Wednesday 29th June 2022

Psalms 78:20

Behold, he smote the rock, that the waters gushed out, and the streams overflowed; can he give bread also? Can he provide flesh for his people?

How many people do you know in today's world that want absolutely everything they can possibly get? I am sure you have heard of people who say I want a new car and by gum they have the new car. Or teenagers demanding the best of the branded clothes, or the newest phone with all the apps they could wish for. But not just the teenagers, sometimes it's the silver surfers who like to try and have all they could wish for just about instantly. We live in a world today full of consumerism yet there is so much need for the things that we really need not goods as such but the necessary things in life and to ensure that the whole world is fed and looked after sharing with each other. We must not go to God asking for more and more of the consumer things. We need to approach him in humility and ask that we appreciate what we have more fully. God wants us to be able to truly appreciate his good gifts to each and every one of us. He has given us our lives, and the wonderful world that we live in, let us learn to open our eyes to see what is all around us and to give God the true and full thankfulness of all our hearts. And when we do our loving Father in heaven will provide for all our needs.

Prayer: Dear God, give us a greater appreciation of all the wonderful gifts You give. And when we take the world for granted, show us the error of our ways. Fill our minds and hearts with loving gratitude for the many blessings you have given us. Amen.