

# Scripture and Catechism Exercises 2018-2019

## Exercise 3

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### Old Testament

1. The following statements are true of either Jacob or Esau and you will find the answers in Genesis chapters 25 and 27. For each statement, say whether it refers to Jacob or Esau, and write down the chapter and verse numbers which prove your answer.

- (a) He was Rebekah’s favourite,
- (b) He was a cunning hunter,
- (c) He sold his birthright,
- (d) He was the elder twin,
- (e) He deceived his father,
- (f) His father Isaac asked him for venison,
- (g) He hated his brother,
- (h) His father blessed him and said, “Let people serve thee and nations bow down to thee. (16)

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2. Jacob left home because he was afraid of his brother Esau. Read Genesis chapter 28.

(a) What did he use for pillows that night? (1)

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(b) Describe what he saw in his dream (2)

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(c) What did he say when he wakened? (2)

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(d) How did he feel after his dream? (1)

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(e) What did he do with his pillows? (1)

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(f) What new name did he give to the place? (If you have a Bible with a margin you will see what the name means.) (1)

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## New Testament

1. Read the parable of the ten virgins in Matthew 25:1-13. How many virgins:

(a) had lamps,

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(b) had vessels of oil,

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(c) went to meet the bridegroom,

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(d) fell asleep as they waited for the bridegroom,

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(e) arose and trimmed their lamps at midnight,

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(f) went in to the marriage with the bridegroom?

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2. Say briefly what the teaching of the parable is.

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**3.** Read Matthew 25:31-46.

(a) What future event do these verses refer to? (1)

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(b) Who will accompany the Son of Man when He comes in His glory? (1)

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(c) Who will be gathered before the Son of Man? (1)

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(d) Who are referred to as “sheep” and who as “goats”? (2)

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(e) To which of these (sheep or goats) will He say, “Come”, and to which will He say. “Depart”? (2)

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**Memory Exercise**

Learn by heart and write out from memory the answer to Question 38 in the Shorter Catechism: What benefit do believers receive from Christ at the resurrection? (3)

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