# Sunday Sermon Questions • 11/16/2025

## Mark 14:12-26

### **Trusting the All-Knowing Jesus**

The disciples followed Jesus' specific instructions without hesitation in regards to making preparations for the Passover meal. Trusting His knowledge even when they didn't understand. What does this passage reveal about Jesus' sovereignty? How does it challenge you personally to trust Him in areas where you feel uncertain or confused?

#### The Hidden Work of God

Jesus arranged the Passover meal in a way that protected His mission from Judas' interference. How have you seen God work behind the scenes in your life—guiding, protecting, or positioning you even when you didn't realize it in the moment?

### When Jesus Redefines Your Expectations

Jesus completely redefined the Passover meal—something sacred, ancient, and deeply rooted in Jewish identity. Share about a time when Jesus redefined something in your life—an expectation, a tradition, or a belief. How did that feel, and what did it produce in your walk with Him?

#### **Matters of the Heart Over Behavior**

The sermon emphasized that true transformation begins with the heart, not with external behavior modification. Why do you think we often focus more on outward changes than inward surrender? What practices help you allow God to work on your heart rather than just your habits

## Remembering and Giving Thanks

Jesus commanded His followers to remember Him through the bread and the cup. What aspect of Jesus' sacrifice is most significant or personal to you right now? As you reflect on entering a new season (such as Advent), what are you specifically thankful for?

# **Prayer Prompt:**

Father, we come before You with grateful hearts, remembering the sacrifice of Your Son. Thank You for sending Jesus—the spotless, sinless Lamb—who gave His body and shed His blood so that we could be forgiven, set free, and brought into a new covenant of grace. Lord, as we pause, reflect, and examine our hearts, reveal anything within us that needs to be surrendered to You. Capture our hearts again, renew our love for You, and align our lives with Your will. As we enter this season, keep us mindful of Your faithfulness and the hope we have because of Jesus. We give You thanks, we give You our worship, and we give You our hearts. In Jesus' name, Amen