



## Statesboro Primitive Baptist Church

April 8 · 🌐



WE INVITE YOU TO JOIN US LIVE TOMORROW THURSDAY, APRIL 9th @ 6:30 pm for OUR COMMUNION SERVICE.

See the letter below from Bro Randy and the attached recipe for unleavened bread.

Dear Church Family,

I hope everyone is well and realizing how great our Lord is during these uncertain times. I really miss seeing each one of you in worship, yet there is a peace in my heart about it all when I remember that you are children of God and that nothing can separate you from His almighty love.

Thursday is Maundy Thursday, which is the time the Christian church and SPBC observes a commemoration of the Last Supper. This is a most spiritual and special service because it reminds us that the Lord Jesus Christ died for our sins, is alive and with us presently, and will continue to control and provide for the future. Since we will not be meeting in the sanctuary to observe the Lord's Supper, I want to encourage each of you to participate in the service right in your homes.

I plan to live-stream the service from the church sanctuary beginning at 6:30 pm Thursday, April 9th. This will be a good time for husbands and fathers to lead their family in scripture reading and administering the sacramental elements which represent Christ. If there is not a man in the house, or if you live alone, then take the leading servant role as a sister in the Lord or self-recipient under the biblical precept of the priesthood of all believers. If you are live-streaming the service from your homes, you can follow along with me and partake of the table that you have prepared in your homes. If you are not streaming and want to have the service in your home, you can set the time which best suits you and your family.

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As you know the two elements used in scripture are unleavened bread and wine. While unleavened bread is necessary because leaven represents sin, grape juice can be used instead of wine for this service. No matter what is in the cup (grape juice or wine) what matters most is what it represents – Jesus' shed blood. Even though we don't maintain the historical accuracy, it doesn't make the practice of communion any less valuable. As far as the bread is concerned, most importantly, we take it to remember that Jesus, the Son of God who was sinless, died on the cross for our sins to pay our sin debt we could not pay. I am including a recipe for unleavened bread for your information but you may prefer your own.

We have the opportunity this Holy Week to increase our faith and deepen our personal relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ as never before in our church lifetime. May the Lord be with us wherever we celebrate His sacrifice. As he invites us to His Table, we should come with a humble mood, a repentant mode, and a believing heart.

Bound in Christian Love, Brother Randy

Scripture References for the Communion Service: Luke 22:19-20

Matthew 26: 26-29

I Corinthians 11:24-26

Recipe for Unleavened Bread:

Prayer

1 c. All-purpose Flour (Can adjust to make smaller batch) Water (for desired consistency)

Combine flour and water in mixing bowl to form dough. Roll the dough until very thin on parchment paper. Cover aluminum pan liberally with flour. Place dough in pan for cooking. Score dough. Slowly cook on 250 degrees until desired doneness. Turn bread over at least once during cooking.

# Communion

Remembering His sacrifice.



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