

THE MEANS OF GRACE

THE NATURE OF THE SACRAMENT OF THE ALTAR

Write the endings to these sentences.

1. The Sacrament of the Altar was instituted by _____ Christ _____.
2. The Words of Institution for Holy Communion were recorded in Holy Scriptures by _____ Matthew _____, _____ Mark _____, _____ Luke _____, and _____ Paul _____.
3. Our Lord Jesus Christ instituted the Holy Supper on the same _____ night when _____
_____ He was betrayed _____.
4. The visible elements in the Lord's Supper are _____ bread _____ and _____ wine _____.
5. In the Lord's Supper, we receive the body of Christ in, with, and under the _____ bread _____.
6. At the Lord's Table, Christ's blood is given us in, with, and under the _____ wine _____.
7. *Mass* is a very ancient name for a worship service with _____ Holy Communion _____.

Read each Bible reference and write a title that summarizes what happened on the night the Sacrament was instituted.

Mark 14:12–16 Prepared Passover

John 13:21–30 Judas' betrayal predicted

Luke 22:14–22 Passover celebrated

Matthew 26:36–46 Jesus prays in Gethsemane

Luke 22:31–34 Peter's denial foretold

Matthew 26:47–56 Jesus betrayed
and arrested

John 13:1–17 Jesus washes His disciples' feet

Show that each of these statements is true by copying brief phrases from the Words of Institution to prove your point.

1. The true body of Christ is present in, under, and with the bread.
_____ He took bread . . . "Take, eat; this is My body." _____
2. The true blood of Christ is present in, under, and with the wine.
_____ He took the cup . . . "This cup is the new testament in My blood, which is shed for you." _____
3. All communicants are to take both bread and wine.
_____ "Drink of it, all of you" _____