

“The Wedding of Cana”...

FROM THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO - JOHN -:

“[The mother of Jesus] said to the servers, ‘Do whatever he tells you.’...Jesus told them, ‘Fill the jars with water.’ So they filled them to the brim.” (John 2:5, 7)¹

MEDITATION ON THE MYSTERY:

At Mary’s request, Jesus changed the 6 jars of water into 6 jars of wine, a figure of the Divine Spirit: so that we may espouse, well and with joy, the right ideal of life. (cf. SLC, p. 206G)

FROM THE TEACHINGS OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH:

- In regards to the sacrament of matrimony, Pope Francis says: *“The spouses, in fact, in virtue of the Sacrament, are invested with a true and proper mission, so that starting with the simple ordinary things of life they may make visible the love with which Christ loves His Church, by continuing to give his life for her in fidelity and service.”* (FRANCIS, General Audience, 2 April 2014)

¹NABRE (USCCB)

FREE AND PERSONAL MEDITATION

(for a personal contribution to give to those who listen) :

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Then follows ...

- 1 Our Father ...
- 5 Hail Mary ...
- 1 Glory be to the Father ... (Sung)

- Praised be,,,
- O my Jesus, forgive us...
- Mary, Queen of Peace ...

- Then, a quick song relevant to the mystery / or one sings : “ Aveeeee, Aveeeee, Ave Maria ...”

Then one goes on to the next Mystery which (like this one) if possible must not take more than 5-7 minutes ...