

High Desert URC · Heidelberg Catechism Schedule

January 2019

Due date	If you're memorizing...	If you're just reading...
January 6	Memorize QA 55, review QA 54	Read Lord's Day 29 (QA 78-79)
January 13	Memorize QA 56, review QA 55	Read Lord's Day 30 (QA 80-82)
January 20	Memorize QA 57, review QA 56	Read Lord's Day 31 (QA 83-85)
January 27	Review QA 55-57	Read Lord's Day 32 (QA 86-87)

Follow-Up Questions

For QA 55: How should we think about using our gifts?

We should use our gifts such as mercy and giving, “for the advantage and welfare of other members.”

For QA 56: What does it mean that God “will no more remember my sins?”

It means that God will not hold my sins against me, will not punish me for them.

What does it mean that God “graciously imputes to me the righteousness of Christ?”

It means that God declares me as righteous as Christ even though I am still sinful and wicked.

For QA 57: What happens to your body and soul when you die?

My body is buried in the ground but my soul goes to be with Christ in heaven.

Does your body lay in the ground forever?

No, my body will be raised and reunited with my soul on the Last Day when Christ returns again.

Memorizing vs. reading: parents, if you think your child is too young to memorize the catechism, you can read it aloud to them following the reading schedule above. Everyone else of all ages should try to memorize the catechism following the memorization schedule above.

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