THE NEW COVENANT IN JESUS’ BLOOD

Luke 22:1–38

Key Verses: 22:19–20

1. What was the Feast of Unleavened Bread/Passover? (1; See Dt16:1–8.) Why did they want to get rid of Jesus, and why were they afraid of the people? (2) What does it mean that Satan “entered” Judas, and what did he cause Judas to do? (3–4) How did the religious leaders respond? (5) What was their plan? (6)
2. What day was it? (7) What did Jesus do? (8) What was involved in these preparations? How did the disciples find the place to prepare for the meal? (9–13) Why was a man carrying a water jar so unusual? What would the owner of the house have already done? Why was this all so secretive? What was Jesus teaching Peter and John?
3. What did Jesus say to his apostles? (14–16) Why was he so eager to eat this last meal with them? What does it mean that this meal finds “fulfillment in the kingdom of God”? (Rev19:9) Why did he repeat that this would be his last drink until the kingdom of God? (17–18)
4. Read verse 19. What was the traditional meaning of the Passover bread (Dt16:3), and what new meaning did Jesus give it? What does it mean that he gave his body for us? (Jn6:51; 1Pe2:24) What did Jesus want them to do in the future, and why? (19b)

1. Read verse 20. What was the traditional meaning of the Passover cup? (Ex6:6–7), and what new meaning did Jesus give it? (Jer31:31–34) What does the new covenant in Jesus’ blood do for us? (Rev1:5b; 1Pe1:18–19; Eph1:7; 2:13) How should we respond to his blood? (Ro3:25a)
2. Right afterwards, what did Jesus predict? (21–22) Why was this on his mind? How did they respond? (23) What was Judas’ problem? In light of this, why is it important for each person to have a personal blood covenant with Jesus?
3. How did the conversation degenerate? (24) What did Jesus teach about true greatness (25–27) How did he view them, what did he promise, and why? (28–30) What did he tell Peter? (31–32) Why did he call him Simon? How did he respond? What did Jesus say? (33–34) What new direction did Jesus give, and why? (35–37) Did they understand? (38)