

The Lord's supper is one of the really special parts of our gathering as a church every Sunday. You watched Christians observe the Lord's supper this morning. But what **IS** it? What's happening? And why? Let's talk about that! **The Lord's supper is:** 

 Very \_\_\_\_\_ - listen to what Luke tells us about the first Christians: And they devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. (Acts 2:42)

A \_\_\_\_\_\_ - it was set up by Jesus just before he died:

"This is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me." (Luke 22:19-20)

What's the memory verse we've been working on all month? ...and thus let us offer to God acceptable worship, with reverence and awe... (Heb 12:28)



• "To the \_\_\_\_\_" - that's why it's called "the Lord's supper" (I Cor II:20).

So what are Christians DOING during the Lord's supper?

- They are \_\_\_\_\_\_ this is a way to connect with Jesus every Sunday: The cup of blessing that we bless, is it not a participation in the blood of Christ? (I Cor IO:IG)
- They are \_\_\_\_\_\_ just like Jesus told all of his followers:
  "Do this in remembrance of me." (I Cor II:24)
- They are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ themselves the Lord's supper reminds us to look inside:

Let a person examine himself, then, and so eat of the bread and drink the cup. (I Cor II:28)

Week by week, disciples of Jesus have observed this memorial for CENTURIES, because:

For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, **you proclaim** the Lord's death **until he comes**. (| Cor II:26)

## **FOUNDATION STONES**

This month, we're working on:

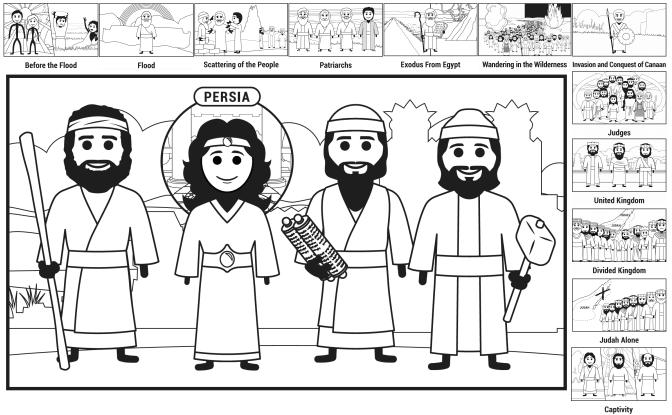
#### **TIMELINE** Building Blocks:

The first 13 periods of the Creation to Revelation timeline

(this will get us through the entire Old Testament by the end of the month)

- **BIBLE** Building Blocks: our Old & New Testament books of the Bible; turning to books of the Bible without looking at the Table of Contents
- KEY WORD Building Blocks: altar, tabernacle, temple, synagogue, church, Amen

#### **TIMELINE** Building Blocks: Creation to Revelation (Period 1-13)



# **Return From Captivity**

### TIMELINE Building Blocks

Do you know your first 13 periods of the Creation to Revelation timeline? If you do, that's the ENTIRE Old Testament! Can you list all 13 in order? Next month, we'll start adding the New Testament periods and finish the ENTIRE timeline!

