

WHO IS GOD?

And What Can I Really Know About Him?

If someone really wanted to learn about you, but couldn't speak directly to you, who are the top 5 people they should talk to?

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

If someone really wanted to learn about you, and they could speak to you, what are the top 5 things you would want them to know?

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

Define the word "inerrant" (if you don't know, do some googling!):

Lutherans profess that Scripture is inerrant. What does this mean about our understanding of how we come to know God? :

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God wants us to have an accurate picture of who He is. He sent His Holy Spirit to the authors of Scripture so that they could accurately impart His message to His people. Some church bodies don't believe that all of Scripture is inerrant, however, What are some of the issues that may arise when you teach that only certain parts of Scripture are inerrant?

Let's Talk About The Creed!

We talked about the Creed a little bit last week, but there's a reason we say one of the three Christian creeds in Church every week. All Christians have been using the creeds for centuries to help them explain who God really is. This week, we'll take a closer look at The First Article of The Apostles' Creed and what it teaches us about who The Father is.

God The Creator

The First Article reads, "I believe in God, The Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth."

Read "The Central Thought" on p.133 in The Small Catechism.

How does seeing ourselves as God's creation shape our relationship with Him and with our neighbor?

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God The Father

Read question 113 on p.134 of The Small Catechism.

What do the following verses tell us about who The Father is?

John 3:16

Galatians 4:4-6

Acts 17:28-29

What Does This Mean For Me?

Growing in our faith means exploring our questions! God made us curious for a reason and we should turn to His Word to learn more about the answers He provides.

Browse questions 121-130 in The Small Catechism (p. 138-144). What two questions are most interesting to you and what did the answers teach you?