

The Final Days of Jesus' Earthly Ministry

Your task: This activity will help you understand some significant events during Jesus' final days on earth. You will use the synoptic gospels to find the answers to the following questions.

- What did Jesus predict? (Matt. 26: 1-2)
- As Passover neared, what were the chief priests and the scribes looking to do? (Luke 22: 1-2)
- A) When Jesus broke the bread during Passover, what did the bread symbolize? (Luke 22: 19)

B) What did the cup of wine symbolize? (Luke 22: 20)
- Which disciple agreed to help hand Jesus over to the authorities? (Mark 14: 10-11)
- What question did the chief priests give Jesus and how did Jesus respond? (Mark 14: 61-62)
- What did Peter deny? (Mark 14: 66-71)
- What title did Pilate's soldiers give Jesus? (Matt. 27: 37)
- Did Pilate or Herod find Jesus guilty of any of the crimes that he was accused of? (Luke 23: 13-15)
- Why did Pilate condemn Jesus to death? (Luke 23: 23-24)
- Who agreed to take responsibility for Jesus' death? (Matt. 27: 24-26)
- Who was compelled to carry Jesus' cross? (Matt. 27: 32)
- After being placed on the cross, what did Jesus say? (Mark 15: 34)
- What were some of the things that people said to Jesus while he suffered on the cross? (Matt. 27: 39-43)

- What did the notice of the accusation against Jesus say? (Mark 15: 26)
- What happened after Jesus breathed his last breath? (Matt. 27: 51-53)
- Who was given Jesus' body? (Matt. 27: 57-58)
- Why was Jesus' tomb carefully guarded? (Matt. 27: 62-65)