

LENT PART 3: BE MADE NEW – THE LIVING WATER

Big Idea: Jesus offers living water that satisfies the deepest thirst of our soul.

Theme: True transformation comes when we stop seeking fulfillment in the world and turn to Christ.

I. The Lenten Journey

Lent reveals our spiritual struggles and need for transformation.

- 1 Romans 3:23 – All have sinned
- 2 Hebrews 4:15 – Jesus understands our struggles

II. Jesus Meets Us in the Ordinary

Jesus often speaks in everyday moments.

- 1 John 4:7 – Jesus asks for water
- 2 1 Kings 19:12 – God speaks in a whisper

III. Jesus Breaks Barriers

Jesus crosses cultural, social, and personal barriers.

- 1 Luke 19:10 – Seek and save the lost
- 2 Galatians 3:28 – Unity in Christ

IV. Misplaced Thirst

We often seek fulfillment in the wrong places.

- 1 John 4:16–18 – Jesus reveals her past
- 2 Jeremiah 2:13 – Broken cisterns

V. Living Water

Only Jesus truly satisfies our deepest needs.

- 1 John 4:13–14
- 2 Psalm 42:1–2

VI. From Shame to Freedom

Jesus brings healing, not condemnation.

- 1 Romans 8:1 – No condemnation

- 2 John 8:36 – Set free

VII. Transformation Leads to Witness

Changed lives impact others.

- 1 John 4:28–30
- 2 Matthew 5:16

VIII. Identity in Christ

Our identity shifts from shame to purpose.

- 1 Galatians 1:10
- 2 2 Corinthians 5:17

Discussion Questions

- 1 Where is Jesus meeting you daily?
- 2 What barriers are holding you back?
- 3 Where are you seeking fulfillment?
- 4 How can you share your testimony?

Closing Prayer

Father, fill us with Your living water and transform our hearts. Help us walk in Your truth and share Your love. Amen.