

CHARGE Youth Discussion Questions Outline

GRADE
7-12

Date & Week

March 1, 2026 (Wk 5)

Bible Focus

John 6:1-14

Theme Focus

Feeding 5000

Discussion Questions

Main Point: Jesus doesn't just provide for our physical needs but our spiritual needs as well.

Warm-up questions

1. What's the best picnic you've ever been on? What type of food makes for the best picnic?

Read John 6:1-14

2. Have you ever been in a situation when you had something that was needed to sort out a problem a group was facing?

3. What is the problem that is facing Jesus and the disciples?

4. What surprises you about the conversation in verses 6-7? Does Philip's response seem reasonable?

5. What does Jesus do after the disciples have had that huge crowd sit down?

6. Why do you think that Jesus said: "don't waster anything". How does this point to how God is abundant in providing for his people?

7. What is the 'sign that the people have seen?



8. What does it mean that Jesus is the 'bread of life'? How do we feed on him?

Application

9. How might this story encourage you when you feel like you don't have enough to offer? How might God use us today (and our humble hearts and small offerings), if we are willing?

Prayer

Dear Father, thank you that Jesus is the bread of life who has come down from heaven for us. Help us to look to him, feed on him, and know life in his name. Amen.

(Jesus said) 'Gather the pieces that are left over. Let nothing be wasted.' So they gathered them and filled twelve baskets with the pieces of the five barley loaves left over by those who had eaten. John 6: 12-13.