

COMMUNION

Scripture List*

Jesus said to them, "Very truly I tell 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 them up at the last day. For my flesh is real food and my blood is real drink. Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me, and I in them. Just as the living Father sent me and I live because of the Father, so the one who feeds on me will live because of me. – John 6:53-57

THE BODY OF CHRIST

We have been made holy through the sacrifice of the body of Jesus Christ once for all. Hebrews 10:10

But now he has reconciled you by Christ's physical body through death to present you holy in his sight, without blemish and free from accusation. – Colossians 1:2

"He himself bore our sins" in his body on the cross, so that we might die to sins and live for righteousness; "by his wounds you have been healed." – 1 Peter 2:24

THE BLOOD OF JESUS

In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, in accordance with the riches of God's grace. – Ephesians 1:7

Since we have now been justified by his blood, how much more shall we be saved from God's wrath through him! – Romans 5:9

Therefore, brothers and sisters, since we have confidence to enter the Most Holy Place by the blood of Jesus. – Hebrews 10:19

And so Jesus also suffered outside the city gate to make the people holy through his own blood. – Hebrews 13:12

How much more, then, will the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered himself unblemished to God, cleanse our consciences from acts that lead to death, so that we may serve the living God! – Hebrews 9:14

But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus, his Son, purifies us from all sin. – 1 John 1:7

And they sang a new song, saying: "You are worthy to take the scroll and to open its seals, because you were slain, and with your blood you purchased for God persons from every tribe and language and people and nation. – Revelation 5:9

They triumphed over him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony; they did not love their lives so much as to shrink from death. – Revelation 12:11

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