

Supt. What memorial feast did he establish when they had eaten of the feast of the passover?

School. "The Lord's Supper."

Supt. How did he establish it?

School. "And as they did eat, Jesus took bread, and blessed and brake it, and gave to them, and said, Take, eat: this is my body. And he took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them; and they all drank of it. And he said unto them, This is my blood of the new testament, which is shed for many."

Supt. What was his command to his disciples and to us concerning this feast?

School. "This do in remembrance of me." (Golden Text.)

Supt. How long are we to keep this memorial feast?

School. Until Christ comes again.

Supt. What do we remember when we partake of the Lord's Supper?

School. Christ's love, and all that his love has done for us.

All. "As often as ye eat this bread and drink this cup, ye proclaim the Lord's death till he come."

LESSON VIII.

Jesus Betrayed.

Supt. Who betrayed Jesus?

School. Judas Iscariot, one of the twelve disciples.

Supt. How did he arrange with the chief priests to betray him into their hands?

School. "Whomsoever I shall kiss, that is he; take him and lead him away safely."

Supt. Where was Jesus betrayed?

School. In the garden of Gethsemane.

Supt. What did Jesus say to Judas when he came to him in the garden?

School. "Betrayest thou the Son of man with a kiss?" (Golden Text.)

All. "Yea, mine own familiar friend in whom I trusted, which did eat of my bread, hath lifted up his heel against me."

LESSON IX.

Jesus before the Council.

Supt. Before whom was Jesus taken to be tried?

School. Before Caiaphas and the Jewish Sanhedrin.

Supt. What did the Jews try to do?

School. To find witnesses to accuse him of crime.

Supt. Whom did they finally secure?

School. False witnesses who disagreed in their testimony.

Supt. What did Caiaphas ask Jesus?

School. "Art thou the Christ, the Son of the Blessed?"

Teachers. "Jesus said, I am; and ye shall see the Son of man sitting on the right hand of power, and coming in the clouds of heaven."

Supt. How did the council and the high-priest regard this declaration?

School. As blasphemous.

Teachers. "And they all condemned him to be guilty of death."

All. "They hated me without a cause." (Golden Text.)

LESSON X.

Jesus Before Pilate.

Supt. What did the high-priest and the council do with Jesus when they had tried him?

Boys. They bound him, and brought him before Pilate, the Roman governor.

Supt. Why did they do this?

Girls. Because Pilate alone had the power to condemn him to death.

Supt. Why did Pilate try to release Jesus?

Boys. He believed that he was innocent of the crimes laid to his charge.

Supt. Why did he not release him?

Girls. Because he was a coward, and afraid of the people whom the Jews stirred up against Jesus.

Supt. How did he finally reply to their demand for his life?

School. "Take ye him, and crucify him." (Golden Text.)

Supt. What cruel indignities were heaped upon him before he was crucified?

School. The soldiers scourged him with whips, and the people mocked him, and struck him with their hands.

Supt. "He was despised and rejected of men."

Teachers. "His visage was so marred more than any man, and his form more than the sons of men."

All. "He was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities. The chastisement of our peace was upon him, and with his stripes we are healed."

LESSON XI.

Jesus Crucified.

Supt. What is the Golden Text of this lesson?

School. "He humbled himself, and became obedient unto death, even the death of the cross."

Supt. Where was Jesus crucified?

School. On a hill, called Calvary.

Supt. Who were crucified with him?

School. Two thieves, one on either side.

Supt. What miracle occurred while he hung upon the cross?

School. A great darkness came over the whole land.

Supt. Who mocked him and taunted him and laughed at him?

School. The chief priests and the people.

Supt. Why did Jesus suffer all these things?

School. That he might save us from sin and death.

Supt. "Who, for the joy that was set before him, endured the cross, despising shame, and hath sat down at the right hand of the throne of God."

Teachers. "Have this mind in you, which was also in Christ Jesus."

All. "He laid down his life for us; and we ought to lay down our lives for the brethren."

LESSON XII.

Jesus Risen.

Supt. When did Jesus rise from the dead?

School. On the third day.

Supt. Who came from heaven to roll back the stone from the tomb?

School. An angel of the Lord.

Supt. What did the angel tell the women who came to anoint the body of Jesus?

School. "He is risen; he is not here. Go....tell his disciples and Peter that he goeth before you into Galilee: there shall ye see him, as he said unto you."

Supt. What is the great teaching of the resurrection?

School. That through Christ we shall rise from the grave.

Supt. "Now is Christ risen from the dead and become the first-fruits of them that slept."

Teachers. "Death is swallowed up in victory. O death, where is thy victory? O death, where is thy sting?"

All. "Thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ."

HYMN. (No. 60. Epworth Hymnal)

"Morning Red."