Preparing for Change Series: Preparing For A Miracle September 14, 2025 Pastor Lane Olson New Song Community Church

Text: John 7:37-46 (NLT)

A. Jesus makes an invitation

- 1. To anyone who is thirsty, the water is free.
 - i. We were all created with a thirst for God.
- 2. Are you thirsty?

B. If nothing changes nothing changes.

- 1. How bad do you want change?
- 2. What would it mean if you made Jesus your top priority in life.
- 3. Only in the context of relation with God can your thirst be satisfied.

C. Drinking the Living Water that Jesus talks about.

- 1. Begins with Faith (v. 38 anyone who believes in me...)
- 2. Not only a drink, but a *well* from within you (V. 38 from within your heart)
 - i. You will never thirst again.

John 4:13-14 (NLT)

John 6:35 (NLT)

3. The Holy Spirit, (the river maker) lives within you.

4. Your joy and satisfaction are not dependent on external circumstances.

D. The flow is always equal to your need.

Next Steps Today I am:

- 1. Committing my life to Christ
- 2. Today I am thirsty for more of God
- 3. Willing to be made thirsty for more of God
- 4. I will help with the pot luck next Sunday