

God, the Trinity, the Creator, and the Provider

Lesson 1 — Student Guide

Prepare for class: Read Exodus 16:2-18

Lesson Goal

The goal of this lesson is to answer the following question: **“What is a creed?”** and to understand what the word Trinity means. Students will also learn about how God the Father continues to care and provide for us.

Think

Evaluate

1. Who are the characters in this story?
2. What are the objects in this story?
3. Where did this story happen?
4. When did this story happen?
5. What is the problem?
6. What events occurred in this story?
7. Is the problem solved?

Learn

8. What is the main theme of this lesson?
9. What sin does this lesson teach us to confess?
10. Where do you see the love of God in this lesson?
11. What does God teach us to do in this lesson?

Lead

12. What would be a good situation in which to share this message?

Additional questions

13. What is the definition of the word creed?
14. What does the word Trinity mean?

15. God sometimes uses miracles to provide for us, like in Exodus 16:2-18 when he provided manna and quail to sustain the people of Israel in the desert. However, what is God's normal way of caring and providing for us?
16. What do we mean when we say in the Apostles' Creed, "I believe in God"?
17. The doctrine of vocation is the teaching that God uses our everyday roles, jobs, and duties to serve him and to care for others. A mother helps her daughter. An employee works faithfully for his boss. A senator legislates beneficial laws. In a sense, God uses people as his "masks" to love others. How can this truth comfort you?

Lesson wrap-up

What is a creed? What does Trinity mean? How does God the Father continue to care and provide for us?