

### The Heart of the Matter

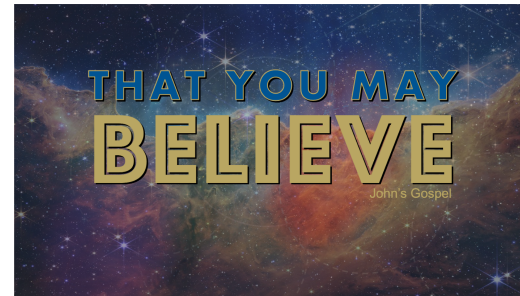
12. When has God stretched your limited resources (physically, emotionally, spiritually) far beyond what you could have imagined?

13. In what way do you need to trust Jesus right now for your provision?

14. How are you like Philip and Andrew – failing to remember what Jesus can do when faced with a difficult situation?

15. What limited resource do you have that you need to offer to Jesus right now for His use for something far greater?

### Praises and Prayer Requests:



## Life Group Study Guide

### Resting In God's Provision John 6:1-14 For the Week of August 27, 2023

#### Getting Started

1. What insight, principle, or observation from this weekend's message did you find to be the most helpful, eye-opening, or troubling?
2. Do you prefer large dinner parties and gatherings, smaller more intimate settings with a dinner for four, or just a quiet dinner with a friend?
3. Where is your favorite place to dine?

### **Digging Deeper**

4. From verses 1-5, how would you describe the setting for this incredible miracle?

5. According to verse 2, why did the crowd follow after Jesus? What did they think about him?

6. According to Mark 6:14-29, what horrible news had Jesus just heard about before He fed the 5000? How might have this sad news affected Him in His ministry?

7. What was the test that Jesus was using on Philip in verse 5? From their responses, how would you assess Philip and Andrew's initial responses?

8. From verse 10-11, how did Jesus lead this large congregation so that everyone would be able to have a meal? What specific steps did Jesus take?

9. Why was there still more food after the feeding than before? What might be significant about the 12 baskets of leftovers?

10. How could the nearness of the Passover feast (when the Jews from all over came to Jerusalem) fuel the desires of the people in verses 14-15?

11. What does Jesus' response in verse 15 indicate about His idea of His kingship?