

# Weekly Activities for Home

School Years 3 & 4, 5 & 6

Theme: Miracles

This month we're looking at miracles... there are lots of them and they are pretty cool! Jesus did them to show how much he loved people. We are going to learn about how one particular story today. Once when Jesus was speaking there were about 5000 people there. They all got very hungry listening to Jesus! (I know what that feels like, getting hungry in church!) Jesus performs an amazing miracle where he feeds them all, with only a few loaves of bread and some fish.

## Bible Story to read or watch:

**Youtube:** Jesus feeding the 5000 – Saddleback Kids https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S6rj9cAJrWE

#### Chat about it!

Today we're looking at an amazing miracle where Jesus manages to feed 5000 people with just 5 loaves of bread and 2 fish. During this miracle, there were thousands of people listening to Jesus speaking and they were getting hungry. A little boy offered up his bread and fish and Jesus prayed over them. There was somehow enough to feed 5000 people! How amazing!

Sometimes we can worry about how we will manage something. Perhaps school can be a little tough sometimes or we can't work something out. But this miracle shows that God is able to provide for everything we need and help us with what we do have.

Maybe have a think and see if there is anything you might be worried about and you'd like God's help with.

What's amazing is that we can also help people like Jesus... he helps us to help others.

#### Questions!

Why don't you spend some time praying to Jesus about anything that might be worrying you at the moment? And see what he says to you.

#### Craft

Craft: Helping Hands



#### Resources needed:

- Paper
- String
- Pegs

The idea of this craft is to cut out hand shapes and hang them up on your string somewhere you'll see often. On each hand you can write something you're worried about or even someone you'd like God to help. We're putting it all in Jesus' hands!

### Worship and Pray

Our website (www.soulsuvivorwatford.co.uk) has Youtube links to some of the worship songs we use in Soul Kids.

Pray: Write the name of someone you would like to pray for on a lolly stick or strip of paper. Pray for them and then pop the stick/paper in a pot or container. Over the next few days, repeat this until you have a pot with a few different names. You can now pick a different stick and pray for someone different each time you gather to pray.