

Bible Study

Gods Word in Focus



Week Eleven

Gospel of John

John 6:1-21

"They saw the signs which Jesus did"

John 6:1-15

Jesus makes a claim only God can make: He is the *true bread of heaven* that can satisfy the deepest hunger we experience. The feeding of the five thousand shows the remarkable generosity of God and his great kindness towards us.

When God gives, he gives abundantly. He gives more than we need for ourselves that we may have something to share with others, especially those who lack what they need. God takes the little we have and multiplies it for the good of others.

Do you trust in God's provision for you and do you share freely with others, especially those who lack?

Jesus said: “It is I; do not be afraid”

John 6:16-21

Does the Lord ever seem distant to you? When John recounted the apostles being alone at sea in a storm he described the situation as “dark” (John 6:17).

It was dark not only physically but spiritually as well. Although they were experienced fishermen, they were fearful for their lives.

The Lord’s sudden presence on the sea only made them more fearful! John says they were frightened. And Jesus had to calm them with a reassuring command: “Do not be afraid because I am here with you!”