## **Future Worship: Communion**

1 Corinthians 11:17-34 Pastor Phil Winfield December 28, 2014

## Ezekiel 43:1-5

And He said to me, "Son of man, this is the place of My throne and the place of the soles of My feet, where I will dwell in the midst of the children of Israel forever. Ezekiel 43:7

- Both the church ordinances and the ordinances of the sacrificial system share a common purpose. They were intended to <u>teach</u> and to <u>remember</u>.
- Both the covenant of law and the covenant of grace have similar goals: to lead worshipers to cast themselves on the **mercy and grace** of a loving, forgiving God (cf. Exod 34:6–7; Ps 51:1–13; Eph 2:11–16).

What is the purpose of the Lord's Supper?

- 1) IT IS A TIME OF **REMEMBRANCE** v. 24-26
  - a) Remrembe our Lord's **agony** v. 24-25
  - b) Remember our Lord's **achievement** v. 25
  - c) Remember our Lord's promised **appearing** v. 26
- 2) IT IS A TIME OF **REPENTANCE** v. 27-30
  - a) Of Our **Sins** v. 27-30
  - b) Of Our <u>Selfishness</u> (Corinth) v. 17-22
- 3) IT IS A TIME OF **RENEWAL** v. 31
  - a) Our **Vows**
  - b) Our Vision
  - c) Our **Victory**