










		First Catechism 50-53; 68-75	scripture: Hebrews 4:14-16
Week 1	12/7/2014	<b>50. How could Christ suffer?</b> Christ, the Son of God, became a man so that he could obey and suffer in our place. 	14 Seeing then that we have a great High Priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold fast our confession.
Week 2	12/14	<b>51. For whom did Christ obey and suffer?</b> For all whom God the Father gave to Christ. <b>52. What kind of life did Christ live on earth?</b> A life of obedience, service and suffering. 	
Week 3	12/21	<b>53. What kind of death did Jesus die?</b> The painful and shameful death of the cross. 	
Week 4	12/28	Review	
Week 5	1/4	<b>68. How many offices does Christ fulfill as the promised Messiah?</b> Christ fulfills three offices.	
Week 6	1/11	<b>69. What are they?</b> The offices of a prophet, of a priest, and of a king.	
Week 7	1/18	<b>70. How is Christ your prophet?</b> Christ teaches me the will of God. 	15 For we do not have a High Priest who cannot sympathize with our weaknesses, but was in all points tempted as we are, yet without sin. 
Week 8	1/25	<b>71. How is Christ your priest?</b> Christ died for my sins and continues to pray for me.	
Week 9	2/1	<b>72. How is Christ your king?</b> Christ rules over me, the world and Satan, and he defends me. 	16 Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need.
Week 10	2/8	<b>73. Why do you need Christ as your prophet?</b> Because I am ignorant by nature. <b>74. Why do you need Christ as your priest?</b> Because I am guilty of breaking God's law. 	
Week 11	2/15	<b>75. Why do you need Christ as your king?</b> Because I am weak and helpless.	
Week 12	2/22	Review	Hebrews 4:14-16 
Week 13	3/1	Recite answers 50-53; 68-75	