

Sunday 19th March 2023

The one who truly satisfies

John 6:1-40 | David Peterson

1. Two relevant 'signs' (6:1–21)

Seven signs of the person and work of Jesus in John's Gospel:

Water into wine (2:1–11)

Healing a royal official's son (4:46–54)

Healing a lame man on the Sabbath (5:1–18)

Feeding the multitude (6:1–15)

Walking on the water (6:16–22)

Giving sight to a man born blind (9:1–41)

Raising Lazarus from death (11:1–57)

a. The feeding of the Five Thousand and its sequel

The Prophet like Moses (see Deuteronomy 18:15)?

b. Walking on the water

'Who is this? He commands even the winds and the water, and they obey him'
(Luke 8:25)

2. Searching for Jesus (6:22–34)

a. The wrong approach

Jesus identified himself as 'the Son of Man' (5:27; 6:27, reflecting Daniel 7:13-14).

b. Not achieving, but believing

c. Not demanding, but receiving

3. Coming, believing, and being raised up by God's grace (6:35-40)

What does it mean for you today?