

Fish and Loaves

THE WORD



After Jesus finished teaching the crowd, the people were very hungry. The disciples came to Jesus – they had only five loaves and two fish and there were more than 5000 men. Jesus took the loaves and fish, said the blessing and gave them to the disciples for the people. They all ate their fill and there were twelve baskets of scraps left over.

Gen 14:18–20 | Ps 109 | Cor 11:23–26 | Lk 9:11–17

LOOK CLOSER



Feed me Lord! Jesus shows us that he cares deeply for his followers. He nourishes us not only spiritually, but physically as well. Today's feast, The Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi in Latin) reminds us that Jesus gives us his own body and blood so that we might live with him forever.

Celebrate: Have a special family meal together this week. Before eating, make sure you offer a prayer of thanks and ask God's blessing on the family.

PRAYER SPACE



Symbol: Fish

Lord Jesus,
you are the living bread from heaven. May we live for ever with you.
Amen.



DID YOU KNOW?

Corpus Christi. Today we pause to give special consideration to the Bread of Life nourishing our lives. When we break bread and share one cup we recall that sacred meal between Jesus and his disciples just before he died on the cross.

PUZZLE

Find-a-Word

Bread, Body, Blood, Cup, Crowd, Corpus Christi, Meal, Jesus Christ, Heaven, Five thousand, Hungry, Blessing, Eat, Teaching

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