

Connect Group Guide: “What Do You Have?”



Sermon Link: <https://youtu.be/BxB0enr79I>

Welcome:

(Choose a question for your group to discuss)

- What is the best bread/sea food you've ever had? Where did you get it from?

Worship:

(May choose to use YouTube or other mediums to facilitate your time of worship)

- Link:  [With All I Am - Hillsong Worship](#)

Word:

(Discuss these questions in your group, encourage everyone to take part)

Before reading the scripture:

- Have you ever felt that what you had to offer wasn't enough?
- Has God ever called you to do something you did not feel fully equipped for?

Read: Mark 6:30 - 34

- Why do you think the people ran after the boat that Jesus and the disciples were in?

Read: Mark 6:35 - 38

- Why do you think Jesus decided to start teaching the people although everyone around Him was tired?
- Jesus tells the disciples: "You give them something to eat." Why does He ask them to do this? (Knowing they did not have enough to feed everyone)
- Why does Jesus instruct the disciples to find out how much food they have?

Read: Mark 6:39 - 44

- Why did Jesus give the bread back to the disciples before telling them to distribute it?
- Do you think the disciples were expecting Jesus to meet the needs of the people?
Do you think they expected it to happen in the way it did?

Works:

(Take some time for personal reflecting on the following questions and then share back with the group)

- How can you bring to Jesus that which He has already placed in you?
- Knowing that it is Jesus who plays the role of the provider, how can you take up your place as the distributor?

Closing:

(Remember to ask for prayer requests.)

- Pray for a simple understanding of what it means to present to Jesus what we have, and to allow Him to use it in whatever way He pleases.

