



# PARKSIDE CHURCH

Sunday, July 9, 2023

**"Encountering the Bread of Life"**

John 6:26-35

## **Last week: Exodus 3:14 - God is "I am who I am"**

- God is independent and self-sufficient. He depends on no one else.
- God is eternal and unchanging, dynamic, and active.
- God is always in the present and has all resources to do whatever He desires.
- Everything begins with this God, the Great I AM.

## **Setting the Table:**

- What is the Old Testament back story? ***God provides all that His people need.***
  - Exodus 14 | God delivered them from Egypt by parting the Red Sea
  - Exodus 15 -17 | God miraculously provided water and food
  - Psalm 78:23-25 | This story became Israel's identity
- What has happened in the last 24 hours?
  - Day before, John 6:1-14: Jesus fed \_\_\_\_\_
  - Night before, John 6:16-21: Jesus \_\_\_\_\_

## **Jesus' "I AM" statement: The Bread of Life**

1. This Bread is \_\_\_\_\_, v.27

2. This Bread is \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_, v. 33

3. This Bread is \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_, v.35

## **My response:**

1. What am I spending the years of my life on?
2. Does the life I'm living really satisfy?
3. What does Jesus offer me today?