

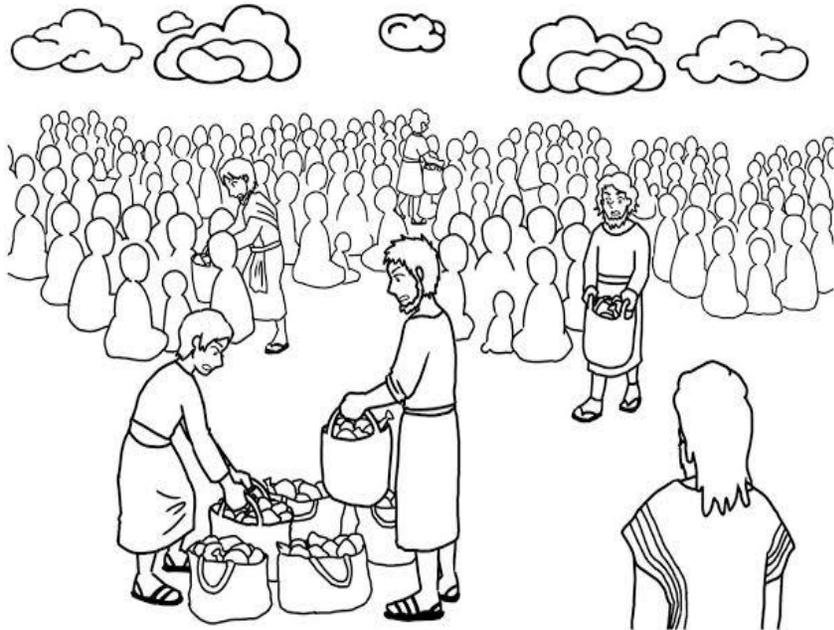
Benjas (0-5 years) Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Lesson: FEEDING THE FIVE- THOUSAND

Reference: John 6:1-15, 25-59

Point:

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Judges (6-7 years) Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Read the full story from John 6:1-15, 25-59**

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Jesus is God – God the son. Only God has the power to multiply food in that way and feed a large crowd. If you asked a normal person to do it, they would not manage. So Jesus is God, and he is therefore able to perfectly meet our physical and spiritual needs.

The crowd came to Jesus, looking for something; they wanted physical healing and food. Jesus gave the crowd what they wanted - food, but also told the crowd what they needed. More than the physical healing, and the food, the crowd needed eternal life (life for ever), which they could get by believing in Jesus - the bread of life. The healings that Jesus performed and the food that he provided could only help the people in this life because all these people would die one day. The most important thing that Jesus wanted to give the crowd was life forever (eternal life). Jesus could meet both the crowd's physical and spiritual needs.

In the same way, Jesus can perfectly meet both our physical and spiritual needs for ever. Jesus can do this because he is God. All we have to do is trust/ believe in him, just like he told the crowd that day. *So, have you believed in him?*

Just as physical bread keeps our bodies alive, so Jesus can make us alive spiritually. He is the bread of life who can make us live forever with him, but to receive this gift, we need to receive him. We need to accept his death in our place and trust in him.



Why were the people following Jesus? (6:2)

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What did the people need? (6:5) \_\_\_\_\_

What did Jesus do for them? (6:9-13) Tick the correct answer.

- Sent the people away.                       Fed them so that everyone was full.  
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How did the people respond? (6:15, 26, 36)

1. Tried to force him to be k \_ \_ \_ .
2. L \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ for him because they wanted more b \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ .
3. Did not b \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ in him .

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How does a person get eternal life?

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