



Family Worship Experience

— READ THE SCRIPTURE —



**PAUL WROTE
ABOUT THE
LORD'S SUPPER**

Read Matthew 26:17-30 and 1 Corinthians 11:17-29 from your Bible or from below.

It was time for the celebration of Passover. Passover is the feast to remind Israel of how God delivered them from slavery in Egypt. The disciples were asking Jesus where they should celebrate and have their Passover meal.

Jesus gave the disciples very specific instructions. He said to go into the city to a certain man and tell him, “The Teacher says My time is near; I am celebrating the Passover at your place with My disciples.” The disciples did what Jesus asked, and that evening they were at a table together having their Passover meal.

Jesus knew one of the disciples at the meal with Him would betray Him.

As they were eating, Jesus took some bread in His hand, blessed it, and broke it into pieces. Jesus told them to remember Him as they ate it. After they ate the bread, Jesus took a cup and gave thanks. He said it was a sign of His promise to everyone who believed in Him. Jesus would die on the cross for the forgiveness of sins, so everyone who believes in Him would be saved. After they finished their Passover meal, the group sang a hymn together before they left to go to the Mount of Olives.

Paul reminded Christians in the Book of 1 Corinthians that it is important for believers to gather together to participate in the Lord's Supper. It is important for the church to remember how Jesus died on the cross by observing the Lord's Supper. Christians participate in the Lord's Supper to proclaim Jesus' sacrifice on the cross as Savior.



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-TALK ABOUT THE SCRIPTURE-

Say: *Do your parents like to take pictures of you when you try new things or go to new places? Have you ever wondered why they do this?*

Pictures help us remember things we have done. They help us remember people, places, and events we have encountered.

In the Bible story this week, we learned about a way Jesus wants people to remember Him. When Christians participate in the Lord's Supper, they are remembering what Jesus did when He died on the cross for their sins.

Before Jesus died, He celebrated one last Passover meal with His disciples. Jesus wanted His disciples to have a way for them to remember Him and what He would soon do for them. As He passed bread out to them, Jesus told them to remember Him. As He passed out the drink to them, Jesus told them to remember that He would die on the cross for forgiveness of sins.

When Jesus shared the Passover meal with the disciples, He knew it would be the last time to be with them before He died. Jesus knew what was about to happen, and He wanted to give the disciples a way to remember Him and what He was about to do for them.

Today we celebrate the Lord's Supper as a time to remember who Jesus is and what He did for us on the cross. Because of His great love, through His death on the cross, we can have forgiveness for our sins. When you become a Christian, you can participate in the Lord's Supper at your church. When you take the Lord's Supper, you can celebrate and remember all God has done for you.

Preschool Life Point: *At church, people learn about the Lord's Supper.*

Kids Life Point: *Christians remember what Jesus did when they participate in the Lord's Supper.*

Preschool Review Questions:

1. What two things did Jesus pass out to the disciples at the Passover meal?
2. What do we remember when we take the Lord's Supper?

Kids Review Questions:

1. What did Jesus tell the disciples when He passed out bread and the cup to them?
2. How does your church celebrate the Lord's Supper?

Pray: *God, thank You for sending Your Son to earth to save us from our sins through His death on a cross. Thank You for a way we can remember what Jesus did for us by taking the Lord's Supper with other believers. Help us always remember what You did for us on the cross. Amen.*



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— LEARN SCRIPTURE —

The weekly Bible verse below is focused on at church. Consider talking about what this passage means and memorizing it as well.

**PRESCHOOL (paraphrase) : Jesus said,
“Do this and remember Me.”**

1 Corinthians 11:24

**KIDS: For as often as you eat this
bread and drink this cup, you proclaim
the Lord’s death until he comes.**

1 Corinthians 11:26



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— SING —

Sing a *Bible Studies for Life* song or one of your family’s favorite worship songs.