

Encouragement to Peter
Simon, Simon

Change - it be a-comin'

Jesus in prayer on the Mount of Olives.

Small Group Questions:

Why do you think the religious leaders wanted so badly to get rid of Jesus?

Part of the reality of NT times was demonic possession. Have you ever encountered what you believe to be a modern day case of possession?

Did participation in Communion on Sunday serve to remind you of Jesus' sacrifice?

In what ways do you, like Simon Peter, try to live the Christian life in your own strength?

Does Jesus' command to buy a sword imply a radical militancy we must embrace?

Where do you find that you struggle the most to say, "Not my will, but yours be done?"

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Jesus' Final Evening with his Disciples

Luke 22: 1-46

Background

Luke 21: 37

Passover

Opposition of the leaders

Judas Iscariot

One of the Twelve (Matt.10:2; Mark 3:13ff; Luke 6:12ff).

Apostolic Treasurer who was also a thief (John 12:6).

Yielded himself to Satan.

The bargain made.

The Passover/Last Supper

Preparations

The meal

The Cups

The Bread

The startling news

The startling response

The Ethics of the Kingdom

Greatest should be like the youngest.

The leader should be like the servant.

Jesus' demonstration (John 13:2-17)