



## A NEW COVENANT WITH GOD

TEXT: 1 CORINTHIANS 11:23-27

**<sup>23</sup> For I received from the Lord what I also passed on to you: The Lord Jesus, on the night 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." <sup>25</sup> In the same way, after supper he took the cup, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood; do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me." <sup>26</sup> For whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.**

**<sup>27</sup> Therefore, whoever eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of sinning against the body and blood of the Lord.**

Contracts are important because...

Key elements of a good contract:

- 1) It has to have \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) It must be \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) It must be \_\_\_\_\_

In essence, God set up a contract or \_\_\_\_\_

The problem with the Old Testament covenant was that the Israelites couldn't...



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How do you sometimes view your relationship with God like a contract?

The problem with his kind of contractual relationship with God is...

God graciously...

**<sup>31</sup> "The time is coming," declares the LORD, "when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and with the house of Judah... "For I will forgive their wickedness and will remember their sins no more." (Jeremiah 31:31,34) (NIV84)**

The value in this covenant is seen...

This new covenant was written out...

The covenant was completed...

Our part of the covenant is...

**God establishes a new covenant, through Christ's body and blood shed on the cross and given in Holy Communion, to give you the forgiveness of sins and a new relationship with God!**