

## Scripture Reading

### **Proverbs 8: 1-4**

Wisdom calls to us from the crossroads of life. She raises her voice and says, “To you, O People, I call. My words are to all who live. Come to me, you who lack understanding. Hear, for I will speak gracious things and from my lips will come what is true and right. Seek my teachings instead of silver and my knowledge rather than gold for wisdom is better than jewels and everything you desire does not compare with her. I, wisdom, will offer you awareness and strength of soul.

### **John 2:1-11**

On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, “They have no wine.” And Jesus said to her, “Woman, what concern is that to me and to you? My hour has not yet come.” His mother said to the servants, “Do whatever he tells you.”

Now standing there were six stone water jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. Jesus said to them, “Fill the jars with water.” And they filled them up to the brim.

He said to them, “Now draw some out, and take it to the person in charge of the banquet.” So they took it. When the person in charge tasted the water that had become wine and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), that person called the bridegroom and said to him, “Everyone serves the good wine first and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now.” Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee and revealed his glory, and his disciples believed in him.