

1st Luminous Mystery (Mysteries of Light)

The Baptism of Jesus

Jesus was baptized in the Jordan River by His cousin John the Baptist. When He was baptized the heavens were opened and He saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove. A voice from heaven said, “this is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased.”

2nd Luminous Mystery Wedding at Cana

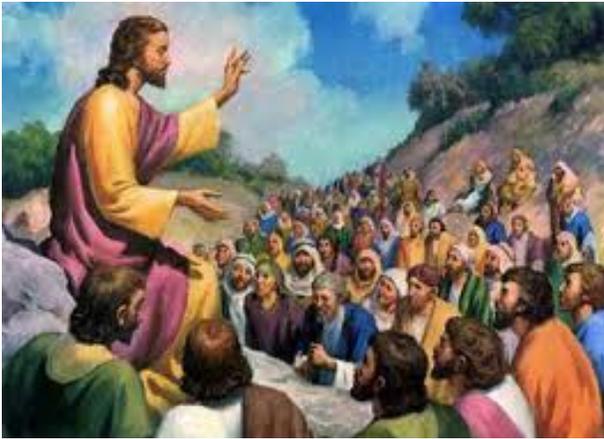
Jesus was at a wedding feast in Cana with His mother. When the wine ran short, Mary said to Jesus, “They have no wine.” Mary then told the servers, “Do whatever He tells you.” The servers filled 6 stone water jars to the brim. Jesus then turned the water into wine. The headwaiter told the bridegroom, “Everyone serves good wine first, but you have kept the good wine until now.” This was Jesus’ first miracle.



3rd Luminous Mystery

Proclamation of the Kingdom

Jesus preaches to the crowds telling them about the Kingdom of God. “And preach as you go, saying, ‘The kingdom of heaven is at hand.’ Heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse lepers, cast out demons. You received without pay, give without pay.” Go and share the good news. You received so much in your life, so share it with others.



4th Luminous Mystery

The Transfiguration

Peter, James, and John went up to the mountain to pray. While Jesus was praying his face changed in appearance and His clothing became dazzling white. Two men were talking with Jesus, Moses and Elijah. Peter, James, and John had fallen asleep, and awoke to see His glory with Moses and Elijah standing with Him. A voice came out of the clouds saying, “This is my chosen Son, listen to Him!” This happened on

Mount Tabor.



5th Luminous Mystery
Institution of the Eucharist

Before Jesus dies, He gives us His body & blood. He took bread, and when He had given thanks He broke it and gave it to His disciples saying, “This is my body which is given for you.” Then after supper He took a cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them saying, “Drink from it, all of you, for this is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed for you.”

The Last Supper – Holy Thursday

