

LORD'S DAY 14 OF GOD THE SON

**Q 35. WHAT DOES IT MEAN THE HE WAS
"CONCEIVED BY THE HOLY SPIRIT, BORN OF THE VIRGIN MARY?"**

A. *That the eternal Son of God,
who is and remains
true and eternal God,
took upon Himself,
through the working of the Holy Spirit,
from the flesh and blood of the virgin Mary,
the very nature of man
so that He might also be the true seed of David,
like unto His brethren in all things,
except for sin.*

John 1:1; Romans 1:3-4
Romans 9:5
Galatians 4:4; John 1:14
Matthew 1:18-20; Luke 1:35
Psalm 132:11
Philippians 2:7
Hebrews 4:15; *I John 5:20

Q 36. HOW DOES THE HOLY CONCEPTION AND BIRTH OF CHRIST BENEFIT YOU?

A. *He is our Mediator,
and with His innocence and perfect holiness
he covers,
in the sight of God,
my sin, wherein I was conceived.*

Hebrews 2:16-17
Psalm 32:1; *I John 1:9

I suggest using a notebook to record your answers, thoughts, and questions that come to mind as you read the catechism and scripture. When we meet it will help to have something written that you can refer back to as we discuss the lessons and pray for each other.

As we enter the second part of the catechism our attention turns from our sin to our deliverance. Write down two or three attributes of the Lord Jesus Christ from each week's lesson.

LORD'S DAY 14: April 2 – April 8, 2017

SUNDAY: Read questions and answers with all scripture references

MONDAY: Read John 8: 52-59

Has Jesus has always been God? When did his human life begin?

TUESDAY: Read John 1:14, Hebrews 2:14-15, Luke 1:30-33, and Romans 1:1-4
Why did Jesus need to become human?

WEDNESDAY: Read Hebrews 2:17-18, 4:15; 7:26-28

Was Jesus' human nature a sinful nature? Why is this important?

THURSDAY/FRIDAY: Read Romans 8:1-4 and 2 Corinthians 5:17, 21

Why does the doctrine of Christ's virgin birth matter?

Is this doctrine really an essential Christian belief?

SATURDAY: Read the corresponding essay in *THE GOOD NEWS WE ALMOST FORGOT*