

Covenant Presbyterian Church
Train Up the Child
Memory Work

First Grade

Name: _____

“ . . . but bring them up in the fear and admonition of the Lord.”

Ephesians 6:4

Dear Parents,

Training our children in the nurture and admonition of the Lord can sometimes feel like an overwhelming task. We hope our memory work program will assist you in your endeavors. This booklet includes memory work for a whole year. Selected questions from “The Children’s Catechism” provide the opportunity for discussion of doctrine and help develop a good biblical foundation. The scripture memory passages help children to “hide His word in their hearts.” Your child will be given the opportunity to recite whatever portion of the memory work he/she has completed each week. Memory work should be completed before Rally Day in August. We want to encourage you in this task. Let us know if you have any questions or if we can help in any way.

Thanks,

Scripture

“And this is his command: to believe in the name of his Son, Jesus Christ, and to love one another as he commanded us.”

1 John 3:23

“If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.”

1 John 1:9

“In reply Jesus declared, ‘I tell you the truth, no one can see the kingdom of God unless he is born again.’ ”

John 3:3

“For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him.”

John 3:17

“I tell you the truth, he who believes has everlasting life.”

John 6:47

“These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon(who is called Peter) and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; Phillip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; Simon the Zealot and Judas Iscariot, who betrayed him.”

Matthew 10:2-4

Scripture

“Blessed is the man who does not walk in the counsel of the wicked or stand in the way of sinners or sit in the seat of mockers.

But his delight is in the law of the Lord and on his law he meditates day and night.

He is like a tree planted by streams of water which yields its fruit in season and whose leaf does not wither.

Whatever he does prospers.

Not so the wicked! They are like chaff that the wind blows away.

Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgement, nor sinners in the assembly of the righteous.

For the Lord watches over the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish.”

Psalm 1

Catechism

Q. 28. What is Sin?

A. Any thought, word, or deed that breaks God's law by omission or commission.

Q. 29. What is a sin of omission?

A. Not being or doing what God requires.

Q. 30. What is a sin of commission?

A. Doing what God forbids.

Q. 31. What does every sin deserve?

A. The wrath and curse of God.

Q. 32. What was the sin of our first parents?

A. Eating the forbidden fruit.

Q. 33. Who tempted them to sin?

A. Satan tempted Eve first, and then he used her to tempt Adam.

Q. 34. How did Adam and Eve change when they sinned?

A. Instead of being holy and happy, they became sinful and miserable.

Q. 35. Did Adam act for himself alone in the covenant of life?

A. No--he represented the whole human race.

Q. 36. What did Adam's sin do to you?

A. It made me guilty and sinful.

Q. 37. How sinful are you by nature?

A. I am corrupt in every part of my being.

Q. 38. Can you go to heaven with this sinful nature?

A. No; my heart must be changed before I can be fit for heaven.

Q. 39. What is the changing of your heart called?

A. the new birth or regeneration.

Q. 40. Who is able to change your heart?

A. The Holy Spirit alone.

Q. 41. Can you be saved through the covenant of life?

A. No--because I broke it and am condemned by it.

Q. 42. How did you break the covenant of life?

A. Adam represented me, and so I fell with him in his first sin.

Hymn

Holy, Holy, Holy

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee;
Holy, Holy, Holy! Merciful and Mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, Holy, Holy, Though the darkness hide thee,
Though the eye of sinful man thy glory may not see,
Only thou art holy; there is none beside thee,
Perfect in power, in love, and purity.

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1 John 3:23		C. Q. 33	
1 John 1:9		C. Q. 34	
John 3:3		C. Q. 35	
John 3:17		C. Q. 36	
John 6:47		C. Q. 37	
Matthew 10:2-4		C. Q. 38	
Psalm 1		C. Q. 39	
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C. Q. 31		“Holy, Holy, Holy”	
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