

Do This In Remembrance Of Me

CLASS 4 • THEY TOOK BREAD

- Mark 14:22-26 (NIV)
 - 22) While they were eating, Jesus took bread, gave thanks and broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take it; this is my body."
 - 23) Then he took the cup, gave thanks and offered it to them, and they all drank from it.
 - 24) "This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many," he said to them.
 - 25) "I tell you the truth, I will not drink again of the fruit of the vine until that day when I drink it anew in the kingdom of God."
 - 26) When they had sung a hymn, they went out to the Mount of Olives.
- Psalm 104
- Scriptural reasons why we break bread
- Mark 14:22-26: "And as they did eat, Jesus took bread, and blessed, and brake it, and gave to them, and said. Take, eat: this is my body."
- <u>Luke 22:14-20</u>: "And when the hour was come, he sat down, and the twelve apostles with him. And he said unto them, With desire I have desired to eat this passover with you before I suffer: For I say unto you, I will not any more eat thereof, until it be fulfilled in the kingdom of God. And he took the cup, and gave thanks, and said, Take this, and divide it among yourselves: For I say unto you, I will not drink of the fruit of the vine, until the kingdom of God shall come. And he took bread, and gave thanks, and brake it, and gave unto them, saying, This is my body which is given for you: this do in remembrance of me. Likewise also the cup after supper, saying, This cup is the new testament in my blood, which is shed for you."
- <u>Matthew 26:26</u>: "And as they were eating, Jesus took bread, and blessed it, and brake it, and gave it to the disciples, and said, Take, eat; this is my body. And he took the cup, and gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, Drink ye all of it; For this is my blood of the new testament, which is shed for many for the remission of sins."

- 1st Corinthians 11:1-2: "Be ye followers of me, even as I also am of Christ. Now I praise you, brethren, that ye remember me in all things, and keep the ordinances, as I delivered them to you."
- Why we break bread
- What was it like in the early ecclesias
- 1st Corinthians 11:17-22: "Now in this that I declare unto you I praise you not, that ye come together not for the better, but for the worse. For first of all, when ye come together in the church, I hear that there be divisions among you; and I partly believe it. For there must be also heresies among you, that they which are approved may be made manifest among you. When ye come together therefore into one place, this is not to eat the Lord's supper. For in eating every one taketh before other his own supper: and one is hungry, and another is drunken. What? have ye not houses to eat and to drink in? or despise ye the church of God, and shame them that have not? What shall I say to you? shall I praise you in this? I praise you not."
- · What was the "service" at Corinth like?
- 1st Corinthians 11:33-34: "Wherefore, my brethren, when ye come together to eat, tarry one for another. And if any man hunger, let him eat at home; that ye come not together unto condemnation. And the rest will I set in order when I come."
- They seemed to be sharing an entire meal together?
 - Was this in keeping with the way Jesus had ordained it?
 - What did Paul change?
 - How does this affect us today?
- 1st Corinthians 11:23-26: "For I have received of the Lord that which also I delivered unto you, That the Lord Jesus the same night in which he was betrayed took bread: And when he had given thanks, he brake it, and said, Take, eat: this is my body, which is broken for you: this do in remembrance of me. After the same manner also he took the cup, when he had supped, saying, This cup is the new testament in my blood: this do ye, as oft as ye drink it, in remembrance of me. For as often as ye eat this bread, and drink this cup, ye do shew the Lord's death till he come."
- The same night...
- · How does bread represent his body?
 - Broken
- "This cup is the new testament in my blood"?
 - How come wine represents his blood?
- <u>Deuteronomuy 12:23</u>: "Only be sure that thou eat not the blood: for the blood is the life; and thou mayest not eat the life with the flesh."

- John 6:47-58: "Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on me hath everlasting life. I am that bread of life. Your fathers did eat manna in the wilderness, and are dead. This is the bread which cometh down from heaven, that a man may eat thereof, and not die. I am the living bread which came down from heaven: if any man eat of this bread, he shall live for ever: and the bread that I will give is my flesh, which I will give for the life of the world. The Jews therefore strove among themselves, saying, How can this man give us his flesh to eat? Then Jesus said unto them, Verily, Verily, I say unto you, Except ye eat the flesh of the Son of man, and drink his blood, ye have no life in you. Whoso eateth my flesh, and drinketh my blood, hath eternal life; and I will raise him up at the last day. For my flesh is meat indeed, and my blood is drink indeed. He that eateth my flesh, and drinketh my blood, dwelleth in me, and I in him. As the living Father hath sent me, and I live by the Father: so he that eateth me, even he shall live by me. This is that bread which came down from heaven: not as your fathers did eat manna, and are dead: he that eateth of this bread shall live for ever."
 - The life is in the blood
 - As oft as you drink it...
- Perform Memorial Service