Question 125

Q. Which is the fourth petition?

- **A.** "Give us this day our daily bread"; that is, be pleased to provide us with all things necessary for the body, (a) that we may thereby acknowledge thee to be the only fountain of all good, (b) and that neither our care nor industry, nor even thy gifts, can profit us without thy blessing; (c) and therefore that we may withdraw our trust from all creatures, and place it alone in thee. (d)
- (a) Ps.104:27,28; Ps.145:15,16; Matt.6:25,26. (b) James 1:17; Acts 14:17; Acts 17:27,28. (c) 1 Cor.15:58; Deut.8:3; Ps.37:3-5,16; Ps.127:1,2. (d) Ps.55:23; Ps.62:11; Ps.146:3; Jer.17:5,7.

Question 126

Q. Which is the fifth petition?

- **A.** "And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors"; that is, be pleased for the sake of Christ's blood, not to impute to us poor sinners, our transgressions, nor that depravity, which always cleaves to us; (a) even as we feel this evidence of thy grace in us, that it is our firm resolution from the heart to forgive our neighbour. (b)
- (a) Ps.51:1-7; Ps.143:2; 1 John 2:1,2; Rom.8:1. (b) Matt.6:14,15.

Question 127

Q. Which is the sixth petition?

- **A.** "And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil"; that is, since we are so weak in ourselves, that we cannot stand a moment; (a) and besides this, since our mortal enemies, the devil, (b) the world, (c) and our own flesh, (d) cease not to assault us, do thou therefore preserve and strengthen us by the power of thy Holy Spirit, that we may not be overcome in this spiritual warfare, (e) but constantly and strenuously may resist our foes, till at last we obtain a complete victory. (f)
- (a) John 15:5; Ps.103:14. (b) 1 Pet.5:8; Eph.6:12. (c) John 15:19. (d) Rom.7:23; Gal.5:17. (e) Matt.26:41; Mark 13:33. (f) 1 Thess.3:13; 1 Thess.5:23.

Question 128

Q. How dost thou conclude thy prayer?

- **A.** "For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever"; that is, all these we ask of thee, because thou, being our King and almighty, art willing and able to give us all good; (a) and all this we pray for, that thereby not we, but thy holy name, may be glorified for ever. (b)
- (a) Rom.10:11,12; 2 Pet.2:9. (b) John 14:13; Jer.33:8,9; Ps.115:1.

Question 129

- **Q.** What does the word "Amen" signify?
- **A.** "Amen" signifies, it shall truly and certainly be: for my prayer is more assuredly heard of God, than I feel in my heart that I desire these things of him. (a)
- (a) 2 Cor.1:20; 2 Tim.2:13.

Cottonwood Community Church

April 22, 2012 Second Sunday After Easter

Sunday Worship, 10:00 a.m.

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Welcome

The Collect

Chorus 232: We Bring The Sacrifice Of Praise

Psalms 104:21-30

- 21. The young lions roar after their prey, And seek their food from God.
- 22. When the sun rises, they gather together And lie down in their dens.
- 23. Man goes out to his work And to his labor until the evening.
- 24. O LORD, how manifold are Your works! In wisdom You have made them all. The earth is full of Your possessions—
- 25. This great and wide sea, In which *are* innumerable teeming things, Living things both small and great.
- 26. There the ships sail about; *There is* that Leviathan Which You have made to play there.
- 27. These all wait for You, That You may give *them* their food in due season.
- 28. What You give them they gather in; You open Your hand, they are filled with good.
- 29. You hide Your face, they are troubled; You take away their breath, they die and return to their dust.
- 30. You send forth Your Spirit, they are created; And You renew the face of the earth.

Hymn 4: O Worship The King

Old Testament: Ezekiel 34:11-31

Hymn 6: Come Thou Fount

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

New Testament: Galatians 5:22-23

Hymn 1: Come Thou Almighty King

Final Judgement - Or?

Matthew 25:31-46

Congregational Prayer

Our Father, who art in Heaven, Hallowed be Thy name.

Thy kingdom come,

Thy will be done, on earth as it is in Heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Hymn 39: Lord, Dismiss Us With Thy Blessing

Now may the God of peace who brought up our Lord Jesus from the dead, that great Shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the everlasting covenant, make you complete in every good work to do His will, working in you what is well pleasing in His sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen.