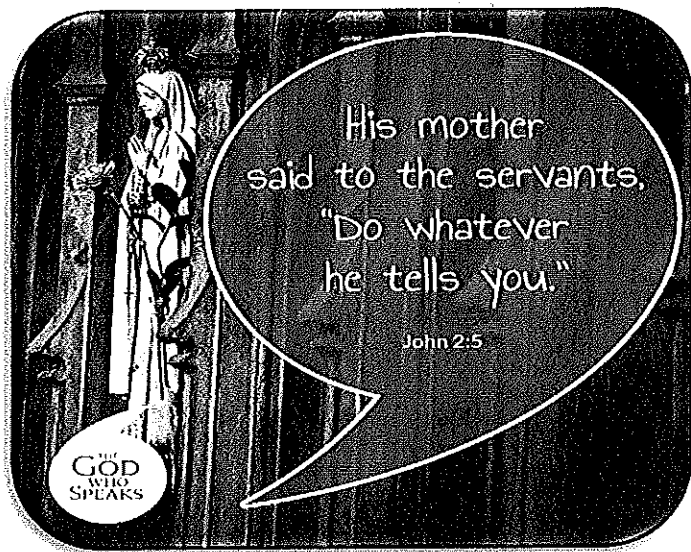
Advance registration required, space is limited, first come, first served. Basic Itinerary: Thurs. evening, Jan. 20 - bus leaves RI to DC Fri., Jan. 21 - Mass, Rally and March in DC Early morning, Sat., Jan. 22

return to RI. Contact 401-278-2518, LCooley@dioceseofprovidence.org to register and for all details. Groups are encouraged to register ASAP.

March for Life Bus Trip

Join Servants of Christ on a charter bus to D.C. for the annual March for Life. We will leave **Thursday morning, Jan 20th**, and stay overnight in a Knights of Columbus hall in Maryland. We will join the March on Friday morning, Jan 21st, and return home Friday night. Trip includes: Bus ride, dinner and breakfast provided by the Knights, overnight lodging, pro-life speaker, evening and morning Mass, and of course the historic March for Life. Cost: \$125/pp. Contact: Tyler Rowley at 401-290-7201 or t3rowley@gmail.com. Servants of Christ for Life was formed in 1973 to save unborn children from the human rights violation of abortion. We pray for, defend, save, and die with unborn children by joining them in their sufferings on the sidewalk. In 1984 we formed two partner organizations: 1) Mother of Life Center and 2) Little Flower Home. MLC is a crisis pregnancy center that offers free ultrasounds, pregnancy tests, parenting classes, and baby products to mothers in crisis pregnancies. LFH offers free housing to mothers in crisis pregnancies.





NO MORE?

“They have no more wine.” —John 2:3

We also say we have no more money, no more time, no more hope, peace, joy, etc. Although the Lord has promised to provide all our needs, we sometimes seem to be lacking our “daily bread” (Mt 6:11). When we have “no more,” we should listen to Mary and do whatever Jesus tells us (Jn 2:5). If we simply obey Him, He will take the water of our insufficiency and transform it into the wine of His plenty. Jesus has given us hundreds of commandments, and by His grace we can obey them all. At the center of all these commandments are those which Jesus gave us a few hours before His death on the cross. Jesus gave four commands at the Last Supper: Take, eat, drink, and do the Last Supper in memory of Him (Mt 26:26-27; Lk 22:19). If we do these commands, we will make present Jesus’ sacrifice on the cross. From the crucified Christ, blood and water flow, providing the needs of all people (see Jn 19:34). Do whatever Jesus tells you. Live the Mass. Make it the center of your life. Receive everything you need. Be deprived “no more.”

Prayer: Father, may I let You provide for me royally (see Phil 4:19).

Promise: “It is one and the same Spirit Who produces all these gifts, distributing them to each as He wills.” —1 Cor 12:11

Praise: Through faith, we know “that He who raised up the Lord Jesus will raise us up along with Jesus and place both us and you in His presence” (2 Cor 4:14). Alleluia! Presentation Ministries

¿NO MÁS?

“No tienen vino” (Juan 2:3). También decimos que no tenemos más dinero, tiempo, esperanza, paz, alegría. Aunque el Señor ha prometido suplir todas nuestras necesidades, a veces parece que nos falta nuestro “pan de cada día” (Mt 6:11). Cuando “no tenemos más”, debemos escuchar a María y hacer lo que Jesús nos diga (Jn 2:5). Si simplemente lo obedecemos, Él tomará el agua de nuestra insuficiencia y la transformará en el vino de Su abundancia. Jesús nos ha dado cientos de mandamientos, y por Su gracia podemos obedecerlos todos. En el centro de todos estos mandamientos están los que Jesús nos dio unas horas antes de Su muerte en la cruz. Jesús dio cuatro mandamientos en la Última Cena: tomen y coman, beban y cumplan la Última Cena en memoria de Él (Mt 26:26-27; Lc 22:19). Si cumplimos estos mandamientos, haremos presente el sacrificio de Jesús en la cruz. Del Cristo crucificado fluyen sangre y agua, que abastecen las necesidades de todas las personas (ver Jn 19:34). Haz lo que Jesús te dice. Vive la Misa. Hazla el centro de tu vida. Recibe todo lo que necesitas. “No” te lo niegues “más”.

Oración: Padre, que te deje colmarme regiamente (ver Fil 4:19).

Promesa: “Es el mismo y único Espíritu el que actúa, distribuyendo sus dones a cada uno en particular como Él quiere” (1 Co 12:11).

Alabanza: Por la fe sabemos que “Aquel que resucitó al Señor Jesús nos resucitará con Él y nos reunirá a su lado junto con ustedes” (2 Co 4:14).

¡Aleluia!

Segundo Domingo de Tiempo Ordinario Enero 16, 2022

Queridos feligreses,

En el Evangelio de este fin de semana, escuchamos sobre la fiesta de bodas en Caná, en las que Jesús realizó un milagro al convertir el agua en vino. La última línea del Evangelio dice: *"Jesús hizo esto como el comienzo de sus señales en Caná de Galilea y así reveló su gloria, y sus discípulos comenzaron a creer en él"*. *"Y sus discípulos comenzaron a creer en él"*. Esto es lo que el Señor quiere de nosotros, Su novia, la Iglesia. **Él quiere que tengamos fe en Él, que caminemos con Él y que busquemos constantemente Su ayuda.** Estamos en una relación matrimonial con el Señor, y el Señor desea nuestra fidelidad hacia Él. Esta fidelidad incluye la disposición a dejar que el Señor nos cambie, como Él cambió el agua en vino. Mis hermanos y hermanas, ¿qué necesitamos cambiar en nuestra vida, para ser más fieles en nuestro matrimonio con nuestro Señor? ¿A qué áreas de nuestras vidas necesitamos invitar al Señor, para que Él pueda cambiar el agua en vino, las partes viejas y ordinarias de nuestras vidas en algo nuevo y extraordinario? *Algunas sugerencias prácticas incluyen dedicar más tiempo a la oración, estudiar más sobre nuestra hermosa Fe Católica, ser más públicos con nuestro testimonio de Jesús e incluso comprometernos a compartir nuestra Fe Católica con otros - evangelizar.* Confiemos todos nuestros cambios a nuestra Santísima Madre. En la Fiesta de Bodas, fue nuestra Santísima Madre quien notó que el vino se estaba acabando, y ella fue a Jesús con el problema. Su intercesión por la pareja de novios les ayudó a evitar la vergüenza de quedarse sin vino en su fiesta de bodas. Al principio, Jesús parece ignorar la intercesión de su madre, pero noten la espera paciente de María en oración, y luego el hermoso consejo que les da a los servidores, *"hagan lo que Él les diga"*. Estas palabras de nuestra Santísima Madre sirven como un gran consejo para nuestro matrimonio con el Señor: hacer lo que Jesús nos pida, escuchando Su palabra, permitiéndole cambiarnos, y luego poniéndola en práctica en nuestras vidas, hasta que lleguemos finalmente a la fiesta de bodas del cielo. *Santa María, Madre de Dios, ruega por nosotros pecadores, ahora y en la hora de nuestra muerte.* ¡Dios les bendiga!

Padre Sistare

INTENCIONES DE LAS MISAS

Sábado 15 de Enero	9:00am
+Eterno descanso de Joao Francisco do Rosario, María Raúl, Daniel do Rosario, intención Adelino do Rosario	
Domingo 16 de Enero	11:30am
Por las intenciones de la Familia Moreno-Uribe, intención de Joaquín E. Moreno	
+Eterno descanso de Eduardo Paredes, intención de Lorena Paredes	
Martes 18 de Enero	7:00pm
Viernes 21 de Enero	7:00pm
Sábado 22 de Enero (Bilingüe)	8:00am
Vigilia	6:00pm
Domingo 23 de Enero	11:30am

Lámpara del Santuario en Enero

En acción de gracias a Jesús Sacramentado, intención de la Familia Lopez-Monzon

12/26	Colecta Semanal	\$2674.00
<u>Segunda Colecta Enero</u>		
1/16	Universidad Católica	
1/30	Iglesia de Latinoamérica	

PEDIMOS SUS ORACIONES

Por todos los que están confinados en su hogar o en acilo de ancianos, especialmente por nuestros feligreses: **Jeanne Jujan Residence:** Florence Corneau, Jeannine Rondeau, Annette Tetreault, Lillianne Depot **At Home:** Jovina de Barros **St. Antoine:** Georgette Smith **Elmhurst:** Cesar Zuleta

HACIENDO DEL
Tiempo Ordinario
ALGO EXTRAORDINARIO

Calendario Formación de Fe
Clases Enero 16, 23 y 30
Hora: 10:15am a 11:20am



Nuestra Parroquia San Juan Bautista nos invita a participar de este curso Introducción a la Biblia. Nuestro objetivo es empezar un proceso de conocimiento, experiencias aprendizaje y enseñanza de la palabra de Dios. Puedes inscribirte después de las Misas con la Hermana Neri.

Misa a la Virgen de la Altagracia
en la Catedral

El Viernes 21 de Enero 7:00 pm: se llevará a cabo una Misa a la Virgen de la Altagracia, Madre Espiritual del pueblo Dominicano a las 7:00 am en la Catedral de San Pedro y San Pablo. El celebrante será Monseñor Jose Dolores Grullón Estrella, Obispo Emérito de la Diócesis de San Juan de la Maguana en la República Dominicana. Habrán confesiones y rezo del Rosario a partir de la 5:00 pm. Organiza el Comité Señora de la Altagracia de Rhode Island. Contacto: 401-368-6955 y 401-781-448

Imagen Misionera
de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe

Visitará varias parroquias en toda la Diócesis de Providence desde el **Viernes 7 de Enero hasta el Domingo, 6 de Febrero de 2022.**

Calendario: <https://buff.ly/3J2fkah>

La Misa anual de Respeto a la Vida se celebrará a las 9:00am del Sábado, 15 de Enero de 2022 en la Catedral de San Pedro y San Pablo en Providence. El Obispo Thomas J. Tobin será el celebrante.

Viaje anual en autobús a la Marcha por la
Vida en Washington, DC 20-22 de Enero

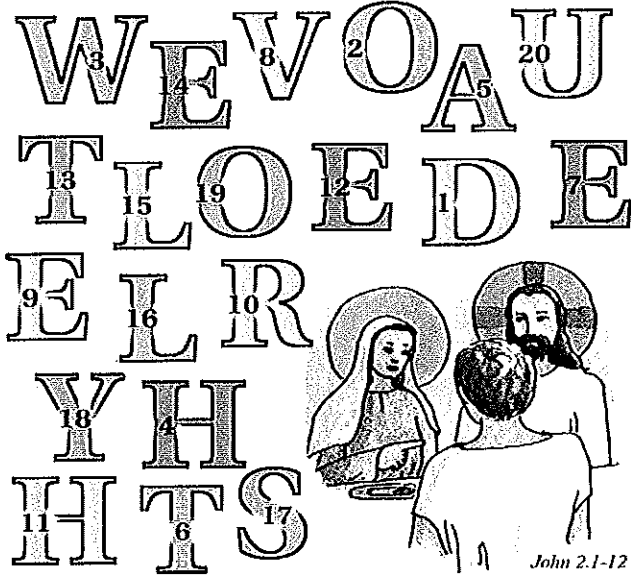
Es necesario registrarse con anticipación, el espacio es limitado. Itinerario básico: Jueves noche, 20 de enero - el autobús sale de RI a DC, Viernes 21 de Enero - Misa, reunión y marcha en DC Temprano en la mañana, Sábado 22 de Enero - regreso a RI. Comuníquese con 401-278-2518, LCooley@dioceseofprovidence.org para registrarse y para obtener todos los detalles. Se anima a los grupos a registrarse lo antes posible.



Es un programa financiado por Caridades Católicas de la Diócesis de Providence e individuos generosos. ¿Quién es elegible para la asistencia Keep the Heat On? Los solicitantes deben haber agotado otras ayudas o no ser elegibles para cualquier otra asistencia de calefacción estatal, federal o privada. Se requiere prueba de inelegibilidad a través de documentación escrita o verificación por teléfono con la agencia local. Se pueden hacer excepciones en determinadas circunstancias. Se anima a presentar la solicitud a cualquier persona que experimente dificultades financieras en relación con su factura de servicios públicos. ¿Cómo me inscribo? Consulte la lista de verificación ([que puede encontrar haciendo clic aquí](#)) y luego llame al 401-421-7833, ext. 207 para comenzar el proceso de solicitud. Luego se programa una cita en la que los solicitantes deben mostrar prueba de no elegibilidad para otros programas de asistencia de calefacción. Se pueden hacer arreglos especiales para los que están enfermos o para los que están confinados a sus hogares. Se pueden contratar intérpretes para quienes hablan un inglés limitado. Para asistencia de emergencia, llame al 401-421-7833, ext. 207.

The Kids' Bulletin

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 16th, 2022

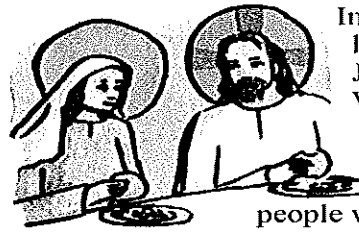


John 2.1-12

Do you know what Mary said to the servants at the wedding feast at Cana? Sort out the letters by their numbers to find out!

- 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20

Mary asks Jesus for a Miracle



In today's Gospel we hear the story of Jesus' first miracle. Wine was an important part of a wedding, and Our Lady felt bad for the people when they ran out.

When Mary hinted to Jesus to do something, Jesus said that the time wasn't ready yet. But do you know what? He did what His mother wanted anyway! He told the servants to fill six big jars with water, and when they did it turned into wine! And not just ordinary wine, but the very best.

We can learn from this story that we should listen to our parents. Jesus is God and even He obeys His mother!

Here's another thing: if you need Jesus to help you with anything, pray to His Blessed Mother to ask Him for it. You know He will listen to His Mother!



Answer to front page: Do whatever He tells you. Crossword: Across: 1. six 2. woman 4. now 8. feast 9. tells 10. said 11. servants 13. wine 16. everyone 17. Jesus 18. when 19. do Down: 1. signs 3. another 5. was 6. wedding 7. became 12. serves 13. water 14. where 15. good

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SAINT SEBASTIAN

January 20

SEBASTIAN WAS BORN TO A ROMAN OR GAULISH FAMILY AROUND THE YEAR 260. HE WAS A CHRISTIAN AND BECAME A SOLDIER.

If I become a soldier I can help the Christians in prison!

SEBASTIAN ENCOURAGED HIS FELLOW CHRISTIANS AND HELPED BRING OTHERS TO THE FAITH. We must not let the persecution frighten us!

HE HELPED PEOPLE WHO WERE IN PRISON FOR THEIR FAITH. Shh! Here's something for you to eat! Thanks!

Haha! Sebastian was a Christian all along! SLAM! BUT THEN HE WAS ARRESTED AND IMPRISONED!

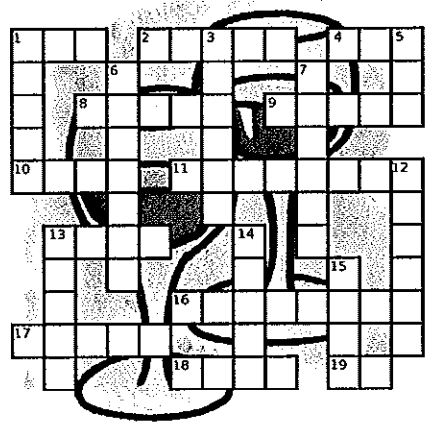
ACCORDING TO HIS LEGEND HE WAS SHOT WITH ARROWS AND LEFT FOR DEAD.

BUT THE CHRISTIANS WHO CAME TO BURY HIM FOUND HE WAS STILL ALIVE AND NURSED HIM BACK TO HEALTH.

WHEN HE HAD RECOVERED, SEBASTIAN WENT TO THE EMPEROR HIMSELF AND TOLD HIM THAT HE WAS WRONG TO KILL THE CHRISTIANS.

AT FIRST THE EMPEROR THOUGHT SEBASTIAN WAS A GHOST, BUT WHEN HE REALIZED HE WAS REALLY ALIVE HE HAD HIM BEATEN TO DEATH WITH CLUBS. THIS STORY REMINDS US NOT TO GIVE UP ON OUR FAITH EVEN WHEN THINGS ARE VERY HARD. IF YOU FEEL LIKE GIVING UP, JUST THINK OF SEBASTIAN!

The Miracle at Cana Crossword



- ACROSS:
- How many water jars were at the wedding at Cana?
 - "_____, what has this to do with us?" (Jesus' words)
 - What had been water was _____ wine.
 - Mary and Jesus were invited to the wedding _____.
 - "Do whatever He _____ you." (Mary's words)
 - Jesus _____ "Fill the jars with water."

- DOWN:
- Who filled the jars with water?
 - They had run out of _____ at the wedding.
 - "_____ else serves the good wine first, but you have saved it till now."
 - _____ and His disciples were also at the wedding.
 - Mary turned to Jesus _____ she saw there was no more wine.
 - "_____ whatever He tells you."

- DOWN:
- Jesus did this first of His _____ in Cana in Galilee.
 - The _____ of Jesus was at a wedding in Cana.
 - Jesus _____ also there.
 - They were guests at the _____.
 - The water _____ wine.
 - "Everyone else _____ the good wine first, but you have saved it until now."
 - They filled the jars with _____.
 - Cana in Galilee was _____ Jesus did His first public miracle.
 - "You have saved the _____ wine until now."



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