



United Methodist Communion Quiz

1. The official United Methodist name for this sacrament is:

- The Lord's Supper
- Holy Communion
- Eucharist
- All of the above names are used by United Methodists.

2. The word "Eucharist" is derived from the Greek word(s) for:

- Bread
- Meal
- Thanksgiving
- "Let's eat!"

3. The term "open communion" means everyone is invited to the communion table if they...

- Love Jesus
- Earnestly repent of their sins
- Seek peace with one another
- All of the above

4. Which drink became popular because it was suitable for alcohol-free Communion?

- Florida's Natural Grape Juice
- Tropicana Red Grape Juice
- Welch's Grape Juice
- Lucy & Ethel's Freshly-Stomped Grape Juice

5. Persons responsible for the preparation of the bread, wine and Communion ware are called:

- Communion servers
- Communion stewards
- Communion ministers
- Communion hosts

6. The act of dipping the bread into the wine during Communion is called:

- Blending
- Dunking
- Intermingle
- Intinction

7. Monthly and quarterly communion are popular in the U.S. because:

- Pastors riding the circuit could not visit every church every Sunday
- When pastors were not available, laity (who cannot give communion) led worship
- Methodists got used to the irregular schedule of communion
- All of the above

8. In the formative years of the Methodist Church, John Wesley took communion...

- Just on Sundays
- Four or five times a week
- Whenever Charles took communion
- Whenever the bread was fresh

9. Why were the tops of 19th century communion cups cut at an angle?

- Manufacturing of plastic cups was still decades away
- To avoid looking like shot glasses
- Glass blowers could never cut straight lines
- That's how people drank grape juice back then

10. There is a minimum age to receive communion in a United Methodist church.

- True
- False

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Answers to the United Methodist Communion Quiz

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The correct answer is thanksgiving.

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The correct answer is all of the above.

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The correct answer is Welch’s Grape Juice.

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The correct answer is false.