Jesus Eats With His Friends

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Luke 22
Jesus said to his friends,
"I want to eat the Passover feast with you before I go away. Go and get it ready for us."
Look for a man carrying a water jar and follow him. He will show you where to go.”
His friends found the man and followed him.
The man went into a house.
This was the house Jesus would come to.
Jesus friends knocked at the door and waited.
“Do you have a room for Jesus?” they asked.
   “Yes, I have a room upstairs.
   Everything you will need is ready.
   I knew Jesus would come,” said the man.
He took them upstairs to a big room. They got dinner ready with baskets of flat bread and wine, made from grape juice.
Soon Jesus came with his other friends. They went up stairs to have dinner together.
Jesus took the flat bread and broke it.
They shared it. They shared the grape juice, too.
Jesus said, "Whenever you do this, remember me."
In church we call this "Communion."