

Study Guide for the Exam on the 2nd Article of the Apostles' Creed DECEMBER 2022

The Apostles' Creed

AS THE HEAD OF THE FAMILY SHOULD TEACH IT
IN A SIMPLE WAY TO HIS HOUSEHOLD

◆ The Second Article

REDEMPTION

Know the Second Article with the explanation ("What does this mean?")

- ◆ What are the 6 Chief Parts that you are taught from the Catechism?
- ◆ Luther divided the Apostles' Creed into three articles. Each one focuses on one person of the Godhead and an article of faith relating to that person—what are they? (*hint: look at the headings for each article in the Catechism pp. 15-17.*)
- ◆ List the steps in the States of Humiliation and Exaltation according to the Creed. (*You'll find them explained in the Second Article of the A.C., pp. 183-187. (Note especially questions #170 & #173.)*)
- ◆ Jesus is the Messiah/Christ (which means "Anointed One"). What three Old Testament positions (also called "offices") does Jesus fulfill for us? (*Look at pp. 192-194.*)
- ◆ **Bible Passages for Extra Credit**—know the following Bible passages marked with a † from chapters 15-26 in your textbook covering the Apostles' Creed.
 1. **Isaiah 9:6** "For to us a Child is born, to us a Son is given; and the government will be upon His shoulders, and His name will be called wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace."
 2. **Galatians 4:4-5** "But when the fullness of time had come, God sent forth His Son, born of a woman, born under the Law, to redeem those who were under the Law so that we might receive adoption as sons."
 3. **John 14:6** "Jesus said, 'I am the Way, and the Truth, and the Life; no one comes to the Father, except through Me.'"
 4. **Romans 1:16** "I am not ashamed of the Gospel; for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes."