

Sermon Outline
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The Arrest of Jesus
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Sermon Text: John 18:1-12

The Setting

[1] When Jesus had spoken these words, he went out with his disciples across the brook Kidron, where there was a garden, which he and his disciples entered. [2] Now Judas, who betrayed him, also knew the place, for Jesus often met there with his disciples.

The Arrival of Judas with Temple Police and Roman soldiers

[3] So Judas, having procured a band of soldiers and some officers from the chief priests and the Pharisees, went there with lanterns and torches and weapons. [4] Then Jesus, knowing all that would happen to him, came forward and said to them, “Whom do you seek?”

The Name

Exodus 3:13-14

John 8: 59

“Whom do you seek?” [5] They answered him, “Jesus of Nazareth.” Jesus said to them, “I am he.” Judas, who betrayed him, was standing with them. [6] When Jesus said to them, “I am he,” they drew back and fell to the ground.

[7] So he asked them again, “Whom do you seek?” And they said, “Jesus of Nazareth.” [8] Jesus answered, “I told you that I am he. So, if you seek me, let these men go.” [9] This was to fulfill the word that he had spoken: “Of those whom you gave me I have lost not one.” [10] Then Simon Peter, having a sword, drew it and struck the high priest's servant and cut off his right ear. (The servant's name was Malchus.)

The Cup Jesus is willing to Drink

[11] So Jesus said to Peter, “Put your sword into its sheath; shall I not drink the cup that the Father has given me?”

Jeremiah 25:15

Isaiah 51:17

Revelation 14:9, 10

Can You Drink That Cup?

Matthew 20:22

Come and Drink This Cup

Isaiah 51:22

Thus says your Lord, the LORD, your God who pleads the cause of his people:

“Behold, I have taken from your hand the cup of staggering:

the bowl of my wrath you shall drink no more;

1 Corinthians 10:16

[16] The cup of blessing that we bless, is it not a participation in the blood of Christ?

[12] So the band of soldiers and their captain and the officers of the Jews arrested Jesus and bound him.