SERMON OUTLINE

Speaker: Dr Philip Satterthwaite

Text: John 6

Title: The Bread Of Life

Introduction

- Old Testament echoes in John's Gospel
- In John 6, echoes of Exodus and Numbers

1. Feeding of the 5,000 (vv. 1-15):

- Passover (v. 4)
- 'the prophet' (v. 14; Deut. 18:15)
- 'take him by force and make him king' (v. 15)

2. Jesus, Moses and the People's Expectations (vv. 16-59)

- Walking on water (vv. 16-24)
- The Son of Man and the life of the age to come (vv. 25-34)
- The bread of life and the prophetic hope (vv. 35-51)
- Eating flesh and blood (vv. 52-59)

Conclusion

- The common thread: different agendas
- Our response: verses 60-71

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