

**Jesus & \$tuff**  
*Hunger & Provision*

Recall a time you've seen Jesus provide in an extra-special way for you and/or someone you love. What happened?

**Today's leading thought:** *Jesus cares deeply. He provides for needy people and situations. He calls us, each of us, to join him.*

**Read [Matthew 14:13-21](#).**

What do you find most intriguing, potentially humorous, or just really curious in this story?

A Generosity Pattern:

*Truly see people—>Trade your own agenda—>Let yourself be deeply stirred—>Give tangible, hands-on help!*

Consider this pattern demonstrated by Jesus and the disciples in this story.

- What helps you really see people and their needs?
- What's can it look like to trade your agenda?
- When have you been deeply stirred by someone's needs? What happened?
- Based on the ideas shared in today's message, how might you start giving in even more tangible, hands-on ways?

Explore Paul's quotation of Jesus in [Acts 20:35](#).

How do Jesus' words motivate you? What will you consider doing and why?

**Get Ready for Next Week:**

Read each day and reflect on [Matthew 19:16-30](#).