

## The Lord's Supper

1 Corinthians 11:17-34 John Crawford January 21, 2024

## What Is the Meaning of the Lord's Supper?

- The Lord's Supper is a covenant meal in which we look back and remember the new covenant God made with us by the blood of Jesus. (v. 23-25)
- The Lord's Supper is a preview meal in which we look forward to the meal we will eat with Jesus in the new creation to come. (v. 26)

## Who Should and Shouldn't Take the Lord's Supper?

- Those who belong to God's new covenant community should take the Lord's Supper.
- Those who don't belong to God's new covenant community shouldn't take the Lord's Supper.
- Those who aren't living in selflessness and unity in their relationships with others shouldn't take the Lord's Supper. (v. 17-22, 27-34)

# Where Should We Take the Lord's Supper?

In the gathered church (v. 17, 18, 20, 33, 34)

# When Should We Take the Lord's Supper?

• When we come together to worship as a church (v. 17, 18, 20, 33, 34)



# Welcome to Cross Fellowship Church!

We are grateful that you have come to worship with us today and pray you feel welcome. If you have any questions about our church, the service, the sermon, or anything else, we would love to talk to you! Stop by the Welcome Table in the lobby or talk to one of the elders. We also encourage you to complete a Visitor Information Card at the Welcome Table or online at crossfellowshipchurch.org/connect.

## **Order of Service**

Call to Worship: Psalm 145:1-10

"Come Thou Fount"

"Good and Gracious King"

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 59:11-12; Romans 5:8-9

"Jerusalem"

"I Set My Hope"

Prayer

Sermon: 1 Corinthians 11:17-34

"Jesus, Thank You"

Partaking of the Lord's Supper

**Prayer and Benediction** 

### **Announcements**

#### **Prayer Gathering**

Sunday, Feb. 4 / 4-5:30 p.m. / New Haven

Join us for our church-wide Prayer Gathering. During our time together, we'll pray for one another and our church, and hear specific testimonies of how God is at work in the lives of some of our members.

#### **Elders**

- John Crawford / john.crawford@ crossfellowshipchurch.org
- Jared Chasteen / jared.chasteen@ crossfellowshipchurch.org

#### **Discipleship Communities**

DCs gather in homes on Wednesday evenings to provide leadership, community, encouragement, and accountability as we live as disciples. For more information or to join a DC, visit crossfellowshipchurch.org/dc.

#### **Nursing Mothers**

We offer a nursing mothers' room in the back left (as you face the stage) of the sanctuary.

#### **Children's Discipleship**

To walk alongside parents in teaching children about the good news of Jesus, we offer the following classes.

#### Sundays at 9 a.m.

- K-3rd grade: rm. 2024th-6th grade: rm. 206
- Sundays during the Worship Gathering
  - Infants (ages 6-12 mo.)
  - Toddlers (ages 1-2): rm. 206
  - Pre-K (ages 3-4): rm. 202

#### Sundays at 6 p.m.

• Youth group: 7th-12th grade

#### Offering

Thank you for your generosity!
There are a few ways you can give:

- In the offering box on Sundays
- Through the Church Center app (iPhone/Android)
- Online at crossfellowship church.org/give (scan the QR code)

\*Please refrain from eating and drinking in the sanctuary. Thank you!

