

# Sanctuary Steps

## #5 Table of Shewbread

### JOHN 6

(John 6:1-14 – Jesus feeds the 5,000 physical bread. Then He wants to lead their minds to the deep spiritual truths this bread symbolizes.)

### John 6:35, 41, 48

“**I am the bread of life.** He who comes to me will never go hungry, and he who believes in me will never be thirsty.”

### John 6:50, 51

“But here is the bread that comes down from heaven, . . . **I am the living bread that came down from heaven.** If anyone eats of this bread, he will live forever. This bread is my flesh, which I will give for the life of the world.”

### John 6:53, 54

“I tell you the truth, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. **Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, . . .**”

**\*John 6:63** – “The **Spirit** gives life; the flesh counts for nothing. The words I have spoken to you are spirit and they are life.” \*

### John 6:27

“Do not work for food that spoils, **but for food that endures to eternal life**, which the Son of Man will give you. On him God the Father has placed his seal of approval.”

### John 1:1-3, 14

“In the beginning was the **Word**, and the **Word** was with God, and the **Word** was God. He was with God in the beginning. . . . The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. . . .”

### Matthew 4:4

“It is written: ‘Man does not live on **bread** alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God’”

(Jesus quoted this from Deuteronomy 8:3 which is a part of the manna story. This He also spoke about in reference to Himself in the John 6 story above, when talking about the bread that came down from heaven.)

## **Communion Service**

### **Matthew 26:26**

“ . . . Jesus took bread, gave thanks and broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, **Take and eat; this is my body.**”

### **Jeremiah 15:16**

“**When your words came, I ate them**; they were my joy and my heart’s delight.”

### **Revelation 10:10**

“I took the little scroll from the angel’s hand and **ate it**. It tasted as sweet as honey in my mouth, but when I had eaten it, my stomach turned sour.”

### **Proverbs 9:5**

“Come, **eat** my food and drink the wine I have mixed.” (Wisdom is calling out to the simple minded.)

## **MORE**

### **Matthew 5:6**

“Blessed are those who **hunger** and thirst for **righteousness**, for they will be **filled**.”

### **Isaiah 55:1-3, 11**

“ . . . **Listen, listen** to me, and **eat** what is good, and your soul will delight in the richest of fare. . . . so is my word that goes out from my mouth: . . .”

### **James 1:21**

“ . . . the **word planted in you**, which can save you.”

### **Philippians 2:5**

“Let this **mind be in you** which was also in Christ Jesus,” NKJV