

3-17-24 Facilitator The Last Meal Luke 22:14-23, Brown Peterson

1. **Launchers: Favorite Meals / Dinner Celebrations**

- What have been your favorite meals with friends?
- How are both your souls and bodies nourished through a dinner with dear friends?

2. **Worship God by reading together Psalm 136.**

Read it through once as a group.

Then take turns reading a verse or a set number of verses then have the whole group recite together *“for His steadfast love endures forever.”*

3. **Sermon Reflection: The Last Meal Luke 22:14-23, Brown Peterson**

The Meal – Feast for Body and Soul

- What are the elements or happenings around the Passover meal that point to Jesus’ saving work?
- What are the elements in The Last Supper that point back to The Passover Meal? Point forward to the Wedding Feast of the Lamb?
- What elements of the Wedding Feast of the Lamb point back to The Passover Meal / The Last Supper?
- What elements of the Wedding Feast of the Lamb point to our forever and ever together?

The Covenant – A Fixed Future Reality

- How does the experience of The Passover build / establish your hope and assurance in **God’s Divine Promises?**
- What is your favorite promise that God makes to us?

The Response – This is my body for you, do this... A LIVING SACRIFICE!!

- **Every moment from Mary’s womb to His Ascension AND EVERY MOMENT SINCE, Jesus was, is and always will be OUR LIVING SACRIFICE. Forever changed for us by His Glorious work in life and death.**
 - What is your favorite part of Jesus’ life he lived for you?... Jesus’ death He died for you?
 - What is your favorite part of you giving yourself for others?
 - What is your favorite part of giving your blood and your flesh for the eternal benefit of yourself and others?

4. **Kingdom Centered Prayer: You Can Pray with Us**

1. Worship the LORD for his divine plan and creativity. Enjoy all the details in how the Passover is pointing to the Lord’s Supper, which puts on display God’s great love and work to rescue his people to Himself.
2. Confess to the LORD how you don’t live in the freedom of the unbreakable covenant He has brought you into. Where do you live in the pride and fear that you are by yourself rather than the reality that you belong to Him?
3. Thank Jesus for his love of his people. Praise Him that He wanted to share a meal with his friends before suffering. Look at Him and be in awe that He stood in our place so that we could be made children of God.
4. Just like the bread in the Last Supper, Jesus takes us, blesses us, breaks us, and gives us out so that others are strengthened. Who in your life are you called to sacrifice and serve so that they are blessed?
5. Who in your life is currently not at the Lord’s Table communing with Him? Pray for them! Beg the Holy Spirit to work on their heart and give them the gift of repentance and faith.

5. **Mission: Christians are on mission to “do this in remembrance of Him”.**

- Have fun with this exercise.
 - Who are the people who have given to “YOU in remembrance of Him”?
 - Who are the people in your life this week that you can give yourself for “THEM in remembrance of Him”?