



MEETING STARTER

A MEAL WE WANT EVERYONE TO ENJOY

Matthew 26:26-29

²⁶ While they were eating, Jesus took bread, gave thanks and broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take and eat; this is my body."

²⁷Then he took the cup, gave thanks and offered it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you. ²⁸ This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins.

Summer is the time for cookouts. What is the best cookout you have ever attended? What made it so special? Share.

When Jesus instituted the Lord's Supper, he told us what makes it so special even though the elements involved are so simple. Identify what makes this such a special meal.

Think of the unchurched people you know. In what sense are they starving without this meal?

Share ways you might use the realities of the Lord's Supper in your evangelism efforts.

Identify an unchurched person you will invite to attend worship with you the Sunday your congregation begins its full Fall schedule or holds a special Sunday service. Write the name down and place it in a prominent place. Begin praying for God's blessing on your invitation. Proffer the invitation at an appropriate time in the coming weeks.

Share your most recent evangelism experience.