



**Week #4 (October 4, 2020) - "The Power of a Meal" Luke 22:14-21**

1. What is the best meal you have ever eaten? Who did you eat it with? Was it the environment you ate in, the people you ate it with, or just the flavor of the food that made it a great meal?
2. Do you have any memories about a specific communion you have taken that held special significance?
3. Why do you think we as a church partake in Communion once a month?
4. Read John 13:1-20. Jesus washes the feet of the disciples before they eat the meal together. How does this scene inform how you might prepare for your guests? How you might serve them?
5. How often did you host people at your house for a meal Pre-COVID? How about during COVID? When the time is right, do you think you will have people over to your house for a meal again?
6. If you began to see your dining room table (or wherever you eat with people when they visit your house) as a Communion table, how do you think you would approach the meal differently? Or would you approach it the same you have in the past?
7. Have you tried hosting people for a meal via Zoom? How did it go?
8. Do you pray before you eat a meal? Why or why not (this is not intended to shame anyone). Are you more or less likely to pray before a meal when you have guests over? Why or why not?
9. Do you ever pray before you have people come over? Do you pray for your own heart and mind to be fixed on Jesus as you take in a meal with some neighbors? Do you view the meal as a spiritual experience? If eating and the fellowship around a table was the only experience of God that a visitor might ever get a glimpse of, how might your preparation and experience of the shared meal be different? How would it shape conversation topics?