

PARISH FAMILY ABLAZE (2-26-23): REVIEW OF LESSONS 1-10

I. Prayers

- A. “Signum Crucis”: “In nomine Patris et Filii et Spiritus Sancti. Amen.”
- B. “Prayer to the Holy Spirit” (Inside Front Cover)
- C. Saint and Virtue:
 - 1. Saint Cajetan
 - 2. Diligence

II. Review—True/False Questions for Students

- 1. God made everything out of nothing, and now all things remain in existence only by their own power.
- 2. Heaven is where angels and saints exist in happiness forever, whereas Hell is where demons and mortally sinful humans no longer exist.
- 3. From the Apostles’ Creed we know that the goal of every human person is to become an angel in Heaven.
- 4. We cannot know by natural reason that there is a God, for only by supernatural revelation do we know that God exists.
- 5. Catholics believe that the true meaning of Scripture varies from individual to individual and essentially changes over time.
- 6. Catholics understand that Tradition is less important than Scripture.
- 7. Belief that in one God there are three divine Persons requires full understanding of this supernatural mystery.
- 8. Because we see natural reason and supernatural revelation as contradictory, we are not surprised to find scientific fact contradicting religious beliefs.
- 9. Angels have already undergone judgment, but humans are particularly judged at death and/or at the General Judgment.
- 10. Our faith teaches us that we can always resist temptation.
- 11. The human soul is like God because it is a spirit having understanding and free will and is destined to live forever.
- 12. Our experience of sanctifying grace in our souls is exactly the same as the experience of Adam and Eve in their souls before The Fall.
- 13. Mary is called the Immaculate Conception because the Son she conceived was free from sin.
- 14. All actual sin offends God equally.

- __ 15. A mortal sin must concern serious matter, and the sinner must reflect upon the action sufficiently and give full consent of the will to the sin.
- __ 16. We are strictly obliged to avoid all near occasions of sin.
- __ 17. Jesus Christ is one human Person.
- __ 18. When we assert that Christ descended into Hell, we mean that, after He died, His soul descended to the Bosom of Abraham where the souls of the just were waiting for Him.
- __ 19. As the Third Person of the Trinity, the Holy Spirit is not equal to the Father and the Son.
- __ 20. We have special assurance of God's favor and blessing if we live comfortably and never suffer or undergo persecution.

III. True/False Questions for Father Jack

IV. Discussion Questions:

- A. How are Divine Persons different from angelic persons and human persons?
- B. God the Father desired Heaven for all created persons, angelic and human—why does He permit Hell as a final destiny for many of these created persons?
- C. Does the theory of human evolution hold up according to what we know from the natural sciences and from the science of sacred doctrine?

V. Mission/Final Prayer