

*Private Instructions
to Apostles during
Passover*

John 13-17

- Chapter 13 – Instruction
 - Washes their feet
 - Humility, the Betrayer, Peter’s Denial
- Chapter 14 – Consolation
 - Preparing a place for them, sending a Helper
- Chapter 15 – Exhortation
 - Abide in the Vine, love one another, endure hostility of the world
- Chapter 16 – Encouragement – Holy Spirit, Sorrow to Joy
- Chapter 17 – Jesus’ Prayer for Himself, Apostles, Us
 - Glory for God, Intercession for the Apostles
 - For us – unity, see His glory, love one another

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and that believing you may have life in His name.”*

*Jesus Prayer – That
God May Be
Glorified*

John 17:1-5

- Glorify Your Son
 - Jesus' glory comes from the cross
 - John 12:23-24
 - Philippians 2:5-10
 - Raised to glory as before the world (John 1:1-4)
 - From what does God's glory come?
 - God giving Jesus authority over all flesh (mankind)
 - Jesus giving them eternal life
 - 4:14; 5:21,26; 6:33-35, 54; 10:10; 11:25; 14:6
 - His death was a sacrifice to God (Hebrews 9:26)
 - He was doing the will of God (cf Hebrews 10:9,10)

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- The Definition of Eternal Life
 - Knowing God, the only true God
 - Knowing Jesus
 - Jeremiah 9:23-24
 - What does it mean to know God?
 - I John 2:3-4

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Jesus Prayer – For the Apostles

John 17:6-19

- The apostles possess the words of God Himself
 - Jesus manifested God to them (14:8-10)
 - Apostles understood everything Jesus gave them came from God Himself, including His words
 - The Spirit would guide them (John 14, 16)
 - I Cor. 2:11-13; Eph. 3:3-5; 2 Pet. 1:20-21

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- Jesus' Three Requests for the Apostles
 - Keep them (11, 14)
 - I am leaving
 - The world is going to hate them (John 15)
 - That they may be one, even as We are (11)
 - Critical to their mission
 - Luke 22:24
 - Sanctify them in truth (17)
 - They will possess the very words of God

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Jesus Prayer – For Us

John 17:20-26

- Jesus' Three Requests for the Believers
 - That they may all be one (21-23)
 - In the same way Jesus and the Father are
 - Purpose: That the world may believe
 - How do we define one-ness/unity?
 - How are Jesus and the Father one?
 - What does this mean for us?
 - How do we accomplish this?
 - I John 1:1-7

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John 17:20-26

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit
and born of the virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to hell.

The third day he rose again from the dead.

He ascended to heaven

and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty.

From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

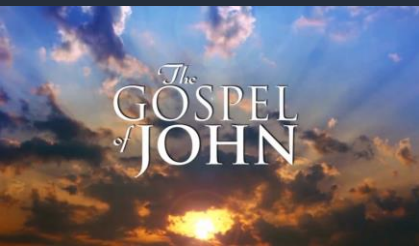
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

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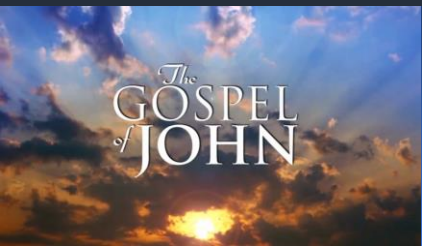
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- Jesus' Three Requests for the Believers
 - That they may be with Me and see My glory (24)
 - Ephesians 1:18-23
 - That love that God has for Jesus will be in them



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