

Scripture and Catechism Exercises 2025-2026

Exercise 1

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Upper Primary (9 and 10 years old)

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Old Testament

The Psalms tells us about those whom God blesses and gives reasons why we are to bless or praise God.

1. Read the following verses and describe the person whom God blesses. The first has been done for you.

(a) Psalm 1:1;2 *(He loves God's law and thinks about it day and night.)*

(b) Psalm 34:8 (1)

(c) Psalm 41:1 (1)

(d) Psalm 65:4 (1)

(e) Psalm 84:4;5 (2)

(f) Psalm 115:13 (1)

(g) Psalm 119:2 (1)

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2. From the following verses give the reasons why God’s people want to praise and bless Him.

- (a) Psalm 66:20 (2)
- (b) Psalm 72:18,19 (2)
- (c) Psalm 103:1,3 (1)

New Testament

1. Read Luke 5:12-16.

(a) Write out the leper's prayer.

(1)

(b) Who prayed in the wilderness?

(1)

2. Read about the prodigal son in Luke 15:16-24. Put the sentences in the right order.

- A. The father forgave him and welcomed him home.
- B. The son prayed, "Father, I have sinned against heaven and in thy sight".
- C. The father saw him coming and ran to him.
- D. The son saw his need and began to go home.

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3. Read Luke 18:10-14.

(a) How many went to pray in the temple? (1)

(b) Write out the short prayer of seven words which pleased God. (1)

Memory Exercise

Learn by heart and then copy out the answer to Question 98 in the Shorter Catechism: What is prayer? (3)

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