## Jesus Made Breakfast for His Friends

John 21:1-14



## **Bible story**

Jesus is living! His friends had already seen Him two times. Now His special helpers, the disciples, were going fishing. They got in their fishing boat and rowed out into the water. (*Make rowing motions*.)

The men liked to fish at night. But this night they did not catch anything—not even one fish. (*Shake head no.*)

As morning came, Jesus watched the men from the shore. They did not know that the person watching was Jesus. "Have you caught anything?" Jesus shouted to them. (Show picture 19-10.)

"No!" they shouted back.

"Put your net on the right side of the boat," Jesus said.

When the men obeyed, their net became *full* of fish! They couldn't even get the net and fish into the boat!

Now Peter knew it was Jesus on the shore. Peter jumped out of the boat and swam to Jesus. The other men rowed the boat and dragged the net full of fish behind them. As soon as the men were on the shore, they saw a little campfire.

"Bring Me some of the fish you caught," Jesus said.

Jesus cooked the fish on the fire. Then He said to the men, "Come and eat."

There on the shore Jesus made breakfast for His friends. They ate bread and fish. They were happy to be with Jesus. He was alive from the dead!

## Talk about the story

Have the children take turns pointing to Jesus, the fishing boat, and the fire in picture 19-10.

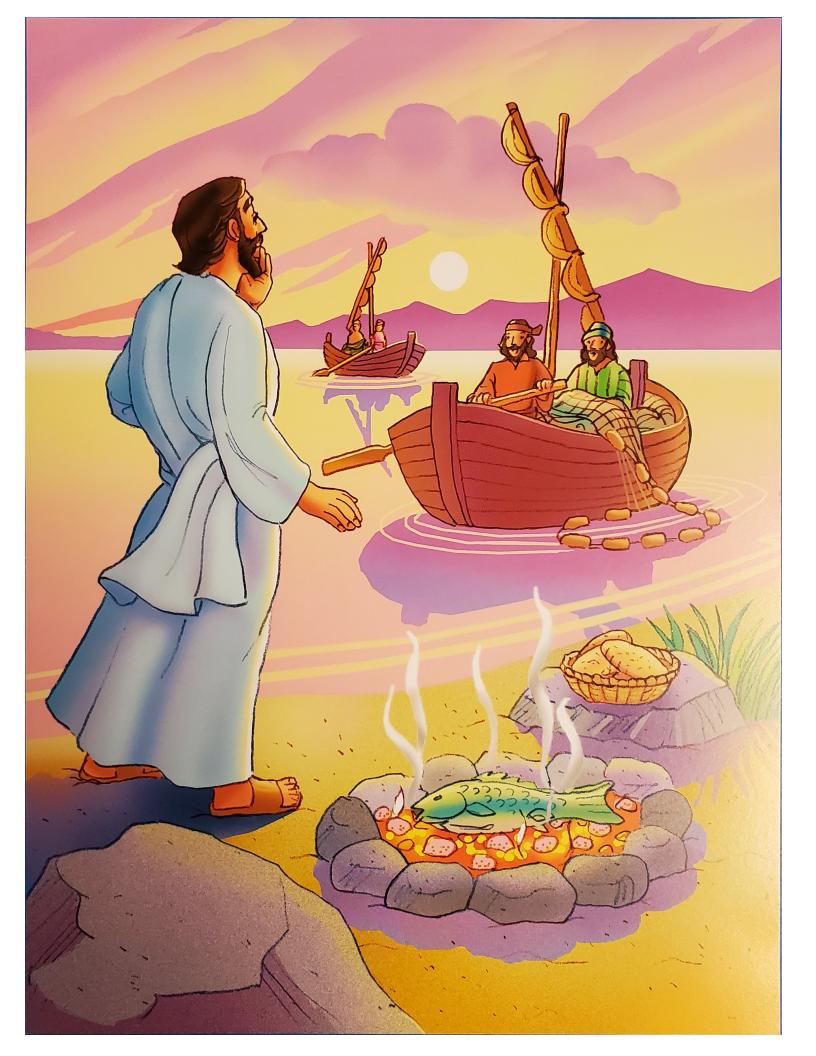
Ask: Who decided to go fishing? (Jesus' special helpers, the disciples.)

Ask: Did the men catch any fish at first? (No.)

Ask: Who was the Man on the shore? (Jesus.)

Ask: What did Jesus tell the men to do? (Put the net on the other side of the boat.)

Ask: What did Jesus do when the men got to shore? (Gave them fish and bread for breakfast.)



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