

- *Downfield Service, with communion*

## Bread and Wine

- **Ways of remembering people:**
  - photos,
  - diaries,
  - memories of shared times together,
  - memories "told" to us (stories of the war),
  - letters,
  - things they had (jewellery, toy, furniture...),
  - grave-stones,
  - places associated with the person,
  - music associated with the person
- **Passover as a way of remembering a rescue**
  - lamb killed to remember that God took the first born... and that the lamb was killed in place of people by God's people
  - blood spattered over doorways at Passover
  - bread made without yeast, because of haste

## Remember me!

- Bread and wine as ways of remembering Jesus dying
  - and of the rescue he entailed
- Resonating with the Passover
  - context can change what we say.... if I were to say to Helen "I love you" I know she'd know I meant it!
  - but if we were to go to one of the places that was special to us as we were getting to know each other it might communicate something more!
- Jesus said "remember me" - but he said it in the context of Passover, a rescue by God!
- So when his disciples did remember later, and remembered how he'd died:
  - how his blood was spilled
  - how his body was broken
  - **then they'd associate that with rescue by God!**