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Day 5: Making Life Better

- Catholic Social Teaching: Solidarity of the Human Family

[SLIDE 2] SAY: Wow. Can you believe this is the last day of VBS? I hope you've had a wonderful time! We've spent a lot of time this week talking about climate change and natural disasters and how they impact people in Bolivia and elsewhere. [SLIDE 3] We've talked about how CRS is helping people all over the world and how the money we brought in this week will help kids and families around the world with problems like those being faced in Bolivia.

[SLIDE 4] If we raised \$20 CRS can provide nutrient-rich fertilizer to help farmers produce the best crops, and thus more food for their families.

If we raise \$60 it can be used to stock a fish pond, providing food and income for families even when crops fail.

[SLIDE 5] If we raise \$300 – it can be used to provide livestock to a farming family, producing milk for a balanced diet and extra income for household needs!

If we raise \$800, it can be used to train 50 farmers to use sustainable agriculture techniques and support them in finding fair, profitable places to sell their harvest.

If we raised \$2,500, it can be used to build a community fish pond to help improve the nutrition and health of a community as well as irrigate crops, especially in times of drought.

Did anyone see how much money we brought in? I'm excited to find out!

All this week we've also talked about how Jesus' power is with us through all the ups and downs of life. God wants a relationship with us and he wants us to share his goodness with others. How can we share God's goodness with others?

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Those are all great ideas! Such imagination, kindness and compassion!

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Thank you for listening carefully all week and sharing your good ideas. Have a great last day at Rocky Railway Totally Catholic VBS!