

Saint John the Baptist Parish

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Horario de la Oficina
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Weekend Masses
Misas de fin de semana
Saturday: 4:30pm English/Ingles
Sabado 6:00pm Español/Spanish
Sunday: 9:30am English/Ingles
Domingo 11:30am Español/Spanish

Daily Masses
Misas durante la semana
Monday & Wednesday 8:00am English/Ingles
Martes y Viernes 7:00pm Español/Spanish
Bilingual Mass Saturday/Sabado at 8:00am

Confessions
Saturday / Sabado 3:30pm & 5:30pm

Baptism / Bautizo
Baptisms are celebrated on the second Sunday of every Month after the 11:30am Mass. Please call the rectory a month in advance to schedule.

Los Bautismos se celebran el segundo Domingo de cada mes después de la Misa de las 11:30am. Llame a la rectoría con un mes de anticipación.

Matrimony / Matrimonio
Call one year in advance to begin preparation
Llamar un año con anticipación

Anointing of the Sick/Unción de los enfermos

Please call the parish
Por favor llamar a la parroquia

Eucharistic Adoration
Adoración Eucarística
Every Friday / Todos los Viernes
9:00am to 1:00pm in the Church/Iglesia

Youth Group/Grupo Juvenil
Sunday/Domingo next meeting TBD
(Grades 7th to 12)

Comunidad Evangelizadora (Cers)
Viernes a las 7:30pm en el sótano

Food Bank / Banco de Comida
July / Julio - Mondays/Lunes 26
9:30am to 11:00am - 6:00pm to 7:00pm

Hospitality House/Casa de Hospitalidad
(Closed until September)
(Cerrado hasta Septiembre)

New Parishioners/Nuevos Miembros
Please call the rectory to register
Llamar a la Rectoría para registrarse

17TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

JULY 25, 2021

Dear Parishioners,

Happy and Blessed “World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly”! Starting this year, the church is honoring grandparents and the elderly on this fourth Sunday of July, close to the liturgical memorial of Saints Joachim and Anne, the grandparents of Jesus, which is July 26th. As many of you know, my grandmother passed away last month on June 25th. She was the last of my grandparents who had been living. When I think of my grandparents, I think of the faith that they had in the Lord, and then passed on to their children, which was then passed on to their children (myself, siblings, and cousins). Grandparents are truly a gift from the Lord, that should always be treasured and revered. There is so much wisdom and life experience that we can learn from our grandparents and all of the elderly. As a priest, I have had the privilege of being able to visit elderly parishioners in the nursing homes and at their homes, as well as getting to know them at the parish Masses. I have learned so much from them about the history of the different parishes that I have been assigned to, and have also benefitted tremendously from their personal holiness of life. I have also experienced their sadness and disappointment because of their children and grandchildren who no longer practice the Faith that they were taught. In a world that seems to lack respect for the elderly, viewing them many times as “unproductive members of the society”, we can counter that erroneous notion by always revering our elderly and learning from their example. Let us learn from our Lord Jesus and His love for His Grandparents Saints Joachim and Anne, and thank God for the gift of our grandparents and elderly. *Saints Joachim and Anne, pray for us!*

Fr. Sistare

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday July 24	4:30pm
+Blanche Lagesse by Joyce	
Sunday July 25	9:30am
+Nora Luther by Jose DeBarros	
Monday July 26	8:00am
Wednesday July 28	8:00am
Saturday July 31	8:00am
Vigil Mass	4:30pm
Sunday August 1	9:30am
+Antonio DaGraca birthday remembrance by Jack DaLomba	

Sanctuary Lamp for July

In memory of Antonio DeBarros
by Jose DeBarros

Vigil Candle For Saint Joseph

For the needs of Marin Jr. Family

WE ASK FOR YOUR PRAYERS

For all who are homebound or in nursing homes,
and especially for the following parishioners:

Jeanne Jugan Residence:

Florence Corneau, Jeannine Rondeau, Annette Tetreault, Lillianne Depot

At Home: María DaGraca, Jovina de Barros

St. Antoine: Georgette Smith

Elmhurst Nursing Home: Cesar Zuleta Sr.

Weekly Collection 7/18 \$2587.00

Second Collection Month of August

August 1 Peters Pence

August 15 Fuel & Maintenance

17 DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO
JULIO 25, 2021

Queridos feligreses,

¡Feliz y bendito “Día mundial de los abuelos y las personas mayores”! A partir de este año, la Iglesia honra a los abuelos y ancianos en este cuarto Domingo de Julio, cerca del memorial litúrgico de los Santos Joaquín y Ana, los abuelos de Jesús, que es el 26 de Julio. Como muchos de ustedes saben, mi abuela falleció el 25 de junio el mes pasado. Ella era la última de mis abuelos que había estado viva. Cuando pienso en mis abuelos, pienso en la fe que tenían en el Señor y luego la transmitieron a sus hijos, que luego pasó a sus hijos (yo, mis hermanos y mis primos). Los abuelos son verdaderamente un regalo del Señor, que siempre debe ser atesorado y reverenciado. Hay tanta sabiduría y experiencia de vida que podemos aprender de nuestros abuelos y de todos los ancianos. Como sacerdote, he tenido el privilegio de poder visitar a feligreses ancianos en los hogares de ancianos y en sus hogares, así como conocerlos en las Misas parroquiales. He aprendido mucho de ellos sobre la historia de las diferentes parroquias a las que me han asignado, y también me he beneficiado enormemente de su santidad personal de vida. También he experimentado su tristeza y decepción debido a sus hijos y nietos que ya no practican la Fe que les enseñaron. En un mundo que parece carecer de respeto por los ancianos, viéndolos muchas veces como “miembros improductivos de la sociedad”, podemos contrarrestar esa noción errónea reverenciando siempre a nuestros ancianos y aprendiendo de su ejemplo. Aprendamos de nuestro Señor Jesús y Su amor por Sus abuelos, los Santos Joaquín y Ana, y agradecemos a Dios por el regalo de nuestros abuelos y ancianos. **Santos Joaquín y Ana, ¡ruega por nosotros!**

Padre Sistare

INTENCIENOS DE LAS MISAS

Sábado 24 de Julio	6:00pm
*Por el aniversario de Yamile Uritica y Esteban Fernández, intención de su familia	
Domingo 25 de Julio	11:30am
+Eterno descanso de Ana Antonia Díaz, Cesar José Díaz, intención de Juan Salcedo y Aria Rosario	
+Eterno descanso de Devin de la Cruz, intención de María Salcedo	
Martes 27 de Julio	7:00pm
*En acción de gracias por la vida de Jorge Muñoz en sus cumpleaños, intención de Ruby	
Viernes 30 de Julio	7:00pm
*Por la salud espiritual de Nicole, intención de Margarita	
*Por la salud espiritual de David Antonio, intención de sus padres	
Sábado 31 de Julio	8:00am
Vigilia	6:00pm
*Por la salud y la vida de Isabel Cadavid, Lucia Cadavid y Marcela Cadavid, intención de su hijo Oswaldo Cadavid y familia	
Domingo 1 de Agosto	11:30am

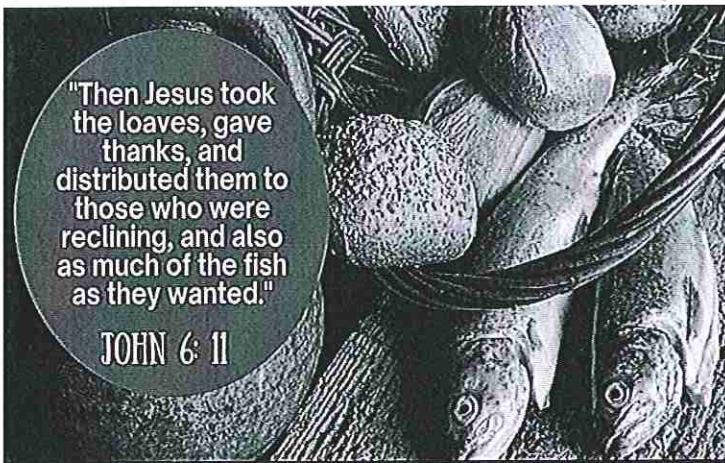
Vela de Vigilia para San José

Por las necesidades Marín Jr.

Colecta Semanal 7/18	\$2587.00
Segunda Colecta Mes de Agosto	
Obras de Caridad “Peters Pence”	
Agosto 1	
Gas y Mantenimiento	
Agosto 15	

PEDIMOS SUS ORACIONES

Por todos los que están confinados en su hogar o en acilio de ancianos, especialmente por nuestros feligreses: **Jeanne Jugan Residence:** Florence Corneau, Jeannine Rondeau, Annette Tetreault, Lillian Depot **At Home:** María DaGraca, Jovina de Barros **St. Antoine:** Georgette Smith **Elmhurst:** Cesar Zuleta Sr



"Then Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed them to those who were reclining, and also as much of the fish as they wanted."

JOHN 6: 11

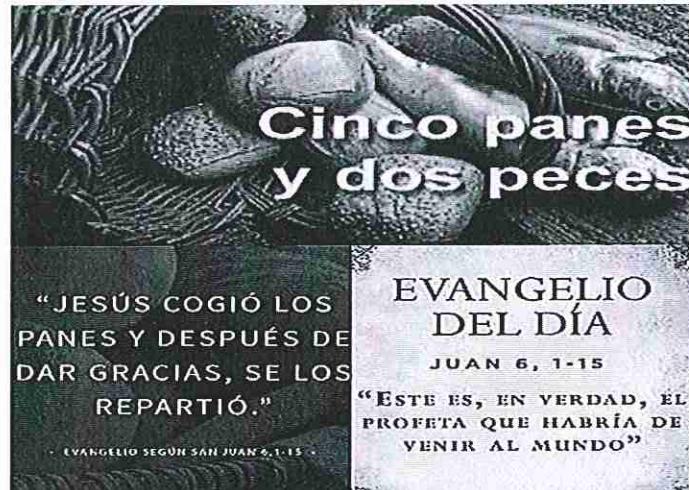
THE MIRACLE OF MULTIPLYING MIRACLES

"The people saw the sign He had performed." — John 6:14 Jesus used the miracle of the multiplication of the loaves and fish to open the blinded eyes of His apostles. He said: "Are your minds completely blinded? Have you eyes but no sight? Ears but no hearing? Do you remember when I broke the five loaves for the five thousand, how many baskets of fragments you gathered up?" (Mk 8:17-19) "Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever" (Heb 13:8). Therefore, Jesus may well be using today's Gospel reading to open our eyes and ears spiritually. Read today's readings from the perspective of the millions of refugees in the world. Most of us have never seen a person starve to death, but hundreds of millions of the poor have seen even their own children starve to death. To hear about a man who multiplies food is the greatest of good news to millions throughout the world. Even if we don't need the multiplication of food in our lives, we still desperately need the multiplication of time, energy, ministry, and strength. We feel terribly inadequate, and we are, but the Lord will multiply our little lives, if we give our all and ask in faith for a multiplication. When you come to Mass today, ask for the miracle of multiplication to lead to the miracle of freedom from spiritual blindness. This in turn will open our eyes to further miracles — to a multiplication of miracles.

Prayer: Father, I give You my all so that I may see.

Promise: "There is but one body and one Spirit, just as there is but one hope given all of you by your call." —Eph 4:4

Praise: Praise Jesus, "the Resurrection and the Life" (Jn 11:25), Whose name is exalted above the heavens! In Presentation Ministries



EL MILAGRO DE LOS MILAGROS DE MULTIPLICACIÓN

"Al ver el signo que Jesús acababa de hacer" (Juan 6:14). Jesús se sirvió del milagro de la multiplicación de los panes y los peces para abrir los ojos de sus apóstoles. Él dijo: "¿Todavía no comprenden ni entienden? Ustedes tienen la mente embotada. Tienen ojos y no ven, oídos y no oyen. ¿No recuerdan cuántas canastas llenas de sobras recogieron, cuando repartí cinco panes entre cinco mil personas?" (Mc 8:17-19). "Jesucristo es el mismo ayer y hoy, y lo será para siempre" (Heb 13:8). Por lo tanto, Jesús bien podría estar utilizando la lectura del Evangelio de hoy para abrir, espiritualmente, nuestros ojos y oídos. Lee las lecturas de hoy desde la perspectiva de los millones de refugiados en el mundo. La mayoría de nosotros jamás ha visto a una persona morir de hambre, pero cientos de millones de pobres han visto incluso a sus propios hijos morir de hambre. Escuchar acerca de un hombre que multiplica los alimentos es la mejor noticia para millones en todo el mundo. Incluso si no necesitamos la multiplicación de los alimentos en nuestras vidas, aún necesitamos desesperadamente la multiplicación del tiempo, energía, ministerio y fuerza. Nos sentimos totalmente incapaces, y lo somos, pero el Señor multiplicará nuestras pequeñas vidas, si le damos todo y pedimos con fe una multiplicación. Cuando vayas a Misa hoy, pide el milagro de la multiplicación para que te libere de la ceguera espiritual. Esto a su vez nos abrirá los ojos a nuevos milagros —a la multiplicación de milagros.

Oración: Padre, te doy todo mi ser para que yo pueda ver.

Promesa: "Hay un solo Cuerpo y un solo Espíritu, así como hay una misma esperanza, a la que ustedes han sido llamados" (Ef 4:4).

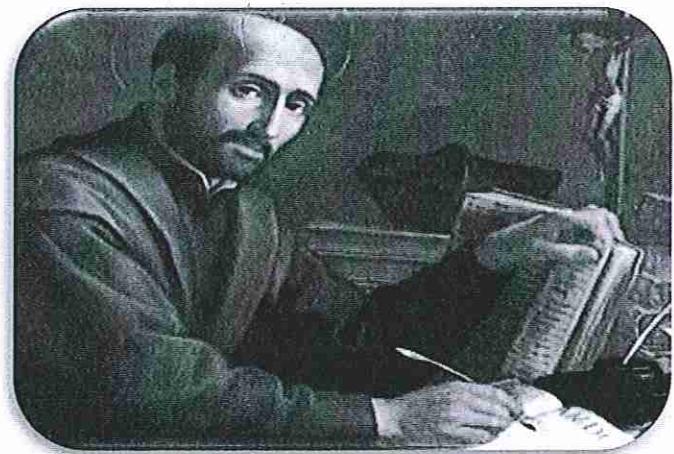
Alabanza: Alabemos a Jesús, "la Resurrección y la Vida" (Jn 11:25), ¡su nombre es exaltado sobre los cielos!

Wedding Anniversary Mass

Couples from throughout Rhode Island will come together to renew their wedding vows on Sunday, September 15th at 1:00 pm in the Cathedral of SS. Peter and Paul (1 Cathedral Square) in Providence. The annual diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass honors couples celebrating significant wedding anniversaries during the year (25,40, 50 and over 50 years). Bishop Thomas J. Tobin will be the main celebrant and homilist for Mass. A reception will follow in the lower level of the Cathedral where the couples will have a photo opportunity with the bishop and receive a personalized certificate in remembrance of this special occasion. We must receive registration by August 27. If you plan to attend, please call the rectory office at 722-9054.

Misa de Aniversario de Bodas

Parejas de todo Rhode Island se reunirán para renovar sus votos matrimoniales el Domingo 15 de Septiembre a la 1:00 pm en la Catedral de SS. Pedro y Pablo (1 Cathedral Square, Providence). La misa anual diocesana de aniversario de bodas honra a las parejas que celebran importantes aniversarios de bodas (25, 40, 50 y más de 50 años). El obispo Thomas J. Tobin será el celebrante principal y el homilista de la Misa. Seguido por una recepción en el sótano de la Catedral donde las parejas tendrán una oportunidad para tomar fotografías con el obispo y recibirán un certificado personalizado en recuerdo de esta ocasión especial. Deben de registrarse antes del 27 de Agosto. Si planea asistir, llame a la oficina de la rectoría al 722-9054.



Saint of the Week

On July 31st, the Catholic Church remembers Saint Ignatius of Loyola, the founder of the Society of Jesus, whose members are known as “the Jesuits”. Saint Ignatius is also the patron of the Spiritual Exercises. Ignatius of Loyola. A man who, before his encounter with Jesus, loved power and worldliness, but who later, with dedication, study and listening to the Word of God, surrendered to his will.

Prayer of Self Offering

St. Ignatius of Loyola

Take, O Lord, and receive my entire liberty, my memory, my understanding and my whole will. All that I am and all that I possess You have given me: I surrender it all to You to be disposed of according to Your will. Give me only Your love and Your grace; with these I will be rich enough, and will desire nothing more.

Santo de la Semana

El 31 de Julio la Iglesia católica recuerda a San Ignacio de Loyola, el fundador de la Compañía de Jesús, cuyos miembros se les conoce como “los jesuitas”. San Ignacio además es el patrono de los Ejercicios Espirituales. Ignacio de Loyola. Hombre que, antes de su encuentro con Jesús, amaba el poder y lo mundano, pero que luego, con dedicación, estudio y escucha de la Palabra de Dios, se entregó a su voluntad.

Oración de San Ignacio de Loyola

Toma, Señor, y recibe toda mi libertad, mi memoria, mi entendimiento y toda mi voluntad; todo mi haber y mi poseer. Tú me lo diste, a Ti, Señor, lo entrego. Todo es Tuyo: dispone de ello según Tu Voluntad. Dame Tu Amor y Gracia, que éstas me bastan. Amén.



Pope Benedict XVI's Prayer for Grandparents

Lord Jesus, you were born of the Virgin Mary, the daughter of Saints Joachim and Anne. Look with love on grandparents the world over. Protect them! They are a source of enrichment for families, for the Church and for all of society. Support them! As they grow older, may they continue to be for their families' strong pillars of Gospel faith, guardians of noble domestic ideals, living treasures of sound religious traditions. Make them teachers of wisdom and courage, that they may pass on to future generations the fruits of their mature human and spiritual experience. Lord Jesus, help families and society to value the presence and role of grandparents. May they never be ignored or excluded, but always encounter respect and love. Help them to live serenely and to feel welcomed in all the years of life which you give them. Mary, Mother of all the living, keep grandparents constantly in your care, accompany them on their earthly pilgrimage, and by your prayers, grant that all families may one day be reunited in our heavenly homeland, where you await all humanity for the great embrace of life without end. Amen!

Día de los Abuelos

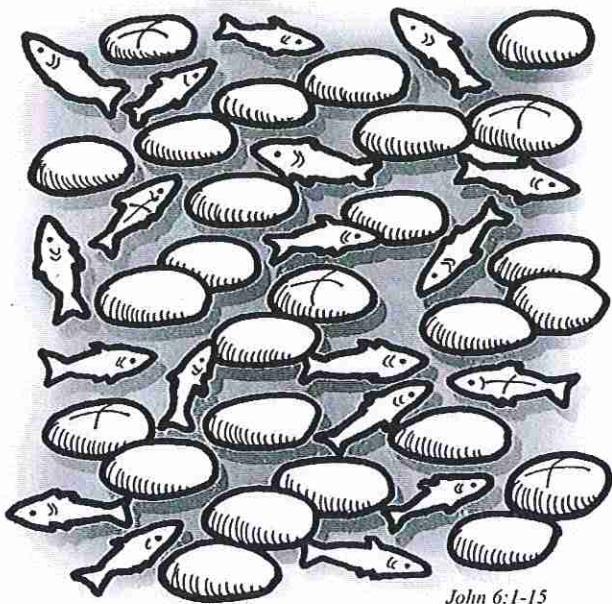
San Joaquín y Santa Ana,
rueguen por nosotros

Oración por los abuelos, escrita por el Papa Benedicto XVI

Señor Jesús: Tú naciste de la Virgen María, hija de San Joaquín y Santa Ana. Mira con amor a los abuelos de todo el mundo. ¡Protégelos! Son una fuente de enriquecimiento para las familias, para la Iglesia y para toda la sociedad. Sosténlos! Que cuando envejezcan sigan siendo para sus familias pilares fuertes de la fe evangélica, custodios de los nobles ideales hogareños, tesoros vivos de sólidas tradiciones religiosas. Haz que sean maestros de sabiduría y valentía, que transmitan a las generaciones futuras los frutos de su madura experiencia humana y espiritual. Señor Jesús, ayuda a las familias y a la sociedad a valorar la presencia y el papel de los abuelos. Que jamás sean ignorados o excluidos, sino que siempre encuentren respeto y amor. Ayúdales a vivir serenamente y a sentirse acogidos durante todos los años de vida que les concedas. María, Madre de todos los vivientes, cuida constantemente a los abuelos, acompáñalos durante su peregrinación terrena, y con tus oraciones obtén que todas las familias se reúnan un día en nuestra patria celestial, donde esperas a toda la humanidad para el gran abrazo de la vida sin fin. Amén.

The Kids' Bulletin

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 25th, 2021

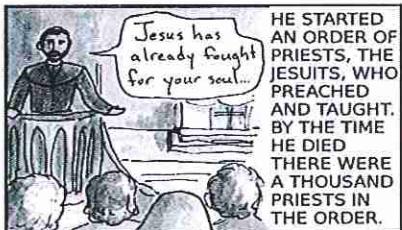
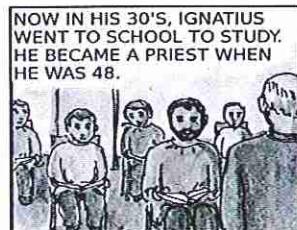
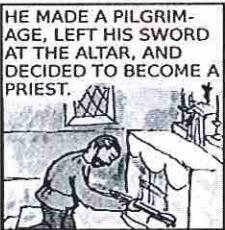
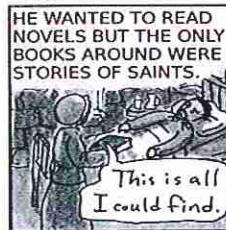
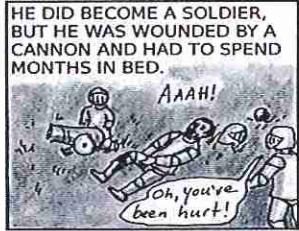
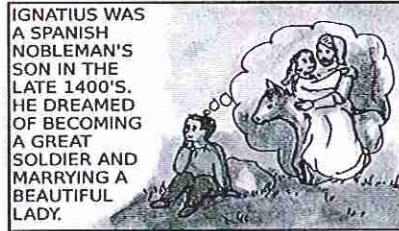


John 6:1-15

*When five thousand people came to hear Jesus,
He turned one boy's bread and fish
into enough for everyone.*

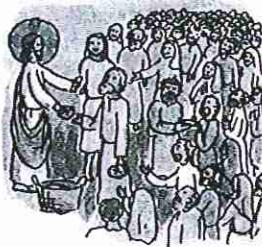
*How much did He have to start with?
Colour and count the loaves and fishes
with crosses on them to find out!*

SAINT IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA JULY 31



SAINT IGNATIUS LOVED THE IDEA OF BEING A GREAT SOLDIER AND BEATING HIS ENEMIES. HE LEARNED BY READING ABOUT THE SAINTS THAT THE GREATEST BATTLE WE CAN FIGHT IS AGAINST THE DEVIL AND TEMPTATIONS TO SIN. WE CAN ALSO LEARN HOW TO WIN OUR BATTLES BY READING ABOUT SAINTS.

Jesus Multiplies our Gifts

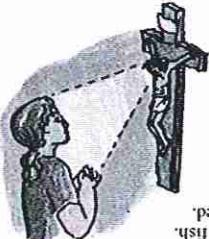


Jesus saw that a huge crowd of people had come to Him, and He knew that they needed food. However, all they had was a few loaves of bread and a couple fish that a boy had brought along.



Jesus took the five loaves and the two fish and blessed it, and started giving it to the crowd. Soon there was enough to feed five thousand people, plus there were twelve baskets of leftovers!

Jesus still multiplies what we give Him today. At Mass we offer to God some bread and wine and He turns it into the Body and Blood of Jesus!



We have something to offer to Jesus too. If you offer your work, or your talents, or even your whole life to God, He will use your gifts to bring His blessings to the world.

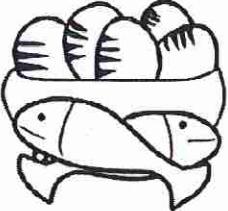
Answer to puzzle on front page: Five loaves and two fish.

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Jesus Feeds the 5000

Jesus then took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed to those who were seated as much as they wanted. He did the same with the fish. John 6:11 (NIV)

The puzzle is based on John 6:1-14



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JESUS	BASKETFULS	SATISFIED	CROWDS	LOAVES
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