## **PASSION TIMELINE**

#### STORYBOARD AND TEXT COMPLETE

# 1: Last supper Lk 22: 17-19

Then Jesus took a cup, gave thanks to God, and said, "Take this and share it among yourselves. I tell you that from now on I will not drink this wine until the Kingdom of God comes."

Then he took a piece of bread, gave thanks to God, broke it, and gave it to them, saying, "This is my body, which is given for you. Do this in memory of me."

### 2: Arrest

#### Luke 22: 41-44

Then he went off from them about the distance of a stone's throw and knelt down and prayed. "Father," he said, "if you will, take this cup of suffering away from me. Not my will, however, but your will be done." An angel from heaven appeared to him and strengthened him. In great anguish he prayed even more fervently; his sweat was like drops of blood falling to the ground.

# 3: Trial before Jewish authorities Lk 22:66- 71

"Tell us," they said, "are you the Messiah?"...

... He [Jesus] answered, "If I tell you, you will not believe me;...

...They all said, "Are you, then, the Son of God?" He answered them, "You say that I am."

At the Last Supper, Jesus broke the bread and poured the wine. He said the bread was like his body and the wine was like his blood.

Jesus went to pray. He knew he was about to suffer. The soldiers approached but Jesus did not defend himself. They took him away.

The Jewish teachers and priests asked Jesus if he was he messiah. He did not answer. They asked if he was the son of God. He did not confirm or deny.

#### 4: Trial before Pilate Lk 23: 1-5

The whole group rose up and took Jesus before Pilate, where they began to accuse him: "We caught this man misleading our people, telling them not to pay taxes to the Emperor and claiming that he himself is the Messiah, a king."

Pilate asked him, "Are you the king of the Jews?" "So you say," answered Jesus. Then Pilate said to the chief priests and the crowds, "I find no reason to condemn this man." But they insisted even more strongly, "With his teaching he is starting a riot among the people all through Judea. He began in Galilee and now has come here."

#### 5: Sentence Lk 23: 20- 23

Pilate wanted to set Jesus free, so he appealed to the crowd again. But they shouted back, "Crucify him! Crucify him!" Pilate said to them the third time, "But what crime has he committed? I cannot find anything he has done to deserve death! I will have him whipped and set him free."

But they kept on shouting at the top of their voices that Jesus should be crucified, and finally their shouting succeeded. So Pilate passed the sentence on Jesus that they were asking for.

## 6: Crucifixion Lk 23:44-46

It was about twelve o'clock when the sun stopped shining and darkness covered the whole country until three o'clock; and the curtain hanging in the Temple was torn in two. Jesus cried out in a loud voice, "Father! In your hands I place my spirit!" He said this and died.

The Jewish authorities took Jesus to the Roman governor, Pilate. Once more Jesus did not confirm or deny that he was the messiah, or the King of the Jews. Pilate did not find Jesus guilty. However the crowd screamed for hi to be executed. Eventually Pilate relented and sentenced Jesus to be crucified. Jesus was crucified at a place called 'the Skull'. A sign saying 'King of the Jews' was attached to the cross. He died after a few hours. The sky went black. As he died he called 'Father! In your hands I place my spirit!'

#### 7: Burial Lk 23: 50-53

There was a man named Joseph from Arimathea, a town in Judea. He was a good and honourable man, who was waiting for the coming of the Kingdom of God. Although he was a member of the Council, he had not agreed with their decision and action. He went into the presence of Pilate and asked for the body of Jesus. Then he took the body down, wrapped it in a linen sheet, and placed it in a tomb which had been dug out of solid rock and which had never been used.

### 8: Resurrection Lk 24: 4-7

two men in bright shining clothes stood by them. Full of fear, the women bowed down to the ground, as the men said to them, "Why are you looking among the dead for one who is alive? He is not here; he has been raised. Remember what he said to you while he was in Galilee: 'The Son of Man must be handed over to sinners, be crucified, and three days later rise to life.'"

### 9: Ascension Luke 24:50-53

Then he led them out of the city as far as Bethany, where he raised his hands and blessed them. As he was blessing them, he departed from them and was taken up into heaven. They worshiped him and went back into Jerusalem, filled with great joy, and spent all their time in the Temple giving thanks to God.

A Jewish elder called Joseph of Arimathea did not agree with Jesus' sentence. He asked Pilate for Jesus' body, had it wrapped in a sheet and placed in a new tomb dug out of rock. Mary Magdalene, Joanna and Mary mother of James went to the tomb. It was empty.

Two men in shining clothes appeared and asked why they were looking in a place of the dead for someone who is alive.

Jesus led his followers out of Jerusalem and blessed them. He was taken up to heaven.

