



# Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

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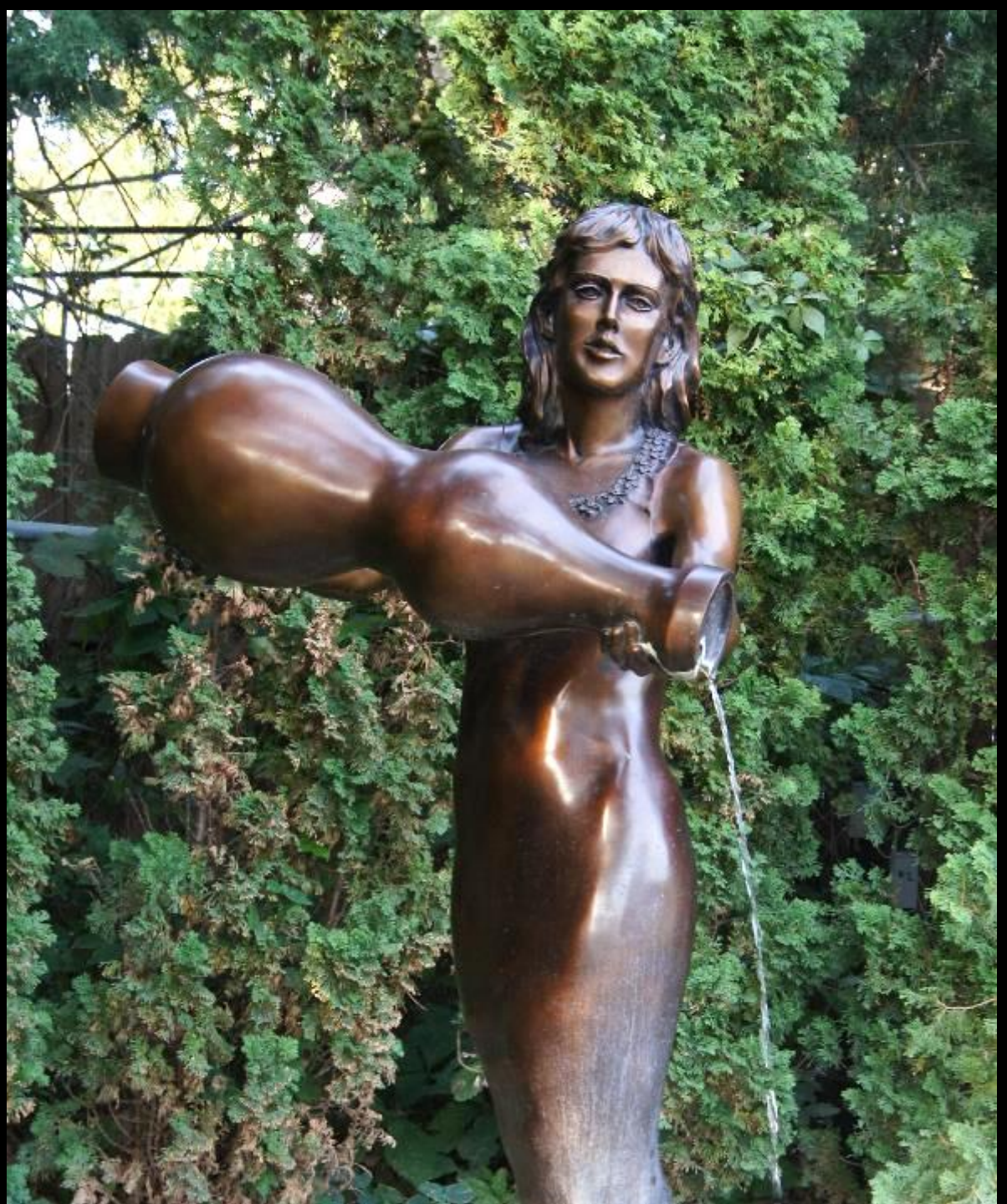
Genesis 24:34-38, 42-49, 58-67 and Psalm 45:10-17 or Song  
of Solomon 2:8-13 • Zechariah 9:9-12 and Psalm 145:8-14  
Romans 7:15-25a • Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30

"Before I had finished speaking in my heart, there was Rebekah coming out with her water jar on her shoulder;"

Genesis 24:45a

Rebecca at the Well

David Young  
Sunken Gardens  
Lincoln, Nebraska



She quickly let down her jar from her shoulder, and said, 'Drink, and I will also water your camels.'

Genesis 24:46



Isaac's Messenger Drinks from Rebecca's Jug -- Duomo, Milan, Italy

Then I asked her, 'Whose daughter are you?' She said, 'The daughter of Bethuel, Nahor's son, whom Milcah bore to him.' So I put the ring on her nose, and the bracelets on her arms.

Genesis 24:47

Rebecca With Her  
Gifts from Isaac

Juliana Howard  
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And they called Rebekah, and said to her, "Will you go with this man?" She said, "I will."

Genesis 24:58





Rebecca at the Well -- Nicolas Poussin, Louvre Museum, Paris, France

...Isaac...took Rebekah, and she became his wife; and he loved her. So Isaac was comforted after his mother's death.

Genesis 24:67



Isaac and Rebecca -- Rembrandt, Rijksmuseum, Amsterdam, Netherlands

Hear, O daughter, consider and incline  
your ear ... I will cause your name to  
be celebrated in all generations;

Psalm 45:10a, 17a

Manche Masemola,  
South African Martyr

Westminster Abbey  
London, England



For I delight in the law of God  
in my inmost self,

Romans 7:22



Ceiling of Keur Moussa Abbey, Senegal

"Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest."

Matthew 11:28





The Thankful Poor -- Henry Ossawa Tanner

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