

J.C. Thompson September 3, 2017

Outline

Today's Message based on *The Life of Jesus* – Reading 183 (Luke 22:14-20)

"...Do this in remembrance of Me." Luke 22:19 (HCSB)

The Lord's Supper: (Luke 22:14-20)

1. The <u>body</u> of Christ. (Luke 22:19. C/R Hebrews 10:1-4) 2. The <u>blood</u> of Christ. (Luke 22:20. C/R Hebrews 9:25-28; Romans 8:1)

3. The <u>future</u> meal with God. (Matthew 26:29; Mark 14:26)

Where is God asking me to join Him?

Resource Information: Unless otherwise noted, outline and onscreen verses are from NLT version (New Living Translation) of *The Holy Bible*. C/R, if noted, refers to a 'cross reference' of Scripture verse(s). Today's outline and discussion guide are available to mobile device users through the Brookwood Church app available through your favorite app store.



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Discussion Guide

Use this guide to help you draw closer to God. Try not to rush through these questions, but take time to learn and grow. Ask God to speak to you in His Word. Find a Small Group at brookwoodchurch.org/smallgroups.

Conversation Starter

Describe something that brought you great joy last week.

Personal Reflection/Group Discussion

Read <u>Luke 22:14-20</u>.

- 1. Why was Jesus so eager to eat the Passover meal with His disciples?
- 2. What is the relationship between the system of Old Testament sacrifices and Jesus' sacrifice on the cross? *See also*: Hebrews 7:26-28; 9:24-26.
- 3. Jesus said He would not eat the bread or drink from the cup of wine again until the fulfillment of the Kingdom of God. What does He mean by this? Why is this significant? See also: Issaiah 25:6-9; Revelation 19:6-9.

Read 1 Corinthians 11:23-29.

- 4. If someone asked you to explain the meaning of the Lord's Supper, what would you say? How could you describe this in a way that's inviting for someone who doesn't know Jesus?
- 5. Who should participate in The Lord's Supper? Who should *not*?
- 6. What does God want you to be thinking about and feeling during the Lord's Supper? What Bible verses teach these things?
- 7. What does it mean to honor the body of Christ (vs. 29)?

- 8. Have you ever experienced the Lord's Supper as spiritual nourishment for your life? If so, what did you learn from that experience?
- 9. Jesus' death on the cross is at the heart of the Christian faith. According to the following passages, what was accomplished in His death?
 - a. <u>John 1:29</u>
 - Romans 3:25-26
 - c. Romans 5:10-11
- 10. Where is God asking you to join Him?

Soul Training

Each day this week, stop and remember Jesus' death. Tell God what this means to you and ask Him to keep working in your life. Ask Jesus what He wants you to know, then spend a few minutes in silence listening for Him to speak.

Memory Verse

And He took bread, gave thanks, broke it, gave it to them, and said, "This is My body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of Me."

Luke 22:19 (HCSB)

Daily Reading*

Day 1: <u>Luke 22:14-20</u> Day 4: <u>Hebrews 10:19-25</u>
Day 2: <u>2 Corinthians 3:4-11</u> Day 5: <u>Colossians 1:15-23</u>

Day 3: 2 Corinthians 3:12-18

Prepare for Next Sunday

Next Sunday, September 10, we'll take a fresh look at God's heart for Brookwood and our plan for the coming year. Read <u>Colossians 2:6-7</u> to consider how we build our lives and our church on Jesus. *Other key verses include*: <u>Ephesians 3:19</u>, <u>Matthew 18:20</u>; <u>25:40</u>.



^{*} We'll return to readings in *The Life of Jesus* September 17.