

Small Group Leaders' Guide | Sermon Questions, January 26, 2014

My Church: *Built to Love Each Other* (1 Corinthians 11:17-34)

Please read 1 Corinthians 11:17-34¹

1. What caused Paul to decide to write to the Corinthians about the Lord's Supper?
2. What does verse 21 tell us about their attitudes in taking it?
3. Who instituted Lord's Supper? Why? (see verses 23-26) What emotions or thoughts do you typically have while participating in the Lord's Supper?
4. How do we avoid experiencing the judgment of God? (see verse 31)
5. Do you think God has a right to judge His creation? How you feel about discussing God's judgment?
6. What is the purpose of discipline/judgment? (see verse 32)
7. What advice does Paul give to the Corinthian church so that they wouldn't use the Lord's supper as merely a place to fill their appetites and thirst? (see verses 33-34)
8. What can you do to help foster unity in the communities in which you are involved?

¹ Many of these questions were taken or modified from questions on website
<http://www.calligraphyforgod.com/biblestudy/1corinthians-11-17-34.html>