

# THE LORD'S SUPPER

9-6-15

## 1. THE \_\_\_\_\_ BEHIND THE LORD'S SUPPER.

Exodus 12:1-13 - The LORD said to Moses and Aaron in Egypt, <sup>2</sup>"This month is to be for you the first month, the first month of your year. <sup>3</sup> Tell the whole community of Israel that on the tenth day of this month each man is to take a lamb for his family, one for each household. <sup>4</sup> If any household is too small for a whole lamb, they must share one with their nearest neighbor, having taken into account the number of people there are. You are to determine the amount of lamb needed in accordance with what each person will eat. <sup>5</sup> The animals you choose must be year-old males without defect, and you may take them from the sheep or the goats. <sup>6</sup> **Take care of them until the fourteenth day of the month, when all the people of the community of Israel must slaughter them at twilight.** <sup>7</sup> **Then they are to take some of the blood and put it on the sides and tops of the doorframes of the houses where they eat the lambs.** <sup>8</sup> That same night they are to eat the meat roasted over the fire, along with bitter herbs, and ***bread made without yeast.*** ... <sup>12</sup> "On that same night I will pass through Egypt and strike down every firstborn – both men and animals – and I will bring judgment on all the gods of Egypt. I am the LORD. <sup>13</sup> ***The blood will be a sign for you on the houses where you are; and when I see the blood, I will pass over you. No destructive plague will touch you when I strike Egypt.***

### ○ The Lamb

Isaiah 53:7 - He was oppressed and afflicted, yet he did not open his mouth; he was led like a lamb to the slaughter, and as a sheep before her shearers is silent, so he did not open his mouth.

1 Peter 1:19-20 - ...but with the precious blood of Christ, **a lamb without blemish or defect.**<sup>20</sup> **He was chosen** before the creation of the world, but was revealed in these last times for your sake.

- **The Unleavened Bread**

Exodus 12:8 - That same night they are to eat the meat roasted over the fire, along with bitter herbs, and bread made without yeast.

**Leaven:** “Chometz” means bitter or sour.

1 Corinthians 5:6-7 - Your boasting is not good. Don't you know that a little yeast works through the whole batch of dough? <sup>7</sup> Get rid of the old yeast that you may be a new batch without yeast – as you really are. For Christ, our Passover lamb, has been sacrificed.

**Unleavened:** “Matzo” means sweet without sourness.

1 Corinthians 5:7 - **Get rid of the old yeast** that you may be a **new batch without yeast** – as you really are. For Christ, our Passover lamb, has been sacrificed.

- **The Door/Cup**

Exodus 12:22 - Take a bunch of hyssop, dip it into the blood in the **basin** and put some of the blood on the top and on both sides of the doorframe. Not one of you shall go out the door of his house until morning.

**Basin** means: Threshold or ditch

John 10:9 - I am the door. If anyone enters by Me, he will be saved, and will go in and out and find pasture. NKJV

## 2. THE \_\_\_\_\_ BEHIND THE CEREMONY.

1 Corinthians 11:23 - For I received from the Lord what I also passed on to you:

### ○ THE \_\_\_\_\_.

1 Corinthians 11:23-24 - The Lord Jesus, on the night 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."

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1 Corinthians 11:25 - In the same way, after supper he took the cup, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood; do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me."

1 Corinthians 11:26 - For whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

## 3. THE \_\_\_\_\_ REQUIRED BEFORE PARTAKING.

1 Corinthians 11:27 - Therefore, whoever eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of sinning against the body and blood of the Lord.

1 Corinthians 11:28 - A man ought to examine himself before he eats of the bread and drinks of the cup.

1 Corinthians 11:29-31 - For anyone who eats and drinks without recognizing the body of the Lord eats and drinks judgment on himself. <sup>30</sup> That is why many among you are weak and sick, and a number of you have fallen asleep. <sup>31</sup> But if we judged ourselves, we would not come under judgment.