RESPONSIVE READING - The Lord's Supper 1 Corinthians 11:23-34

Leader: For I have received of the Lord that which also I delivered unto you, that the Lord Jesus the same night in which he was betrayed took bread:

Congregation: And when he had given thanks, he brake it, and said; Take, eat: this is my body, which is broken for you: this do in remembrance of me.

Leader: After the same manner also he took the cup, when he had supped, saying, this cup is the new testament in my blood: this do ye, as oft as ye drink it, in remembrance of me.

Congregation: For as often as ye eat this bread, and drink this cup, ye do shew the Lord's death till he come.

Leader: Wherefore whosoever shall eat this bread, and drink this cup of the Lord, unworthily, shall be guilty of the body and blood of the Lord.

Congregation: But let a man examine himself, and so let him eat of that bread, and drink of that cup.

Leader: For he that eateth and drinketh unworthily, eateth and drinketh damnation to himself, not discerning the Lord's body.

Congregation: For this cause many are weak and sickly among you, and many sleep.

Leader: For if we would judge ourselves, we should not be judged.

Congregation: But when we are judged, we are chastened of the Lord, that we should not be condemned with the world.

Leader: Wherefore, my brethren, when ye come together to eat, tarry one for another.

Together: And if any man hunger, let him eat at home; that ye come not together unto condemnation. And the rest will I set in order when I come.