

Lifted Up

John 3:14-15

Communion Opportunity

We would love to have you and your family/group join us in celebrating Good Friday by participating in Communion. Please follow the instructions below, but feel free to improvise in accordance with what would be meaningful and appropriate for the people in your home/group.

Scripture Reading: Have someone in your family/group open your time by reading John 3:9-16.

Interactive Questions:

1. Nikodemus is struggling to grasp the concept of salvation that Jesus is presenting in this passage. Why do you think it is hard to believe that salvation comes from trusting Jesus instead of earning it?
2. Why do you think Jesus had to be lifted on the cross?
3. What is the promise for those who will trust in Christ's sacrifice on the cross (3:15-16).
4. When did you first look to Jesus for salvation?
5. Communion reminds us that we are not saved because of ourselves, but because of what Christ did for us. Are you presently trusting in Jesus for salvation and hope, or are you looking to save yourself?

Communion: The Lord's Supper is our chance to remember His sacrifice on our behalf.

Bread: Have someone read I Corinthians 11:23-24 then have them pray and thank Jesus for His physical sacrifice on our behalf.

²³ For I received from the Lord that which I also delivered to you, that the Lord Jesus in the night in which He was betrayed took bread; ²⁴ and when He had given thanks, He broke it and said, "This is My body, which is for you; do this in remembrance of Me."

Cup: Have someone read I Corinthians 11:25-26 then have them pray and thank Jesus for His blood that pays for our sins.

²⁵ In the same way He took the cup also after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in My blood; do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me." ²⁶ For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until He comes.

Take the Bread and Cup and then exit the service at your own pace and discretion.