



### **EXERCISE:**

**Read the four Bible texts and answer the three related questions.**

*Luke 22:16-20*

*Acts 2:43-47*

*John 6:50-56*

*1 Cor 11:23-30*

### **What are the symbols used by Jesus during communion?**

Read the four stories and write down what you learn about the symbols Jesus used at communion and what Jesus taught about the meaning of these symbols.

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### **What place do meals have in the early church?**

In Acts 2:43-47 we read about life in the early church. What significance do meals have when meeting together?

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### **What important points does Paul link to regularly celebrating communion?**

1 Cor 11:23-30. Paul tells the church once again that it is important to celebrate communion together regularly. In this passage we find other significant points which have not been mentioned before. What points are these?

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### **Jesus encourages the disciples to share meals together. Do you want to do that too?**

Read the story of the sower once more in John 6:50:56 and apply it to your own heart.

Ask yourself four questions:

Is there a word from God for me personally in this text?

Is there a promise from the Father for my life?

Does Jesus ask me to do anything?

Decide to act upon this and ask Jesus to help you with this.

