ALLEN TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School Live 🕮

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Lesson Title: The Lord's Supper

Lesson Text: Luke 22: 14 -30

Study Exodus Ch. 6; 12; Luke 22 – 23 NIV

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LESSON OUTLINES

- 1. The Last Supper & New Covenant. Luke 22:14-20
- 2. Revelation of Betrayal Luke 22:21-23
- 3. Jesus Teaches Humility Luke 22:24-30

GOALS FOR THIS LESSON

- Explore the text to understand the origin, meaning and significance of The Lords Supper, now observed as Communion.
- 2. Examine the commands and new covenant spoken by Jesus to the disciples.
- Interpret the prophecy, proclamation and lessons given by Jesus in this text.

LESSON OBJECTIVES

- 1) Identify how we may individually and corporately enhance our reverence for Jesus' death, burial, resurrection and Communion.
- 2) Remember to pause and initiate, deliberate, isolated reflection, thanksgiving, and worship vs. observing the Lords sacrifice only during communion service.

QUESTIONS TO CONSIDER?

- What is Passover & Why is it Important?
- 2) Why was Jesus eager to have this meal with his disciples?
- 3) Why is it considered the Last Supper?
- 4) What changed?

INTRODUCTION

In this lesson we see Jesus coming to fulfill what was foreshadowed in the Feast of the Passover for hundreds of years. Unbeknownst to His disciples, the Passover as it related to a sacrificial lamb per the Jewish tradition would be no more. Jesus expresses his eagerness of this moment to the disciples as they gathered to commune.

Preparation for Passover Luke 22:7-10 NIV

- 7). Then came the day of Unleavened Bread on which the Passover lamb had to be sacrificed. ⁸ Jesus sent Peter and John, saying, "Go and make preparations for us to eat the Passover."
- 9 "Where do you want us to prepare for it?" they asked. 10 He replied, "As you enter the city, a man carrying a jar of water will meet you. Follow him to the house that he enters

LUKE 22:11-13 NIV

¹¹ and say to the owner of the house, 'The Teacher asks: Where is the guest room, where I may eat the Passover with my disciples?' ¹² He will show you a large room upstairs, all furnished, Make preparations there." 13 They left and found things just as Jesus had told them, so they prepared the Passover.

LUKE 22:14-16 NIV

¹⁴ When the hour came, Jesus and his apostles reclined at the table.

¹⁵ And he said to them, "I have eagerly desired to eat this Passover with you before I suffer.

LUKE 22:16-18 NIV

- ¹⁶ For I tell you, I will not eat it again until it finds fulfillment in the kingdom of God."
- ¹⁷ After taking the cup, he gave thanks and said, "Take this and divide it among you. ¹⁸ For I tell you I will not drink again from the fruit of the vine until the kingdom of God comes."

LUKE 22:19-20 NIV

¹⁹ And he took bread, gave thanks and broke it, and gave it to them, saying, "This is my body given for you; do this in remembrance of me." ²⁰ In the same way, after the supper he took the cup, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood, which is poured out for you.

KEY POINTS TO REMEMBER

- The significance of this Passover before Jesus Crucifixion is because this was the very last supper under the old covenant.
- Jesus' death, burial & resurrection replaced the Need for a Lamb to shed blood at Passover.
 Jesus is the ultimate Sacrificial Lamb.
- 3. The blessing in communion gives us a new covenant and a new remembrance!

LUKE 22:21-22 NIV

²¹ But the hand of him who is going to betray me is with mine on the table. ²² The Son of Man will go as it has been decreed. But woe to that man who betrays him!". 23 They began to question among themselves which of them it might be who would do this.

QUESTIONS COMMENTS, OBSERVATIONS

- 1) Define Until The Kingdom of God Comes.
- 2) Who is coming back to Judge the World?
- 3) What is a covenant?
- 4) What Benefits are in the new covenant?
- 5) What benefit do we have in Christ's return?

1 CORINTHIANS 11:23-24 NIV

²³ For I received from the Lord what I also passed on to you: The Lord Jesus, on the night he was betrayed, took bread, ²⁴ and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, "This is my body, which is for you; do this in remembrance of me."

1CORINTHIANS 11: 25-26

²⁵ In the same way, after supper he took the cup, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood; do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me." 26 For whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

LUKE 22:20-23 NIV

- When evening came, Jesus was reclining at the table with the Twelve. ²¹ And while they were eating, he said, "Truly I tell you, one of you will betray me."
- ²² They were very sad and began to say to him one after the other, "Surely you don't mean me, Lord?"
- ²³ Jesus replied, "The one who has dipped his hand into the bowl with me will betray me.

MATTHEW 26:25-26

²⁴ The Son of Man will go just as it is written about him. But woe to that man who betrays the Son of Man! It would be better for him if he had not been born."

²⁵ Then Judas, the one who would betray him, said, "Surely you don't mean me, Rabbi?" Jesus answered, "You have said so."

LUKE 22:24-25 NIV

²⁴ A dispute also arose among them as to which of them was the greatest. ²⁵ Jesus said to them, "The kings of the Gentiles lord it over them; and those who exercise authority over them call themselves Benefactors.

LUKE 22:26-27 NIV

²⁶ But you are not to be like that. Instead, the greatest among you should be like the youngest, and the one who rules like the one who serves. ²⁷ For who is greater, the one who is at the table or the one who serves? Is it not the one who is at the table? But I am among you as one who serves.

LUKE 22:28-30 NIV

²⁸ You are those who have stood by me in my trials. ²⁹ And I confer on you a kingdom, just as my Father conferred one on me, ³⁰ so that you may eat and drink at my table in my kingdom and sit on thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel.

LESSON SUMMARY

The Lords Supper is one of the two most significant ordinances commanded by Jesus that we are to prepare for, reflect on and honor with our utmost respect! It is a sacred time to give thanks unto Jesus Christ for the salvation we have freely by his ultimate sacrifice for our sins. He Said "This Do In Remembrance of Me".

BIBLICAL STUDY RESOURCES

- 1. NASB NIV | NRSV STUDY BIBLE
- 2. BIBLEREF.COM, BIBLESTUDYTOOLS.COM,
- 3. GOTQUESTIONS.ORG | CHRISTIANITY.COM
- 4. BIBLIA.COM / JEWISH PASSOVER STUDY