

Bible Presbyterian Church of Olympia
Sunday School Memory Work
Fourth Quarter – School Year 2015-2016 (April 3 – June 26)

Resources:

1. Kids Quest curriculum by Great Commission Publications (for the First Catechism)
2. The Shorter Catechism for Study Classes by G. I. Williamson (for the Shorter Catechism)
3. www.shortercatechism.com (for the Shorter Catechism)

FC = First Catechism

SC = Westminster Shorter Catechism

April 3

FCQ. 70 – *Why do you need Christ as your prophet?* Because I am ignorant by nature.

SCQ. 59 – *Which day of the seven has God appointed to be the weekly Sabbath?* From the beginning of the world to the resurrection of Christ, God appointed the seventh day of the week to be the weekly Sabbath; and the first day of the week ever since, to continue to the end of the world, which is the Christian Sabbath.

SCQ. 60 – *How is the Sabbath to be sanctified?* The Sabbath is to be sanctified by a holy resting all that day, even from such worldly employments and recreations as are lawful on other days; and spending the whole time in the public and private exercises of God's worship, except so much as is to be taken up in the works of necessity and mercy.

April 10

FCQ. 71 – *Why do you need Christ as your priest?* Because I am guilty of breaking God's law.

SCQ. 61 – *What is forbidden in the fourth commandment?* The fourth commandment forbids the omission, or careless performance, of the duties required, and the profaning the day by idleness, or doing that which is in itself sinful, or by unnecessary thoughts, words, or works, about our worldly employments or recreations.

SCQ. 62 – *What are the reasons annexed to the fourth commandment?* The reasons annexed to the fourth commandment are, God's allowing us six days of the week for our own employments, his challenging a special propriety in the seventh, his own example, and his blessing the Sabbath day.

April 17

FCQ. 72 – *Why do you need Christ as your king?* Because I am weak and helpless.

SCQ. 63 – *Which is the fifth commandment?* The fifth commandment is, *Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long upon the land which the LORD your God is giving you.*

SCQ. 64 – *What is required in the fifth commandment?* The fifth commandment requires the preserving the honor, and performing the duties, belonging to everyone in their several places and relations, as superiors, inferiors, or equals.

April 24

FCQ. 73 – *How many commandments did God write down on the stone tablets?* Ten commandments.

FCQ. 74 – *What do the first four commandments teach you?* What it means to love and serve God.

FCQ. 75 – *What do the last six commandments teach you?* What it means to love and serve my neighbor.

SCQ. 65 – *What is forbidden in the fifth commandment?* The fifth commandment forbids the neglecting of, or doing anything against, the honor and duty which belongs to everyone in their several places and relations.

SCQ. 66 – *What is the reason annexed to the fifth commandment?* The reason annexed to the fifth commandment is, a promise of long life and prosperity (as far as it shall serve for God's glory and their own good) to all such as keep this commandment.

May 1

FCQ. 76 – *What is the sum of the Ten Commandments?* To love God with all my heart, and my neighbor as

myself.

FCQ. 77 – *Who is your neighbor?* Everybody is my neighbor.

SCQ. 67 – *Which is the sixth commandment?* The sixth commandment is, *You shall not murder.*

SCQ. 68 – *What is required in the sixth commandment?* The sixth commandment requires all lawful endeavors to preserve our own life, and the life of others

SCQ. 69 – *What is forbidden in the sixth commandment?* The sixth commandment forbids the taking away of our own life, or the life of our neighbor, unjustly, or whatsoever tends thereunto.

May 8 – Mother's Day

Isaiah 66:12-13 – For thus says the Lord: “Behold, I will extend peace to her like a river, and the glory of the Gentiles like a flowing stream. Then you shall feed; on *her* sides shall you be carried, and be dandled on *her* knees. As one whom his mother comforts, so I will comfort you; and you shall be comforted in Jerusalem.”

May 15

FCQ. 78 – *Is God pleased if you love and obey him?* Yes – he loves those who love him.

FCQ. 79 – *God displeased with those who refuse to love and obey him?* Yes – God is angry with the wicked every day.

SCQ. 70 – *Which is the seventh commandment?* The seventh commandment is, You shall not commit adultery.

SCQ. 71 – *What is required in the seventh commandment?* The seventh commandment requires the preservation of our own and our neighbor's chastity, in heart, speech, and behavior.

SCQ. 72 – *What is forbidden in the seventh commandment?* The seventh commandment forbids all unchaste thoughts, words, and actions.

May 22

FCQ. 80 – *What is the first commandment?* “You shall have no other gods before me.”

FCQ. 81 – *What does the first commandment teach you?* To worship the true God, and him alone.

SCQ. 73 – *Which is the eighth commandment?* The eighth commandment is, You shall not steal.

SCQ. 74 – *What is required in the eighth commandment?* The eighth commandment requires the lawful procuring and furthering the wealth and outward estate of ourselves and others.

SCQ. 75 – *What is forbidden in the eighth commandment?* The eighth commandment forbids whatsoever does, or may, unjustly hinder our own, or our neighbor's wealth or outward estate.

May 29

FCQ. 82 – *What is the second commandment?* “You shall not make for yourself any carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth; you shall not bow down to them nor serve them. For I, the Lord your God, am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children to the third and fourth generation of those who hate me, but showing mercy to thousands, to those who love me and keep my commandments.”

FCQ. 83 – *What does the second commandment teach you?* To worship God only as he commands – without any statues or pictures.

SCQ. 76 – *Which is the ninth commandment?* The ninth commandment is, You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

SCQ. 77 – *What is required in the ninth commandment?* The ninth commandment requires the maintaining and promoting of truth between man and man, and of our own and our neighbor's good name, especially in witness-bearing.

SCQ. 78 – *What is forbidden in the ninth commandment?* The ninth commandment forbids whatsoever is

prejudicial to truth, or injurious to our own, or our neighbor's, good name.

June 5

FCQ. 84 – *What is the third commandment?* “You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain, for the Lord will not hold him guiltless who takes his name in vain.”

FCQ. 85 – *What does the third commandment teach you?* To reverence God's name, especially in keeping my vows.

SCQ. 79 – *Which is the tenth commandment?* The tenth commandment is, You shall not covet your neighbor's house; you shall not covet your neighbor's wife, nor his male servant, nor his female servant, nor his ox, nor his donkey, nor anything that is your neighbor's.

SCQ. 80 – *What is required in the tenth commandment?* The tenth commandment requires full contentment with our own condition, with a right and charitable frame of spirit toward our neighbor, and all that is his.

SCQ. 81 – *What is forbidden in the tenth commandment?* The tenth commandment forbids all discontentment with our own estate, envying or grieving at the good of our neighbor, and all inordinate motions and affections to anything that is his.

June 12

FCQ. 86 – *What is the fourth commandment?* “Remember the Sabbath day by keeping it holy. Six days you shall labor and do all your work, but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the Lord your God. On it you shall not do any work, neither you, nor your son nor daughter, nor your manservant or maidservant, nor your animals, nor the alien within your gates. For in six days the Lord made the heavens and the earth, the sea, and all that is in them, but he rested on the seventh day. Therefore the Lord blessed the Sabbath day and made it holy.

FCQ. 87 – *What does the fourth commandment teach you?* To work six days and to keep a holy Sabbath.

SCQ. 82 – *Is any man able perfectly to keep the commandments of God?* No mere man, since the fall, is able in this life perfectly to keep the commandments of God, but does daily break them in thought, word, and deed.

June 19 – Father's Day

Romans 15:5-6 – Now may the God of patience and comfort grant you to be like-minded toward one another, according to Christ Jesus, that you may with one mind *and* one mouth glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

June 26 – Review of the Quarter