

## The Lord's Supper Celebration Scripture Readings Las Escrituras para la Celebración de la Santa Cena

### Introduction

“**John 6:53** So Jesus said to them, ‘Truly, truly, I say to you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. <sup>54</sup> Whoever feeds on my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise him up on the last day. <sup>55</sup> For my flesh is true food, and my blood is true drink. <sup>56</sup> Whoever feeds on my flesh and drinks my blood abides in me, and I in him. <sup>57</sup> As the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever feeds on me, he also will live because of me. <sup>58</sup> This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like the bread the fathers ate, and died. Whoever feeds on this bread will live forever’” (John 6:53–58 ESV).

“**Juan 6:53** Jesús les dijo: ‘De cierto, de cierto os digo: Si no coméis la carne del Hijo del Hombre, y bebéis su sangre, no tenéis vida en vosotros. <sup>54</sup> El que come mi carne y bebe mi sangre, tiene vida eterna; y yo le resucitaré en el día postrero. <sup>55</sup> Porque mi carne es verdadera comida, y mi sangre es verdadera bebida. <sup>56</sup> El que come mi carne y bebe mi sangre, en mí permanece, y yo en él. <sup>57</sup> Como me envió el Padre viviente, y yo vivo por el Padre, asimismo el que me come, él también vivirá por mí. <sup>58</sup> Este es el pan que descendió del cielo; no como vuestros padres comieron el maná, y murieron; el que come de este pan, vivirá eternamente’” (Juan 6:53–58 RVR1960).

### Unleavened Bread

“**1 Cor 11:23** For I received from the Lord what I also delivered to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took bread, <sup>24</sup> and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and said, ‘This is my body, which is for you. Do this in remembrance of me’” (1 Cor 11:23–24 ESV).

“**1 Cor 11:23** Porque yo recibí del Señor lo que también os he enseñado: Que el Señor Jesús, la noche que fue entregado, tomó pan; <sup>24</sup> y habiendo dado gracias, lo partió, y dijo: ‘Tomad, comed; esto es mi cuerpo que por vosotros es partido; haced esto en memoria de mí’” (1 Cor 11:23–24 RVR1960).

## Unfermented Wine

“1 Cor 11:25 In the same way also he took the cup, after supper, saying,”  
“Matt 26:27 ‘Drink of it, all of you, <sup>28</sup> for this is my blood of the [new] covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins. <sup>29</sup> I tell you I will not drink again of this fruit of the vine until that day when I drink it new with you in my Father’s kingdom.’” “1 Cor 11:25 ‘Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me’” (1 Cor 11:25 ESV; Matt 26:27–29 ESV).

“1 Cor 11:25 Asimismo tomó también la copa, después de haber cenado, diciendo:” “Matt 26:27 ‘Bebed de ella todos; <sup>28</sup> porque esto es mi sangre del nuevo pacto, que por muchos es derramada para remisión de los pecados. <sup>29</sup> Y os digo que desde ahora no beberé más de este fruto de la vid, hasta aquel día en que lo beba nuevo con vosotros en el reino de mi Padre.’” “1 Cor 11:25 ... ‘haced esto todas las veces que la bebiereis, en memoria de mí’” (1 Cor 11:25; Matt 26:27–29 RVR1960).

## Conclusion

“1 Cor 11:26 For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord’s death until he comes” (1 Cor 11:26 ESV).

“1 Cor 11:26 Así, pues, todas las veces que comiereis este pan, y bebiereis esta copa, la muerte del Señor anunciáis hasta que él venga” (1 Cor 11:26 RVR1960).

“Matt 26:30 And when they had sung a hymn, they went out to the Mount of Olives” (Matt 26:30 ESV)

“Matt 26:30 Y cuando hubieron cantado el himno, salieron al monte de los Olivos” (Matt 26:30 RVR1960).

## Optional Scripture Readings

Responsive Reading #773 from the *Seventh-day Adventist Hymnal*

### **Unleavened Bread**

“Then Jesus said to them, ‘Most assuredly, I say to you, Moses did not give you the bread from heaven, but My Father gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is He who comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.’... And Jesus said to them, ‘I am the bread of life. He who comes to Me shall never hunger, and he who believes in Me shall never thirst. ... All that the Father gives Me will come to Me, and the one who comes to Me I will by no means cast out. For I have come down from heaven, not to do My own will, but the will of Him who sent Me. This is the will of the Father who sent Me, that of all He has given Me I should lose nothing, but should raise it up at the last day. And this is the will of Him who sent Me, that everyone who sees the Son and believes in Him may have everlasting life; and I will raise him up at the last day.’ ... ‘Most assuredly, I say to you, he who believes in Me has everlasting life. I am the bread of life. Your fathers ate the manna in the wilderness, and are dead. This is the bread which comes down from heaven, that one may eat of it and not die. I am the living bread which came down from heaven. If anyone eats of this bread, he will live forever; and the bread that I shall give is My flesh, which I shall give for the life of the world.’ ... ‘This is the bread which came down from heaven—not as your fathers ate the manna, and are dead. He who eats this bread will live forever’” (John 6:32–33, 35, 37–40, 47–51, 58, NKJV).

### **The Unfermented Wine**

“Then Jesus said to them, “Most assuredly, I say to you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink His blood, you have no life in you. Whoever eats My flesh and drinks My blood has eternal life, and I will raise him up at the last day.” “And according to the law almost all things are purified with blood, and without shedding of blood there is no remission.” “Therefore Jesus also, that He might sanctify the people with His own blood, suffered outside the gate.” “But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of

Christ.” Now, “[t]herefore, brethren, having boldness to enter the Holiest by the blood of Jesus,” “...we walk in the light as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanses us from all sin” (John 6:53, 54; Heb 9:22, 13:12; Eph 2:13; Heb 10:19; 1 John 1:7).