John 18 and 19

Readings this week:

S John 18:1-11

M John 18:12-27

T John 18:28-40

W John 19:1-16

Th John 19:17-30

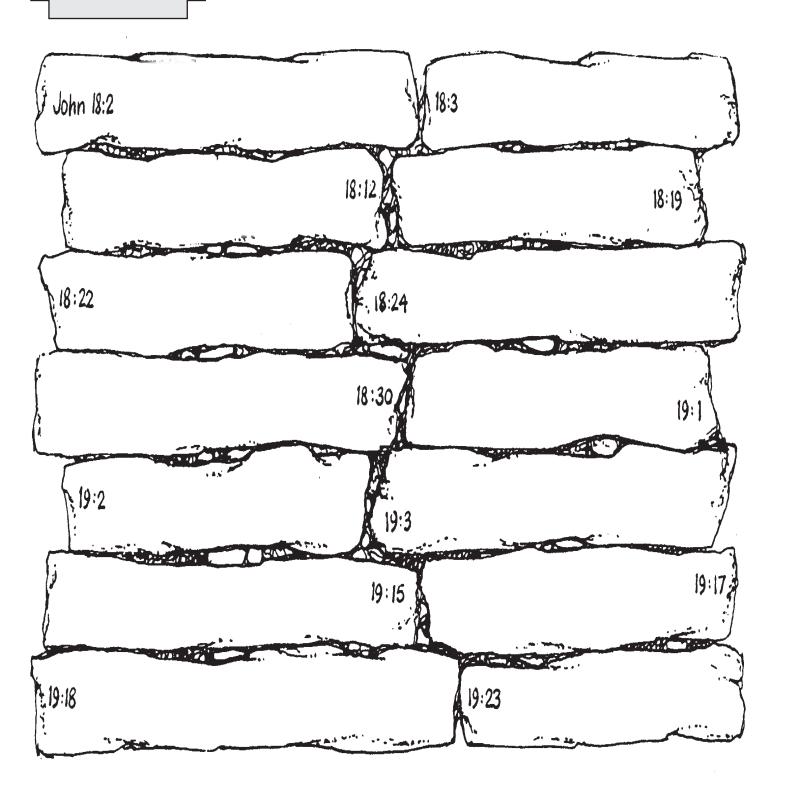
F John 19:31-42

S 1 Peter 2:18-25

Christ suffered for you, leaving you an example,, that you should follow in his steps ... When they hurled their insults at him he did not retaliate; when he suffered he made no threats. Instead he entrusted himself to him who judges justly.

1 Peter 2:21,23

Look at what happened to Jesus in less than 24 hours. Have any of these things ever happened to you? How would you react if they did?



What did Jesus die for? Look at the passages and write your ideas inside the crown of thorns.

Romans 4:25
Romans 5:6
Romans 5:8
Romans 5:10
Galatians 1:4
1 Peter 2:24
1 Peter 3:18

Look at Psalm 22 and Isaiah 52:13 - 53:12. What do these verses tell you about Jesus' death and crucifixion? Talk about your ideas together.

Jesus died for you. It's the biggest thing anyone could ever do for you, and you've never met him!

What can you do to show him how much that means to you?

Have you ever been punished for something you didn't do?

How did you feel?

What did you do?

Is your reaction the same as Jesus' when he was falsely accused?

Digging Deeper - Jesus in the Psalms

There are a lot of psalms that we call Messianic. This means they foretell things about Jesus, the Messiah.

Here are is a list of references from the Psalms which refer to what happened at Jesus crucifixion and another list which tell us when these things happen. Match the psalm with the event.

> Psalm 41:9 Matthew 27:41 Psalm 22:1 John 19:29 Psalm 22:7 John 20:25-27 Psalm 22:8 John 13:21, 26-27 Psalm 22:16 Matthew 27:43 Psalm 22:18 John 19:31-33 Psalm 69:21 Matthew 27:46 Luke 23:46 Psalm 34:20 Psalm 31:5 John 19:23-24

Thank
God for
giving his son
to die for our
sins.