

Jesus Feeds the 5,000 Worksheet

Hard: look up the answers in your Bible • John 6:1–14

Name: _____ Date: _____

Look it up in your Bible

Read the verse, then write the answer on the line.

1. What sea did Jesus go over? *Read John 6:1.* _____
2. Why did the crowd follow Jesus? *Read John 6:2.* _____
3. Who did Jesus ask where to buy bread? *Read John 6:5.* _____
4. What did Philip say was not enough? *Read John 6:7.* _____
5. Who was Andrew's brother? *Read John 6:8.* _____
6. What did the lad have? *Read John 6:9.* _____
7. About how many men sat down? *Read John 6:10.* _____
8. How many baskets did they fill? *Read John 6:13.* _____

Memory verse

Write Philippians 4:19 from memory. The first letter of each word is given.

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 h r i g b C J . *Philippians 4:19 (KJV)*

Think about it

The lad's lunch was small, but Jesus gave thanks and fed a huge crowd with it (John 6:9–11). What is something you can give or share this week?



Answer key

Look it up in your Bible

1. **The sea of Galilee**, which is the sea of Tiberias. (*John 6:1*)
2. **They saw His miracles** which He did on them that were diseased (sick). (*John 6:2*)
3. **Philip**. (*John 6:5*)
4. **Two hundred pennyworth** of bread was not sufficient (enough). A penny was a day's pay (Matthew 20:2). (*John 6:7*)
5. **Simon Peter**. (*John 6:8*)
6. **Five barley loaves and two small fishes**. (*John 6:9*)
7. **About five thousand**. (*John 6:10*)
8. **Twelve baskets**. (*John 6:13*)

Memory verse

"But my God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus." *Philippians 4:19* (KJV)

Think about it

Answers will vary. Andrew wondered what a small lunch could do "among so many" (John 6:9), but Jesus used it to feed everyone. Let kids share real, everyday ways to give, like sharing a snack, helping at home, giving in the offering, praying for someone or being kind to a new kid.

For the teacher

Time: about 20 minutes · **Ages:** grades 3–5

- **Bibles:** each child (or each pair) needs a King James Bible open to John 6.
- **Old Bible words explained:** multitude = huge crowd, diseased = sick, whence = from where, pennyworth = a penny's worth (a penny was a day's pay), sufficient = enough, lad = boy, fragments = leftover pieces, supply = give, riches in glory = God has more than enough.
- **Talk about it:** Jesus took the loaves and gave thanks before anyone ate (John 6:11). Ask kids to share their "think about it" answers.
- **Teach the story first:** use the free Jesus Feeds the 5,000 Sunday school lesson at vbshq.com/lessons/feeding-the-5000-lesson.