

Sermon Title: **Provision of Christ Experienced**

Sermon Text: Luke 9:10-17

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Sermon Notes:

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Prayer Concerns:

Exercising Compassion: Demonstrating the Love of God

John 13:34-35

1 Corinthians 13

Bible Reading: Matthew 14:13-21; Mark 6:30-44

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QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION

Read Luke 9:10-17. From where were the apostles returning? What had they been doing? Why is it important to debrief after intense seasons of ministry?

What did Jesus lead them to do after returning from this intense time of ministry? (cf. Mark 6:30-32) Was this His custom? (cf. Luke 5:16)

Read 1 Kings 18:19-46; 19:1-4. In this story about Elijah and the prophets of Baal, Elijah experiences great victories for the Lord against these false prophets. What happened next (cf. 19:1-3)? What was Elijah's emotional state in 19:4?

Read 1 Kings 19:5-8. What did Elijah do when he plummeted into this desperate condition? Why is it important to do this? What was the result of this (cf. 19:8)?

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Read Luke 9:10-17 again. Were Jesus and the apostles able to enjoy their time away from the crowds? What happened? How did Jesus respond to them?

What can we learn from Jesus' compassionate response to the crowds?

Why were the apostles concerned about sending the crowds away? What was the problem? What was Jesus' suggestion to remedy this problem? Why would this be difficult for the apostles?

According to John 6:1-15, where did the five loaves and two fish come from? What did Jesus do with this meager portion?

Considering the context of this passage—specifically Luke 9:1-9—what is the significance of Jesus working through His apostles (9:16) to carry out this miracle—the feeding of the 5,000?