

Catechesis 5

What Does it Mean to Be a Christian? Creed 2

The Apostles Creed in the Bible

I believe in God, the Father Almighty (Mt. 5:45)

Creator of heaven and earth (Gen. 1:1ff; Rom 1:20)

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, (Mt. 3:17; Phil 2:12)

Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, (Lk 1:35)

Born of the Virgin Mary (Lk 2:7)

Suffered under Pontious Pilate (Jn 19:16)

was crucified, died, and was buried (Jn 19:29-42)

He descended into hell (1 Pet 3:19-20)

On the third day He rose again from the dead (Mt 28:1-10; Jn 20:11-18)

He ascended into heaven (Lk 24:51)

and sits at the right hand of God (Heb 1:3)

the Father, Almighty (Mk 14:36)

from thence He shall come again (Mt 16:27; Acts 10:39ff)

to Judge the living and the dead (2 Tim 4:1; 1 Thess. 4:13-18)

I believe in the Holy Spirit (Jn 14:15-20; Acts 1:7-8)

The Holy Christian Church (Mt 16:18-19; Eph 5:26-27; Col. 1:24)

the communion of Saints (Mt 28:19-20; 2 Cor 11:13; 1 Cor 15:3)

the forgiveness of sins (Jn 20:22-23)

the resurrection of the body (1 cor. 15:51-54; 1 Thess 4:13-18)

and life everlasting. (Jn 5:20)