

February 15, 2026

BLESS: The Power of Story (John 4:3-30)

To someone, your story is Living Water; share your story.

Warmup: What's the most unexpectedly great conversation you've ever had—with a stranger or someone you barely knew?

READ John 4:3-30

- Why did Jesus have to go to Samaria?
- Describe how Jesus started a conversation with the woman at the well.
- How can Jesus' way of beginning a conversation help you with future B.L.E.S.S. conversations?
- The woman did not know who she was talking to. What push back did the woman give to Jesus?
- What was confusing to this woman about worship? (Verses 19-24)

REFLECT

- Jesus teaches that true worship happens “in spirit and in truth.” If worship is ultimately about the posture of your heart rather than a place or a ritual, how does that truth connect with your own story of following Jesus?
- According to the sermon, what 2 things make your story a good story?
- The B.L.E.S.S. book divides your personal story with Jesus into 3 parts. Record pertinent details for each portion.

My life before I met Jesus

When I met Jesus

My life since I met Jesus

RESPOND

- Share your 2-minute story with a person in your Life Group. Now switch roles. Offer one another feedback: did I stay within the time limit – was Jesus the hero of my story – what impacts me most about your story is... Pray with one another about opportunities to share your story.

“To transform religious and irreligious people into Fully Devoted Followers of Christ.”