

SERMON NOTES

1 Corinthians 11

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The Rest of the Story: Holy Communion

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I. The Good Old Days (when were they?)

II. The Scandal of Communion in Corinth

When you meet together, you are not really interested in the Lord's Supper. ²¹ For some of you hurry to eat your own meal without sharing with others. As a result, some go hungry while others get drunk.

A. The issues

B. The divisiveness of Communion

C. The Words of Institution

III. An Unworthy Manner

Whoever, therefore, eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be answerable for the body and blood of the Lord. . . For if you eat the bread or drink the cup without honoring the body of Christ, you are eating and drinking God's judgment upon yourself.

A. What is a worthy/unworthy manner?

1. Reverence

2. Meal of the baptized

3. Understanding

4. Believing heart

B. The Syrophenician woman

IV. Who is Worthy?