

“The Meaning of the Lord’s Supper”

Text: I Corinthians 11:24

Acts 2:42 - **“² And they devoted themselves to the apostles’ teaching and the fellowship, to “the breaking of bread” and the prayers.”**

1. What exactly are we doing when we celebrate the Supper?

A. First, we _____.

Exodus 12:26-27 - **“²⁶ When your children ask you, ‘Why are we doing these things?’ ²⁷ you will say, ‘This is the Passover sacrifice to honor the LORD. When we were in Egypt, the LORD passed over the houses of Israel, and when he killed the Egyptians, he saved our homes.’”**

B. Secondly, we _____.

John 6:53 – **“⁵³ Jesus said, “I tell you the truth, you must eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood. Otherwise, you won’t have real life in you.”**

John 15:5 - **⁵ “I am the vine, and you are the branches. If any remain in me and I remain in them, they produce much fruit. But without me they can do nothing.”**

C. Third, we _____.

I John 1:9 – **“⁹ if we confess our sins, he will forgive our sins, because we can trust God to do what is right. He will cleanse us from all the wrongs we have done.”**

D. Fourth, we _____.

I Corinthians 11:26 declares: **“²⁶ Every time you eat this bread and drink this cup you are telling others about the Lord’s death until he comes.”**

E. Fifth, we _____.

I Corinthians 12:12 – **“¹² The body of Christ has many different parts, just as any other body does. ¹³ Some of us are Jews, and others are Gentiles. Some of us are slaves, and others are free. But God’s Spirit baptized each of us and made us part of the body of Christ. Now we each drink from that same Spirit.”**