**Mark 8: 1-21**

**“Christ Our Provider”**

**Discussion Questions**

1. What are some of the “test God” tests you have heard? You know, like, can God create a rock so big he can’t lift it?
2. What is amazing to you about Jesus feeding a large group of people with such a small amount of bread? What aspect of that would you liked to have watched?
3. What would happen if someone did that same sort of miracle today? What would happen next?
4. Reread verse 12, why did Jesus “sigh deeply”? What does that sigh tell us Jesus thinks of those who ‘demand’ a sign? (You may want to reread Matt. 12:39-40).
5. What’s wrong with testing God asking him to grow an amputee’s limb?
6. Go back over the 8 questions Jesus asked starting in verse 17. What point was Jesus driving them towards?
7. Reread the story in John 6:32-40. What HAS Jesus promised us?
8. When we have doubts where should we turn? (There are many appropriate answers.) Talk through as many options as you can come up with.