Exploring God’s Word

Activity Book
New Testament 2
LESSON 1

6/28/19
“His disciples believed in Him” (John 2:11b).
Tic-Tac-Toe Questions

1) Where was the wedding? (Cana)

2) Who did Jesus talk to there? (His mother)

3) What is a miracle? (a supernatural act)

4) What is so famous about this story? (the first miracle of Jesus)

5) Who asked Jesus to get more wine? (His mother)

6) Why were miracles done? (to confirm the Word of God)

7) What is a wedding? (a formal ceremony of a male and female to marry)

8) Did Jesus obey His mother when she asked Him to make some wine? (Yes)

9) What does the word “omnipotent” mean? (all-powerful)

10) Was the wine that Jesus created alcoholic wine? (No, back in those times “wine” sometimes meant grape juice)

11) Who else was with Jesus at the wedding? (His disciples)

12) Was Jesus involved in Creation? If so, what Scripture tells us that? (Yes, John 1:1-5)

13) How many water pots did Jesus fill? (six, John 2:6)

14) What were the water pots made of? (stone)

15) Who did the master of the feast talk to when he tasted the wine? (the bridegroom)
Water Into Wine
True or False Activity

Instructions: Write “T” beside each statement that is true and “F” beside each statement that is false.

1. This miracle is recorded in Matthew, Mark, and Luke.  (T)
2. This miracle is recorded only in the book of John.  (F)
3. Mary told the servants to do whatever Jesus told them to do.  (T)
4. Jesus was invited to the wedding, but His disciples weren’t.  (T)
5. The wedding was in Cana of Galilee.  (T)
6. The head waiter (steward) was angry because the new juice tasted awful.  (T)
7. Jesus’ disciples did not believe in Him after this miracle.  (F)
8. Mary asked Jesus to help because the juice for the wedding celebration was gone.  (T)
9. Turning water to juice was Jesus’ first miracle.  (F)
10. Jesus’ first miracle took place in Samaria.  (F)
11. Mary asked Jesus to go into town and buy some juice for the wedding.  (F)
12. The juice Jesus provided was the best of all.  (T)
13. None of Jesus’ relatives were at the wedding.  (T)
Where Did It Happen?

On the map on the next page do the following:

Circle in **RED** the town where Jesus talked to a Samaritan woman (John 4:5-7).

Circle in **BLUE** the city where Jesus was going when He met ten lepers (Luke 17:11,12).

Circle in **GREEN** the name of the area Jesus had to go through to get from Judea to Galilee (John 4:3-4).

Circle in **ORANGE** the town where Jesus met Zaccheus (Luke 19:1-2).

Circle in **PURPLE** the town where Jesus changed water to juice (John 2:1-11).

Circle in **PINK** the town where Jesus raised Lazarus from the dead (John 11:1).

Circle in **TURQUOISE** the lake ("sea") where Jesus calmed the storm (Matthew 4:18, 8:5, 8:23-27).

Circle in **BROWN** the name of the town near which Jesus fed more than 5,000 people (Luke 9:10-16).
Bride and Groom Cutouts (Color)
Jesus the Miracle Worker
Crossword Puzzle

Across
2. Jesus healed a women who ________ His garment. (Luke 8:43-44)
5. Jesus raised this man from the dead (John 11:43-44)
7. He calmed a storm on the _______ of Galilee. (Mark 4:39)
9. He helped the ________ to see.

Down
1. Jesus fed more than 5,000 with a boy’s ________. (John 6:8-10)
3. The wedding was in _______ of Galilee. (John 2:2)
4. Miracles _______ that Jesus was God’s Son.
6. Another word for miracle is _________.
8. Jesus healed this man’s daughter. (Luke 8:41, 42, 54, 55)
The Wedding Word Search

Instructions: As you search for and circle the words from the word bank, think about what those words have to do with the lesson.

Bride  Obey  Marriage
Cana   Omnipotent  Master
Disciples  Stone  Miracles
Galilee  Water Pot  Mother
Groom  Wedding
Jesus  Wine
Lesson 1: The Wedding at Cana

The Wedding Word Search

Water into Juice Activity

1) F
2) T
3) T
4) F
5) T
6) F
7) F
8) T
9) T
10) F
11) F
12) T
13) F

Jesus the Miracle Worker
Crossword Puzzle

Answer Keys

Water into Juice Activity

1) F
2) T
3) T
4) F
5) T
6) F
7) F
8) T
9) T
10) F
11) F
12) T
13) F
Jesus Heals
Coloring Sheet

“Oh, give thanks to the Lord for He is good. For His mercy endures forever” (Psalm 136:1).
Jesus Heals
Fill in the Blank & Word Search Activity

Instructions: Fill in the blanks by using your Bible. Then, use the words that fill in the blanks as a word key for the word search on the next page. The following story can be found in Luke 17:11-19.

Now it __________ as He went to ______________ that He passed through the midst of ___________ and ___________. Then as He entered a certain__________, there met Him _____ men who were ____________, who stood afar off. And they __________ up their ____________ and said, “________, ____________, have __________ on us!” So when He saw them, He said to them, “Go, show yourselves to the__________.” And so it was that as they went, they were _____________. And one of them, when he saw that he was ____________, returned, and with a loud voice ___________ God, and fell down on his face at His feet, giving Him thanks. And he was a______________. So Jesus answered and said, “Were there not ten cleansed? But where are the__________? Were there not any found who returned to give glory to God except this______________?” And He said to him, “Arise, go your way. Your __________ has made you ________.”
Word Search
Jesus Heals
Word Search

Instructions: As you search for and circle the words from the word bank, think about what those words have to do with the lesson.

Cleanse  Leper
Faith    Master
Galilee  Men
Glory    Samaria
Jesus    Ten
**Men Who Needed Help**

Word Search

**Instructions:** As you search for and circle the words from the word bank, think about what those words have to do with the lesson.

- Cleansed
- Faith
- Glorified
- Jerusalem
- Leprosy
- Mercy
- Village
- One
- Samaritan
- Ten
- Thanks

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Lesson 2: Jesus Heals Ten Lepers

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N.T. 2: Part 1—Miracles Show Jesus’ Great Power
Now it happened as He went to Jerusalem that He passed through the midst of Samaria and Galilee. Then as He entered a certain village, there met Him ten men who were lepers, who stood afar off. And they lifted up their voices and said, “Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!” So when He saw them, He said to them, “Go, show yourselves to the priests.” And so it was that as they went, they were cleansed. And one of them, when he saw that he was healed, returned, and with a loud voice glorified God, and fell down on his face at His feet, giving Him thanks. And he was a Samaritan. So Jesus answered and said, “Were there not ten cleansed? But where are the nine? Were there not any found who returned to give glory to God except this foreigner?” And He said to him, “Arise, go your way. Your faith has made you well.”
“Now when He got into a boat, His disciples followed Him. And suddenly a great tempest arose on the sea, so that the boat was covered with the waves. But He was asleep. Then His disciples came to Him and awoke Him, saying, ‘Lord, save us! We are perishing!’ But He said to them, ‘Why are you fearful, O you of little faith?’ Then He arose and rebuked the winds and the sea, and there was a great calm. So the men marveled, saying, ‘Who can this be, that even the winds and the sea obey Him?’” (Matthew 8:23-27).
I Will Trust God

**Word Puzzle**

**Instructions:** Unscramble the boxes to find the important Scripture.

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FE     I     RD     LN     BRE     HEL     6     IS
HE     LO     MY     WS     13:     AR     PER     WIL
OT     THE
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Lesson 3: Jesus Calms A Storm

1st-4th Grades
Jesus Calms A Storm
Matching Activity

Instructions: In the blank to the left of each statement, write the letter of the word or phrase that goes with it.

_____ Why was Jesus sitting in a boat? (Mark 4:1)
A. the wind and the sea
B. freshwater lake
C. disciples
D. sleeping
E. faith
F. so He could teach the people crowding around Him
G. the boat was filling with water
H. evening
I. Jesus
J. parables

_____ Jesus was teaching the people using ______. (Mark 4:2)

_____ Who said, “Let us go to the other side of the sea”? (Mark 4:35)

_____ The Sea of Galilee is actually a________.

_____ What time of day did they start across the Sea? (Mark 4:35)

_____ The storm was so fierce that________. (Mark 4:37)

_____ During the storm, Jesus was _________.

_____ Who said, “We are perishing!” (Mark 4:38)

_____ Jesus rebuked __________, saying, “Peace! Be still!” (Mark 4:39)

_____ Jesus rebuked the disciples for their lack of ________. (Mark 4:40)
Matching Activity
1) F
2) J
3) I
4) B
5) H
6) G
7) D
8) C
9) A
“Jesus answered, ‘Are there not twelve hours in the day? If anyone walks in the day, he does not stumble, because he sees the light of this world. But if one walks in the night, he stumbles, because the light is not in him.’ These things He said, and after that He said to them, ‘Our friend Lazarus sleeps, but I go that I may wake him up’” (John 11:9,10).
Jesus Raises Lazarus from the Dead
Fill in the Blank & Word Search Activity

Instructions: Using your Bible, fill in the blanks to this story, which is found in John 11. Then, with the words that filled the blanks, complete the word search on the next page.

Now a certain man was sick, ______________ of __________, the town of ________ and her sister __________. It was that Mary who ________ the Lord with ___________ ___ and wiped His feet with her ________, whose brother Lazarus was sick. Therefore the sisters sent to Him, saying, “Lord, behold, he whom You love is sick.”

When Jesus heard that, He said, “This ________ is not unto ________, but for the ________ of God, that the Son of God may be __________ through it.”

Now Jesus ________ Martha and her sister and Lazarus. So, when He heard that he was sick, He stayed ______more days in the place where He was. Then after this He said to the __________, “Let us go to Judea again.”

The disciples said to Him, “_______, lately the Jews sought to ________ You, and are You going there again?”

Jesus answered, “Are there not ________ hours in the day? If anyone ________ in the day, he does not ________, because he sees the________ of this ________. But if one walks in the ________, he stumbles, because the light is not in him.” These things He said, and after that He said to them, “Our friend Lazarus sleeps, but I go that I may ________ him up.”

Then His disciples said, “Lord, if he _________ he will get __________.” However, Jesus spoke of his ________, but they thought that He was speaking about taking ______ in sleep.

Then Jesus said to them plainly, “Lazarus is ________. And I am __________ for your sakes that I was not there, that you may __________. Nevertheless let us go to him.”

Then __________, who is called the __________, said to his fellow disciples, “Let us also go, that we may ________ with Him.”
Instructions: As you search for and circle the words from the word bank, think about what those words have to do with the lesson.

Anointed  Believe  Bethany  Dead  Death  Death  Die  Disciples  Fragrant  Glad
Glorified  Glory  Hair  Him  Lazarus  Light  Loved  Martha  Mary  Night
Oil  Rabbi  Rest  Sickness  Sleeps  Stone  Stumble  Thomas  Twelve  Twin
Two  Wake  Walks  Well  World

Lesson 4: Jesus Raises Lazarus from the Dead
N.T. 2: Part 1—Miracles Show Jesus’ Great Power
Now a certain man was sick, Lazarus of Bethany, the town of Mary and her sister Martha. It was that Mary who anointed the Lord with fragrant oil and wiped His feet with her hair, whose brother Lazarus was sick. Therefore the sisters sent to Him, saying, “Lord, behold, he whom You love is sick.” When Jesus heard that, He said, “This sickness is not unto death, but for the glory of God, that the Son of God may be glorified through it.” Now Jesus loved Martha and her sister and Lazarus. So, when He heard that he was sick, He stayed two more days in the place where He was. Then after this He said to the disciples, “Let us go to Judea again.” The disciples said to Him, “Rabbi, lately the Jews sought to stone You, and are You going there again?” Jesus answered, “Are there not twelve hours in the day? If anyone walks in the day, he does not stumble, because he sees the light of this world. But if one walks in the night, he stumbles, because the light is not in him.” These things He said, and after that He said to them, “Our friend Lazarus sleeps, but I go that I may wake him up.” Then His disciples said, “Lord, if he sleeps he will get well.” However, Jesus spoke of his death, but they thought that He was speaking about taking rest in sleep. Then Jesus said to them plainly, “Lazarus is dead. And I am glad for your sakes that I was not there, that you may believe. Nevertheless let us go to him.” Then Thomas, who is called the Twin, said to his fellow disciples, “Let us also go, that we may die with Him.”

* The answer key is for both of the word searches
“Now all wept and mourned for her; but He said, ‘Do not weep; she is not dead, but sleeping.’ And they ridiculed Him, knowing that she was dead. But He put them all outside, took her by the hand and called, saying, ‘Little girl, arise.’ Then her spirit returned, and she arose immediately” (Luke 8:52-55a).
Boy and Girl
Band-aid Activity

Instructions: Have the students color the boy and girl. Hand them band-aids to put on the coloring sheet after it is colored.
In chapter 5 of Mark and chapter 8 of Luke, we can read about a man who searched for help for his 12-year-old daughter. The man’s name was Jairus. He chose to go to Jesus to ask for help.

On the way to Jairus’ house, a sick woman took a chance to get close to Jesus. She touched his clothes and immediately was healed. She had been sick for such a long time.

Jesus stopped to talk to the woman, but Jairus wanted Him to rush to his house. What a shame! When they arrived, the girl was dead. But Jesus touched her and raised her from the dead. Her parents were astonished! Jesus charged them to tell no one what had happened.

Jesus was not rich, but He gave others things that were much more valuable than money. He treated everyone with respect and charity. Jesus loved children. He was a great Teacher.

Add and subtract letters. Write the words that you make.

Replace the “n” in chant with “p” and add “er.” ____________________________

Replace the “r” in torch with “u” and add “ed.” ____________________________

Replace the “l” in clarity with an “h.” _______________________________

Replace “m” in seam with “r” and add “ch.” ____________________________

**Directions:** What sound does **ch** make? What sound does **sh** make? Underline the words where you find **ch** and **sh**. You may find them at the beginning, at the end, or in the middle of words.
1) What was the man’s name whose daughter was at the point of death? (Jairus)

2) What did the woman touch to heal her blood affliction? (His garment)

3) Name one of the three apostles Jesus allowed to follow Him? (Peter, James, and John)

4) Jesus said, “The child is not dead, but ______.” (Sleeping)

5) How old was the girl that Jesus brought back to life? (12 years old)

6) What did Jesus command the girl be given after she rose? (Something to eat)

7) How long had the woman had the flow of blood? (12 years)

8) What question did Jesus ask right after the woman touched Him? (Who touched my clothes?)

9) Jesus said, “Daughter, your ____ has made you well.” (Faith)

10) The words “Talitha, cumi” are translated to mean what? (Little girl, I say to you, rise)

11) How much money had the woman spent in trying to heal herself? (All of it)

12) When Jesus came to the house of the ruler, what were people doing? (Weeping and wailing)

13) In Mark 5:40, what did Jesus do with those that ridiculed Him? (Put them outside)

14) What were the people overcome with when they saw the little girl arise? (Amazement)
In chapter 5 of Mark and chapter 8 of Luke, we can read about a man who searched for help for his 12-year-old daughter. The man's name was Jairus. He chose to go to Jesus to ask for help. On the way to Jairus' house, a sick woman took a chance to get close to Jesus. She touched his clothes and immediately was healed. She had been sick for such a long time. Jesus stopped to talk to the woman, but Jairus wanted Him to rush to his house. What a shame! When they arrived, the girl was dead. But Jesus touched her and raised her from the dead. Her parents were astonished! Jesus charged them to tell no one what had happened. Jesus was not rich, but He gave others things that were much more valuable than money. He treated everyone with respect and charity. Jesus loved children. He was a great Teacher.

**Can You Find the Words?**

Add and subtract letters. Write the words that you make.

Replace the “n” in chant with “p” and add “er.” Chapter

Replace the “r” in torch with “u” and add “ed.” Touched

Replace the “l” in clarity with an “h.” Charity

Replace “m” in seam with “r” and add “ch.” Search
“And they said to Him, ‘We have here only five loaves and two fish.’ He said, ‘Bring them here to Me.’ Then He commanded the multitudes to sit down on the grass. And He took the five loaves and the two fish, and looking up to heaven, He blessed and broke and gave the loaves to the disciples; and the disciples gave to the multitudes. So they all ate and were filled, and they took up twelve baskets full of the fragments that remained. Now those who had eaten were about five thousand men, besides women and children” (Matthew 14:17-21).
Fishing and Fishermen in the Bible

Instructions: Read the following article and complete the “fill in the blank” and “true or false” activity on the next page.

In New Testament times, most Jewish people ate fish every day because it was easy to get and inexpensive. It was sold fresh but was often smoked or pickled.

There were several ways used to catch fish. Fishing rods were not used, but sometimes fishermen put out lines with baited hooks (Matthew 17:24-27). Sometimes they used spears (harpoons). Fishermen went out in a boat at night with a lantern held over the side of the boat. The light would attract fish so that they could be speared as they came close to the boat. John 21:3-11 tells us that some of the apostles fished all night and caught nothing. When they threw their net out on the other side, as Jesus told them to do, they immediately caught so many fish that they could not lift their net!

The most common way to catch fish was with nets. There were two kinds of nets. One was a dragnet about 8 or 9 feet wide and a hundred feet long (or longer). The dragnet had corks or floats on the top of the net and weights on the bottom. One boat would make a huge circle with the net, or two boats would hold the net between them. When the net was in a tight circle, the fishermen pulled the sides of the net together (like a huge bag) and pulled it to the shore.

The second kind of net was the casting net which was used mainly in shallow water. One or two men could throw this net from the shore or from a boat (Matthew 4:18). The casting net was round (about 15 feet in diameter) and had weights around the edge. When the net was thrown out into the water, the weights made it fall to the bottom of the lake, trapping fish beneath it. With a long rope connected to the center, the net could be pulled shut.

When nets were brought to shore to be emptied of their catch, fish that were good to eat were separated from the fish that weren’t good to eat (bad fish) (Matthew 13:47-48). When fishing was over for the day (or for the night), the nets were spread out on the shore to dry. If their nets were torn, fishermen had to spend time repairing them before they were used again. James and John were repairing their nets when Jesus asked them to follow Him (Matthew 4: 21).

Being a fisherman was very hard work. Four of Jesus’ apostles were fishermen: Peter, Andrew, James, and John. They were from Bethsaida, which was one of the fishing towns around the Sea of Galilee.
Fill in the Blank

Instructions: Fill in the blanks with words from the Word Bank. One word will be used twice.

WORD BANK: Spread, James, Peter, Lantern, Dragnet, Dry, Andrew, Cast net, John, Nets

1) The most common way to fish was with ______________.

2) The _______________ was about 8 or 9 feet wide and at least a hundred feet long.

3) The _______________ was round and had a long rope attached to the middle.

4) The _______________ was thrown out over the water by one or two men.

5) When fishing with a spear, fishermen would hold a ______________ over the side (or front) of the boat to attract fish.

6) When Jesus called ____________ and __________ to be His followers, they were using cast nets in the Sea of Galilee. (Mark 1:16)

7) When Jesus called ____________ and _____________ to be His followers, they were mending their nets. (Mark 1:19)

8) At the end of the day, nets were ____________ out on the shore to ____________.

True or False

Instructions: Write “T” beside each true statement and “F” beside each false statement.

1) ___________ Fishing rods were often used by fishermen in New Testament times.

2) ___________ Many Jews ate fish every day.

3) ___________ All 12 of the apostles were fishermen.

4) ___________ To attract fish to their boats at night, fishermen would hold shiny metal objects over the side.
Food in Bible Times

**Instructions:** Read the following article and complete the “Food in the Bible” fill in the blank activity on the next page.

**Bread**

Bread was the most important food in Bible times, and a lot of time was spent preparing it. Women would start early each morning, grinding wheat or barley on a millstone to make flour. The flour was then mixed with water to make dough. Sometimes, the dough was rolled out very flat and thin (like tortillas); after it was cooked, it was used to scoop up food. At other times, the dough was made into rolls or round loaves, like those in the little boy’s lunch which Jesus used to feed 5,000 men plus women and children. While Jeremiah was in prison, he was given a loaf of bread every day (Jeremiah 37:21).

Very thin bread was cooked on hot, flat stones or laid across the bottom of a large metal pan over an open fire. Other breads were cooked in outdoor ovens that were shared by several families. The dough was baked slowly overnight and taken out before the coals were stirred (Hosea 7:4-6) so the hot, fresh bread wouldn’t be covered with ashes.

Wheat made the best flour, which made the best bread. Bread made from barley was not as tasty, so it was cheaper. Barley bread was the bread of poor people in Bible times, but it was also common during famines and other times when food was scarce.

[The King James Version often uses the word “corn” for the grains used to make bread. “Corn” was an Old English word for any common grain or cereal, including wheat and oats. Today, when we say “corn,” we mean maize or Indian corn, like corn on the cob.]

**Jesus: the Bread of Life**

After Jesus fed more than 5,000 people (Matthew 14:21), He left the crowds to find a quiet place where He could rest and pray. But the people followed Him. They wanted Jesus to perform another miracle and feed them again. But Jesus told them, “Do not labor for the food which perishes, but for the food which endures to everlasting life, which the Son of Man will give you, because God the Father has set His seal on Him” (John 6:27). He said the “work” was to believe in Him—the One God sent from Heaven (6:29). “Then Jesus said to them, ‘Most assuredly, I say to you, Moses did not give you the bread from heaven, but My Father gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is He who comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.’ Then they said to Him, ‘Lord, give us this bread always.’ And Jesus said to them, ‘I am the bread of life. He who comes to Me shall never hunger, and he who believes in Me shall never thirst’” (John 6:32-35).

Jesus did not want the crowds to follow Him just to fill their bellies. He wanted them to listen to His words and believe that He was the Son of God. He was willing to help them, but He knew that ordinary bread wasn’t what they needed. Jesus wanted the people to understand that believing in Him was more important than just having something to eat or seeing another miracle.

Believing in Jesus, and then obeying His words, would give them life now and life after death. The same is true for us today. Remember what Jesus said in the Sermon on the Mount? “Blessed are those who hunger and thirst after righteousness [being right with God], for they shall be filled [satisfied]” (Matthew 5:6). Jesus is the Bread of Life for us, too, and we will also be satisfied and pleasing to God if we believe in Jesus and obey His words.
Food in the Bible
Fill in the Blank

Instructions: Fill in the blanks from the paragraphs about bread and the Bread of Life.

1. Very thin, flat bread was cooked on _________________________________.
2. ________________or ________________were ground to make flour.
3. ________________ was ground for the best flour and the best bread.
4. ________________ started early in the morning grinding grain for bread.
5. Grain was ground on a ________________________ to make flour.
6. ________________ was the grain used to make a cheaper and less tasty kind of bread.
7. ________________ bread was used to scoop up food.
8. Sometimes several families in a village shared ________________________.
9. In John 6:35, Jesus called Himself the ________________________________.
10. Jesus did not want people to follow Him just to see miracles or be fed. He wanted them to ________________ to His words, ________________ He was the Son of God, and ________________ Him.
Across
2. Brought boy to Jesus. (John 6:8-9)
4. Jesus ___ and broke the food. (Luke 9:16)
6. The miracle happened near the Sea of _____. (John 6:1).
8. Jesus told people to sit down in groups of ___. (Luke 9:14)
9. To whom did Jesus say, "Where shall we buy bread, that these may eat?" (John 6:5)

Down
1. There were 12 ____ full of leftovers. (John 6:13)
3. The disciples wanted to send people away to buy ____. (Luke 9:12)
4. A boy had 5 ____ loaves. (John 6:8-9)
5. Many people ___ in Jesus because of His miracles. (John 6:14)
7. Jesus had ____ on the people. (Matthew 14:14)
8. Everyone ate until they were ____. (Luke 9:17)
Jesus Feeds the Multitudes

Word Search

Instructions: As you search for and circle the words from the word bank, think about what those words have to do with the lesson.

Barley  Jesus
Baskets  Lunch
Boat     Multitudes
Boy      Feeds
Bread    Fish
Compassion
Denarius

1st-4th Grades

Lesson 6: Jesus Feeds the Multitudes (the 5,000 and the 4,000)  Page 48  N.T. 2: Part 1—Miracles Show Jesus’ Great Power
In the Right Order

**Instructions:** Read the sentences. Then put them in the order that they happened by writing a number in the blank beside each sentence. (If it is okay with your teacher, you can cut the sentences into strips and then put the strips in order.)

Did you know that this is the only miracle of Jesus that is recorded in all four of the Gospels?

That’s right!

Matthew 14:13-21; Mark 6:30-44; Luke 9:10-17; John 6:1-14

1. Jesus said, “You give them something to eat.”
2. Andrew, Peter’s brother, brought a young boy and his lunch to Jesus.
3. Many people believed in Jesus because of this miracle.
4. Jesus had compassion on the crowds.
5. Jesus said, “Have the people sit down in groups of fifty.”
6. The disciples wanted to send the crowds away to buy the food.
7. Jesus blessed the loaves and fish before He broke them into pieces.
8. Everyone ate until they were full.
9. Jesus told His disciples to gather up all the leftover pieces of food.
What a Picnic
Word Search

Instructions: As you search for and circle the words from the word bank, think about what those words have to do with the lesson.

Andrew  Five
Baskets  Food
Boy      Jesus
Bread    Lunch
Fish     Peter
Instructions: As you search for and circle the words from the word bank, think about what those words have to do with the lesson.

Andrew  Fish
Baskets  Food
Blessed  Jesus
Boy  Leftovers
Bread  Loaves
Broke  Lunch
Compassion  Peter
Crowds  Philip
Disciples  Prayed
Feed  Twelve
Answer Keys

Fishing and Fishermen in the Bible
A) Fill in the Blank
1) Nets
2) Dragnet
3) Cast net
4) Cast net
5) Lantern
6) Peter, Andrew
7) James, John
8) Spread, dry

B) True/False
1) False
2) True
3) False
4) False

Food in Bible Times
1) Hot flat stones or laid across the bottom of a large metal pan over an open fire
2) Wheat, Barley
3) Wheat
4) Women
5) Millstone
6) Barley
7) Very flat and thin
8) Other breads
9) Bread of life
10) Listen, believe, and obey.

Jesus Feeds the Multitudes

Crossword Puzzle
Across
2. Brought boy to Jesus. (John 6:8-9) (Andrew)
4. Jesus ___ and broke the food. (Luke 9:16) (Blessed)
6. The miracle happened near the Sea of _____. (John 6:1) (Galilee)
8. Jesus told people to sit down in groups of ___. (Luke 9:14) (Fifty)
9. To whom did Jesus say, "Where shall we buy bread, that these may eat?" (John 6:5) (Philip)

Down
1. There were 12 ____ full of leftovers. (John 6:13) (Baskets)
3. The disciples wanted to send people away to buy _____. (Luke 9:12) (Food)
4. A boy had five ____ loaves. (John 6:8-9) (Barley)
5. Many people ___ in Jesus because of His miracles. (John 6:14) (Believed)
7. Jesus had ____ on the people. (Matthew 14:14) (Compassion)
8. Everyone ate until they were _____. (Luke 9:17) (Filled)

What a Picnic (1st-2nd)

What a Picnic (3rd-4th)