GRACE NOTES

Message: The Bread of Life
Scripture: John 6:25-58
Date: Sunday, November 6, 2016

STUDY NOTES

For for fun - What Bible translation do you most often use? Why do you prefer it? (There is no right or wrong answer…)

What is the most incredible biblical truth you have discovered in the past month? Why was it so meaningful to you?

Thinking back to Sunday's service, how were you challenged, inspired, encouraged, or changed?

Read **John 6:1-15**.
Why were the crowds following Jesus? (vv. 1-2)

What problem did Jesus present to Philip? (vv 5-6)

How did Philip and Andrew respond to the problem? (vv 7-9)

How did Jesus respond to the problem?

What lessons can we gain from Jesus' response to a hopeless situation?

Put yourselves in the place of the 12 disciples - what would you have thought of this miracle of multiplication?

What did the crowds think of Jesus following the miracle? (vv 14-15)
Were the crowds right in their assessment? Why? Why not?

Read **John 6:35** and **John 4:7-14**.
Although the circumstances are different, what similarities do you see? What is Jesus trying to teaching in both situations?

Read **John 6:66-69**.
What was the response of the crowd when they didn't get what the expected from Jesus?

What was the response of the Twelve when Jesus asked them whether they, too, were leaving?

Consider what you want from Jesus - are you more like the crowd or the twelve?