

## Bread of Life



MEMORY VERSE: "Jesus replied, 'I am the Bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry again.'"

John 6:35



### JOHN 6:1-9 A Hungry Crowd

1. Why were the people following Jesus? What did Jesus want to do for them? vv. 1-5
2. From verses 7-8, what do you think Philip and Andrew's responses to Jesus reveal about their faith in Him at that time?
3. Not much is said about the boy with the 5 loaves and 2 fishes, but in giving his bread to Jesus, what qualities did he show?



### JOHN 6:10-13 Jesus Feeds the 5000

4. Jesus thanked God before He gave the food out. Why do we say thanks to God before we eat?
5. Review the definition of miracle on the Scripture page. What miracle happened with the 5 loaves and 2 fishes?
6. What does this event tell you about the way God can work in our lives?



## JOHN 6:33-35, 40 Jesus is The Bread of Life

7. Jesus said, "I am the \_\_\_\_\_ of life." He is not talking about food for our body but for our soul. What must we do to not be spiritually hungry or thirsty? vv. 33-35

8. Just as your stomach growls for food, your soul longs for God. How does God fill us up? What happens when we go to God with our: worries? fears? guilt? anger? selfishness? loneliness? hurt? confusion?...

9. What does Jesus tell us is God's will? v. 40

### BELIEVE THE TRUTH

Just like we are physically hungry and thirsty, we also are spiritually hungry and thirsty. Without Jesus, we are empty, but with Him we are full and satisfied. Only God can truly meet our needs and satisfy our deep hunger for love, forgiveness, direction and purpose. Seek Him, pray to Him, trust in the Bread of Life to meet your every need!

### PRAY THE TRUTH

Dear God, thank You for giving me this place inside of me, my soul, that only You can fill and satisfy. Thank You for knowing my every need. Show me how to trust You with my needs. I love You! Amen.

### WALK IN TRUTH



When you are faced with a big problem, what is your first response? What do you think would happen if you went to Jesus first every time?

What tough situation do you need to trust God to work out in your life this week?

## John 6:1-13, 33-35, 40 (NLT)

### John 6:1-9 Jesus Feeds Five Thousand

6 After this, Jesus crossed over to the far side of the Sea of Galilee, also known as the Sea of Tiberias. 2 A huge crowd kept following him wherever he went, because they saw his miraculous signs as he healed the sick. 3 Then Jesus climbed a hill and sat down with his disciples around him. 4 (It was nearly time for the Jewish Passover celebration.) 5 Jesus soon saw a huge crowd of people coming to look for him. Turning to Philip, he asked, "Where can we buy bread to feed all these people?" 6 He was testing Philip, for he already knew what he was going to do. 7 Philip replied, "Even if we worked for months, we wouldn't have enough money to feed them!" 8 Then Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, spoke up. 9 "There's a young boy here with five barley loaves and two fish. But what good is that with this huge crowd?"

### John 6:10-13

10 "Tell everyone to sit down," Jesus said. So they all sat down on the grassy slopes. (The men alone numbered about 5,000.) 11 Then Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks to God, and distributed them to the people. Afterward he did the same with the fish. And they all ate as much as they wanted. 12 After everyone was full, Jesus told his disciples, "Now gather the leftovers, so that nothing is wasted." 13 So they picked up the pieces and filled twelve baskets with scraps left by the people who had eaten from the five barley loaves.

### John 6:33-35

33 The true bread of God is the one who comes down from heaven and gives life to the world." 34 "Sir," they said, "give us that bread every day." 35 Jesus replied, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry again. Whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.

### John 6:40

40 "For it is my Father's will that all who see his Son and believe in him should have eternal life. I will raise them up at the last day."

**miracle:** wonderful happening that cannot be explained by nature or science; demonstration of God's power.

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