



# The Gospel of John

Session Eleven: The Feeding of the 5,000 and  
Jesus Walks on Water

## THE GOSPEL OF JOHN

### THE FEEDING OF THE 5,000 AND JESUS WALKS ON WATER

#### TODAY'S SCRIPTURE

JOHN 6:1-21

1. **THE ALL-SUFFICIENT \_\_\_\_\_: JESUS MEETS OUR NEED \_\_\_\_\_  
OUR MEANS**

John 6:1-13

2. **THE \_\_\_\_\_ MESSIAH: WHEN WE WANT JESUS ON OUR \_\_\_\_\_**

John 6:14-15

3. **THE \_\_\_\_\_ SAVIOR: \_\_\_\_\_ IN THE STORM**

John 6:16-21

#### APPLY

How might our group live differently if we embraced Jesus's full identity—both meeting needs and sovereign over chaos—rather than simply expecting Him to fix our immediate problems?

#### READING PLAN

- Monday- John 6:1-3
- Tuesday- John 6:4-6
- Wednesday- John 6:7-13
- Thursday- John 6:14-15
- Friday- John 6:16-21

*Through Jesus's provision, he is revealing something about who he is that the crowd misses. They see him as either a healthcare provider or a militant ruler. Read John 6:16-21 and Exodus 3:7-14 and consider who Scripture says he is. Which of these providers have you viewed Him to be, as you examine the way you relate to Him?*



## LOOKING TO NEXT WEEK...

### LESSON #12

#### THE BREAD OF LIFE

### NEXT WEEK'S SCRIPTURE

JOHN 6:22-59

### THE LESSON AT A GLANCE

In today's discourse, Jesus shared the first of seven "I am" statements in the book of John: "I am the Bread of life" (John 6:35). You might recall that John's Gospel is organized thematically, not necessarily chronologically, and is roughly divided into two sections: Jesus's public and private ministry, and the events leading up to the cross. Throughout these sections, you'll encounter these "I am" statements, and you'll notice how the narrative in John's Gospel reveals who Christ is.

Each "I am" statement is followed by a promise. Today's promise? "Whoever comes to me will never go hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty" (John 6:35).

Highlight these statements and promises as you encounter them and seek to commit them to memory.

### THE MAIN IDEA

Jesus declared Himself the Bread of Life and taught that He is the source of eternal sustenance. God will provide for our needs. We are to pursue growing faith as we trust in Him.

### QUESTIONS TO EXPLORE

*Is there an area of life where you are struggling to trust in God's providence? How might experiencing Jesus as the Bread of Life help you navigate a season of waiting?*

