

2009-10 BSP#5 Group Time Discussion

L – Low, M – Medium, and H – High, indicate the difficulty of a question. Group leaders should select questions that are challenging to their groups but not so difficult that their group members cannot answer.

(A) **“He Opened to Us the Scriptures” - Questions for scriptural reading and discussion**
(Time available: 10 minutes. Do at least 2 questions.) 祂給我們講解了聖經 為讀經及共同討論的問題(用十分鐘時間，至少討論 2 個問題)

1. [M] The Hebrew people were instructed to eat the Passover meal “with your loins girded, your sandals on your feet, and your staff in your hand; you shall eat it in haste” (12:11). Why? 希伯來人民得到吃逾越節餐的訓示，「要束着腰，腳上穿着鞋，手裏拿着棍杖，急速快吃」為什麼？
2. [M] In Exodus 12:39, we read that the Israelites were forced to flee Egypt so quickly that they were not able to prepare any provisions for the journey. What might this suggest about God’s future plans for them? 由出谷紀 12 章 39 節，我們看到以色列人必須急速逃離埃及，事前無法為這次旅程作任何預備。能否因而看出天主對他們的計劃是怎樣的？
3. [L] Read 14:19-31. How does God free the Israelites from Pharaoh and his armies? 請閱讀 14 章 19-31 節。天主是如何在法郎及他的強大軍團下釋放了以色列人？

(B) **“Did Not Our Hearts Burn?” – Discuss the question below for meditation, prayer, and application. (Suggested time: 15 minutes)** “我們的心不是火熱的嗎？“為默想，祈禱，實踐”的題目，請用十五分鐘討論以下問題。

After the Red Sea crossing, the Israelites demonstrate a great rejoicing and trust in the Lord. However, although they have learned a tremendous lesson about who God is, the challenge will be to continually take that lesson to heart. As a result, God commands His people to commemorate the Passover so that they will not forget His saving deeds. 過了紅海，以色列人表現了喜出望外及對天主的信賴。可是，即使他們因而得到深刻的，天主是誰的教訓，而將這教訓一直保存於心，仍有其挑戰性。為此天主訓示祂的人民要紀念過紅海的事，永不忘記天主施救的偉蹟。

Jesus, at the Last Supper, also commands His apostles to “do this in remembrance of me.” When you participate in the Eucharist, what do you remember about Jesus’ saving deeds? 耶穌在最後晚餐中也命令祂的宗徒“要這樣做為紀念我”。當你參與聖體奧蹟時，會記起關於耶穌的什麼，是救贖工程？。