# A&P Home Church | Weekly Study - Kids I 1 Corinthians Chapters 11-12

## Weekly Memory Verse:

For every time you eat this bread and drink this cup you are announcing the Lord's death **until He comes again**.

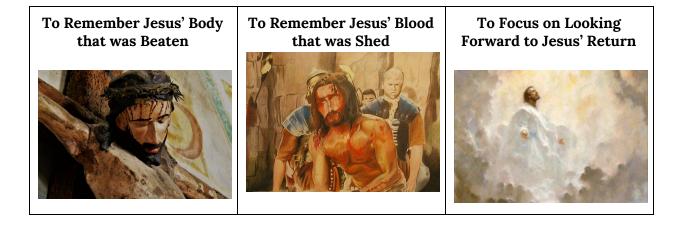
1 Corinthians 11:26

Answer the questions about the passages of scripture from our Sunday Bible Service:

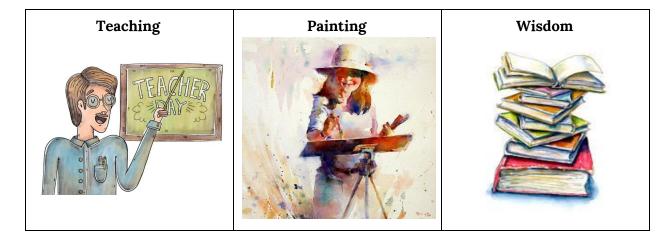
#### What did Paul talk about first?



### Why do we take communion?



## What types of gifts can God give us so we can better serve others?



Draw pictures of what you understand as we go through Sunday's Bible Service as a family:

## **MONDAY**

In 1 Corinthians 11, Paul tackles two issues that needed correction in the Corinthian church: head coverings for women and how to observe the Lord's Supper together.

The women would cover their heads with a head covering as a way to show that they were married women. What are ways wives and husbands today show that they are married?

Draw some pictures below:

## **TUESDAY**

In Chapter 11 we see the order of how we all are to submit and obey- the order of our families and the church. Match the items below in the correct order:

First	Children
Second	God
Third	Women
Fourth	Men

## **WEDNESDAY**

The second issue Paul addresses is the Corinthian practice of communion. Do you know what communion is? Have you ever had communion before?

Communion, or the Lord's Supper, is when we partake in bread and wine (or sometimes grape juice) as a way to remember what Jesus did and what he told the apostles before he died.

Go to Matthew 26:26-29 and read that together.

This was done after the Passover meal- but we can now do this after our meals and gatherings when we come together to truly remember just what Jesus did for us— and that He is returning soon!



Jesus hosted a Passover meal for His disciples before He died. He told them that His body would be broken and His blood would be shed for them. Luke 22:14-23

### **THURSDAY**

In 1 Corinthians 12, Paul describes how and why God gives spiritual gifts to Christians.

This simple illustration will demonstrate how we all work together for the common goal of serving God. We may approach tasks in different ways and each of us is unique, but we are all God's people and our aim is to help others know Him while we worship as well.

Wear a pair of mismatched gloves, socks, or shoes...just so it is prominently visible and clearly different. Explain that in the early morning darkness and rush of getting prepared, you didn't manage to grab items that were exactly the same. Do the gloves/socks match? No! They are different. However, both of them will keep the hands (or feet) warm. They will still accomplish the purpose for which they were made. They do not look the same. They might even feel slightly different. But they will still protect the body so it can function well.

Explain that as people, and as members of the church, we are like that, too. Paul writes in the book of 1 Corinthians about the church as compared to a body...there are different parts, but all work for the same thing:

Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it. And God has placed in the church first of all apostles, second prophets, third teachers, then miracles, then gifts of healing, of helping, of guidance, and of different kinds of tongues. 29 Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all work miracles? Do all have gifts of healing? Do all speak in tongues? Do all interpret? Now eagerly desire the greater gifts. (1 Corinthians 12:27-31)

Some people might not seem to "match" others...some are older, some are youngers. Some look different. Some approach problems or tasks in unique ways. But each and every person is created by God and we can all serve the same purpose...just like the funny gloves!

### **FRIDAY**

What are some gifts that God has gifted YOU with? You can never be too young- God will send his Holy Spirit to all his children! Look at the quiz on the next page and see what areas you might be gifted with. We can all look to serve the Lord every day with the way we live, act, talk and serve all of those God puts in our path (starting at home with our family)!



But now let me show you a way of life that is best of all...

1 Corinthians 12:31b