



Ministry of Biblical Studies

MARCH BIBLE STUDY SERIES

[SELF-STUDY: No In-Person or Facebook Live Session]
March 5th | "The Miracle of Provision: Jesus Feeds the Five Thousand"



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Welcome to the Metropolitan Community Church
Ministry of Biblical Study Classes
March 5, 2025

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Scripture Focus:

- **John 6:1-14**

Opening Reflection (Self-Study)

Begin with Prayer:

- Ask the Holy Spirit to reveal God’s Word to you and illuminate the meaning of those words to your heart and mind as you read them, pray over them, and dwell on them.

Key Themes & Discussion Points:

Recognizing God as Our Provider

- How did Jesus demonstrate God’s provision in this miracle?
- What does this story reveal about God’s ability to supply our needs? (Philippians 4:19)

Trusting in God’s Abundance Even When Resources Seem Scarce

- The disciples saw limitations (scarce food and a large crowd), but Jesus saw an opportunity for a miracle. How do we respond when faced with lack?
- How does our faith grow when we trust in God’s provision instead of our own resources?
- Share personal testimonies of when God provided in unexpected ways.

The Role of Faith and Obedience

- The boy with the five loaves and two fish gave what little he had. What does this teach us about offering what we have to God?
- How can we step out in faith, trusting that God will multiply our efforts?

Reflection & Application

- In what areas of life do we need to trust God’s provision more?
- What practical steps can we take to surrender our worries about resources to God?

Closing Prayer

- Pray for an increased faith in God’s provision and for a heart of gratitude, even in seasons of scarcity.

