

Washing Feet

Jesus knew that the time had come for him to leave this world. He wanted to share his last Passover meal together with his 12 closest friends, the disciples. Jesus loved his friends and wanted to show them his love in a very caring way.

As the friends got ready for the meal, Jesus put water in a large bowl and knelt down on the floor. He wanted to wash the feet of each disciple. When it was Peter's turn, Peter said to Jesus, "You will never wash my feet!"

Jesus replied, "Peter, you don't understand what I am doing now, but you will later."

Peter loved Jesus so much that he said, "Then don't just wash my feet but my head and hands also!" Peter wanted to be as close to Jesus as possible.



The Last Supper

As they were eating, Jesus sadly told his disciples, "Soon, one of you will betray me. One of you will tell people who don't like me where I am so they can take me away."

This upset the disciples, and each one said, "It's not me you're talking about, is it?"

When Judas said this, Jesus gently replied, "Yes, Judas, you will betray me."

Then Jesus picked up a loaf of bread. He blessed it and gave some to each of his friends, saying, "Take this bread and eat it. This is my body." Then Jesus picked up a cup of wine. He gave thanks and said, "Drink this. It is my blood which I must give up so the sins of people may be forgiven."

