SUNDAY-SCHOOL LESSONS, THIRD QUARTER.

LESSON 2.]

JESUS THE BREAD OF LIFE.

JULY 8.

John 6. 22-40.

GOLDEN TEXT.—Jesus said unto them, I am the bread of life.—John 6. 35.

MEMORY VERSES, 35-37.—And Jesus said unto them, I am the bread of life: he that cometh to me shall never hunger; and he that believeth on me shall never thirst.

But I say unto you, That ye also have seen me, and believe not.

All that the Father giveth me shall come to me; and him that cometh te me I will in no wise cast out.

To the folks at home: Please help the little folks to learn this lesson.

LESSON STORY.

Notice that Jesus understood just why the people were so eager to find him, and he told them the truth about themselves. They did not like to hear these things. They were like some boys and girls now who want to have the good times and pleasant gifts, but who do not want to love and follow the Holy One who can do great works which call for wonder and admiration. It does not seem strange to us that Jesus could see into their hearts, but do we always remember that he can see into our hearts too. You remember how the Israelites in the wilderness were fed with manna from heaven. Do you understand what the true Bread of God is? Just as the body cannot live without food, so the soul starves without its food, and only God can give the right kind of food for the soul.

LESSON QUESTIONS.

- i. Who followed Jesus to Capernaum?

 The people whom he had fed.
- 2. What did they want?

 More food.
- 3. What did Jesus tell them?

 That they needed something more than bread.
- 4. What bread did Jesus offer the people? Heavenly bread.