New City Catechism Challenge

Fall 2023 Christ Community Church Children's Program

Date	Question	Answer	
October 1st	#21 What sort of Redeemer is needed to bring us back to God?	One who is truly human and also truly God.	
October 8th	#22 Why must the Redeemer be truly human?	That in human nature he might on our behalf perfectly obey the whole law and suffer the punishment for human sin.	
October 15th	#23 Why must the Redeemer be truly God?	That because of his divine nature his obedience and suffering would be perfect and effective.	
October 22nd	#24 Why was it necessary for Christ, the Redeemer, to die?	Christ died willingly in our place to deliver us from the power and penalty of sin and bring us back to God.	
October 29th	#25 Does Christ's death mean all our sins can be forgiven?	Yes, because Christ's death on the cross fully paid the penalty for our sin, God will remember our sins no more.	
November 5th	# 26 What else does Christ's death redeem?	Every part of fallen creation.	
November 12th	#27 Are all people, just as they were lost through Adam, saved through Christ?	No, only those who are elected by God and united to Christ by faith.	
November 19th	#28 What happens after death to those not united to Christ by faith?	They will be cast out from the presence of God, into hell, to be justly punished, forever.	
November 26th	#29 How can we be saved?	Only by faith in Jesus Christ and in his substitutionary atoning death on the cross.	
December 3rd	#30 What is faith in Jesus Christ?	Receiving and resting on him alone for salvation as he is offered to us in the gospel.	

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December 10th	#31 What do we believe by true faith?	We believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.	
December 17th	#32 What do justification and sanctification mean?	Justification means our declared righteousness before God, made possible by Christ's death and resurrection for us. Sanctification means our gradual, growing righteousness.	
December 24th	#33 Should those who have faith in Christ seek their salvation through their own works, or anywhere else?	No, everything necessary to salvation is found in Christ.	
December 31st	#34 Since we are redeemed by grace alone, through Christ alone, must we still do good works and obey God's Word?	Yes, so that our lives may show love and gratitude to God; so that we may be assured of our faith by the fruits; and so that by our godly behavior others may be won to Christ.	
January 7th	#35 Since we are redeemed by grace alone, through faith alone, where does this faith come from?	From the Holy Spirit.	

Parent(s)/Guardian(s)-

Once your child has memorized and recited to you all the questions and answers in Part 2 of the New City Catechism, they can collect their PRIZE!! Come see us at the Kid's Check-in desk with your completed checklist to collect your child's prize. We hope you enjoy the prize!