



February 1, 2026, The Woman at the Well

John 4:1-42

Use this resource at home to guide your household's daily devotions.



Pray: Light a candle and open your devotion time with a prayer.

Holy God, your son, Jesus Christ, carried your love to all people, often crossing boundaries in a powerful example of radical welcome. Inspire us to follow in his way, and act in love for all our neighbors, without exception. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.



Read: Read the key verse from Sunday's reading.

Jesus said to her, "Everyone who drinks of this water will be thirsty again, but those who drink of the water that I will give them will never be thirsty. The water that I will give will become in them a spring of water gushing up to eternal life." (John 4:13-14)



Reflect: Reflect on the scripture summary.

One thirsty Jewish rabbi on a long journey. One Samaritan woman by a water source. A perfect moment for the God of new life to dissolve age-old divisions.



Connect: Connect in conversation with others in your household.

- What was a high point of your day? What was a low point?
- Where do you draw living water? What nourishes your soul?
- What nourishes God's soul?
- For the littles: What makes you feel happy?



Bless: Close your devotion with a blessing.

May God fill you with living water. Amen.



Do: By acting on what we learn, we make God's word come alive. Do the following activity this week.

Add more fruits and vegetables to your meals this week. Drink lots of water. Take several long walks. Nourish your body as well as your soul.



Go Deeper: Go to clergystuff.com/daily-devotions for devotions on the Narrative Lectionary daily readings.

Monday: *Longing for God and His Help in Distress*, Psalm 42:1-3

Tuesday: *Jesus Returns to Galilee*, John 4:43-45

Wednesday: *Hope in the Lord*, Jeremiah 2:8-18

Thursday: *Hope for Israel*, Jeremiah 17:8-18

Friday: *Sweet Love*, Song of Solomon 4:10—5:4

Saturday: *Day of Deliverance*, Zechariah 14:3-13