

Friday, August 7, 2020

Matthew 14:13-21



We learn in v. 16 that Jesus tells the disciples that the crowds do not need to go away to get something to eat. Jesus tells them to feed the crowds, and the disciples explain that they had five loaves of bread and two fish.

What did Jesus tell them to do with the five loaves and the two fish? What did Jesus do, and what did he do *first*? Explain *thankfulness* and *gratitude*.

Saturday, August 8, 2020

Life Application and Challenge



Scripture teaches that the disciple approached the problem of feeding the five thousand people with five loaves of bread and two fish from a practical and human point of view. They did not look beyond their own capabilities.

How often do we limit God by saying, “What’s the use?” How often do we eliminate the God factor in what Jesus is calling us to accomplish?

THE † QUARRY

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¹³ "Enter through the narrow gate. For wide is the gate and broad is the road that leads to destruction, and many enter through it. ¹⁴ But small is the gate and narrow the road that leads to life, and only a few find it.—Matthew 7:13-14—NIV

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Isaiah 55:1-5; Psalm 145:8-9, 14-21; Romans 9:1-5; Matthew 14:13-21

The week of August 2, 2020

²⁰ They all ate and were satisfied, and the disciples picked up twelve basketfuls of broken pieces that were left over. ²¹ The number of those who ate was about five thousand men, besides women and children.

Matthew 14:20-21—NIV

What teaching points, lifestyle questions, and biblical learnings can I take away from the sermon and apply to my own life today?



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MY DAILY PRAYER FOCUS

Please pray for our church: that we will be able to share the stories of the miracles of Jesus with others.

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MY PRAYER JOURNAL
FOR THE WEEK

Monday, August 3, 2020

Matthew 14:13-21



This passage teaches that Jesus saw the large crowd of people who followed him on foot from the towns, and that he showed compassion by healing those persons among them who were sick.

How did the disciples articulate their compassion and concern for persons in the crowd as it grew late in the day? What did they suggest?

Tuesday, August 4, 2020

Isaiah 55:1-5



In these verses the prophet is sharing what the LORD has directed him to tell the people. He is encouraging them to believe in things eternal, and that God will provide an everlasting covenant.

Suppose the LORD came and said these things to you through prophecy? How would you respond to these teachings here in the twenty-first century?

Wednesday, August 5, 2020

Psalms 145:8-9, 14-21



The psalmist shares several important characteristics regarding the LORD. These are significant enough to be included in Scripture, and we can learn more about the character of God from what we read here.

How do you recognize these qualities in the LORD, and, as a consequence of this, how do you live your life for the LORD?

Thursday, August 6, 2020

Romans 9:1-5



Paul shares his passion for Christ and his compassion for the people Israel. At one point Paul writes that if only he could, he would trade places with them in order for them to experience what Christ has done for him.

How obvious is Christ's love for humanity that we are overcome with joy at our assurance of salvation and gripped with pain at the response of the world?

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