



# TAKE 'N TALK

Lesson 9 • November 1, 2020

## MARK 6:30-44

## HEARTPRINT: JESUS IS AMAZING

The Heartprint is the main Bible concept or truth from each unit that we want to imprint upon your child's heart. Repeating this Heartprint often may seem redundant, but it will serve as a vital aid in teaching this truth to your preschooler.

**Application Verse:** ...your God is ... mighty ... (Deuteronomy 10:17).

Today we learned Jesus performed a miracle when He fed over 5000 people with just two fish and five loaves of bread. Use the following ideas to involve your child in family time and learning opportunities, reinforcing simple biblical themes.

### FAMILY TIME



Talk about what miracles are—things that can only be done by the power of Jesus. The disciples learned Jesus cared for the needs of the people who had come to listen to Him. Jesus fed over 5000 people with two fish and five loaves of bread. Remind your child Jesus cares for our needs too. It is difficult for children to understand why, if God loves us, He doesn't always give us the things we want. Remind your child God always knows better than we do. We may want or need something that God knows may not be good for us. Other times God provides for us in unexpected and amazing ways such as in our lesson. God met the needs of the people and He will meet our needs too because **Jesus is Amazing.**



Just like Jesus multiplied the five loaves of bread and two fish to feed over 5000 people, God can use us to multiply food for others. Take your child to the grocery store. Explain to him or her that you are going to multiply some food for someone who has little. You are going to buy some things to add to what they have and make it much. Set a number of items to purchase or a dollar amount to spend. Talk about what items would be helpful and needed for someone who is in need. Donate the food to a needy family, local food bank, or an organization that is gathering food for relief like a flood or tornado.



Sing this song to the tune of "If You're Happy and You Know It."  
**Jesus did a miracle with fish and bread.**  
**Jesus did a miracle with fish and bread.**  
**Jesus fed 5000 men,**  
**And fed the women and children.**  
**Jesus is amazing, yes He is.**



Pray with your child, and thank Jesus for feeding the people and caring for us in amazing ways. The following is a rhyme your child uses in class to settle down for prayer time:  
**Open and shut them, open and shut them** (open and close fingers),  
**Give your hands a clap** (clap hands).  
**Open and shut them, open and shut them** (open and close fingers),  
**Put them in your lap** (put your hands together in your lap).  
Even at this age, children can participate and learn to be still during a short prayer time.

# Jesus fed 5000 people with

2 fish and 5 loaves of bread.

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TEACHER/PARENT INSTRUCTIONS: Encourage the child to trace the letters. Count the number of pictures in each row and write the number in the first column. Jesus can do miracles because **Jesus Is Amazing**.