



Rock Point Church
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BIG IDEA | Where God guides, He will provide.

Matthew 14:13-17 (NLT)

¹³ As soon as Jesus heard the news, he left in a boat to a remote area to be alone. But the crowds heard where he was headed and followed on foot from many towns. ¹⁴ Jesus saw the huge crowd as he stepped from the boat, and he had compassion on them and healed their sick.

¹⁵ That evening the disciples came to him and said, "This is a remote place, and it's already getting late. Send the crowds away so they can go to the villages and buy food for themselves."

¹⁶ But Jesus said, "That isn't necessary—you feed them."

¹⁷ "But we have only five loaves of bread and two fish!" they answered.

Trust God with what He asks.

Matthew 14:18 (NLT)

¹⁸ "Bring them here," he said.

Trust God with what you have.

Matthew 14:19-21 (NLT)

¹⁹ Then he told the people to sit down on the grass. Jesus took the five loaves and two fish, looked up toward heaven, and blessed them. Then, breaking the loaves into pieces, he gave the bread to the disciples, who distributed it to the people. ²⁰ They all ate as much as they wanted, and afterward, the disciples picked up twelve baskets of leftovers. ²¹ About 5,000 men were fed that day, in addition to all the women and children!

Trust God with what He'll do.

GROUPS QUESTIONS:

1. What stood out to you most about this week's sermon?
2. Talk about a time when you weren't in control of something. What happened? Why do we struggle with losing control?
3. Read Matthew 14:13-18. Why do we think we need to have more before we can do what God asks? Where do you need to trust God with what you have?
4. What have you chained yourself to that prevents you from doing what God asks?
5. Pastor Bill said, "God is a God of multiplication not subtraction." How have you seen this to be true in your life?
6. What is the next step you need to take to do what God says with your time, talent, treasure, and testimony?