

## FROM STONES AND SNAKES TO FISH AND BREAD

### Romans 8:26-27 (HCSB)

**26** In the same way the Spirit also joins to help in our weakness, because we do not know what to pray for as we should, **but the Spirit Himself intercedes for us** with unspoken groanings. **27** And He who searches the hearts knows the Spirit's mind-set, because He intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.

### Matthew 7:7-11 (HCSB)

**7** "Keep asking, and it will be given to you. Keep searching, and you will find. Keep knocking, and the door will be opened to you. **8** For **everyone who asks receives**, and the one who searches finds, and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened. **9** What man among you, if his son asks him for bread, will give him a stone? **10** Or if he asks for a fish, will give him a snake? **11** If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give good things to those who ask Him!

### John 15:7 (HCSB)

**7** If you remain in Me and My words remain in you, ask whatever you want and it will be done for you.

### Romans 12:2 (HCSB)

**2** Do not be conformed to this age, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, **so that you may discern what is the good, pleasing, and perfect will of God.**