

# HOME TALK

Making Disciples in the Middle of Everyday Life Mt 28:20a

## Talking about the First Article of The Apostles' Creed \*

**I believe in God, The Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.**



### What does this mean?

I believe that God has created me and all that exists. He has given to me and still sustains my body and soul, my senses and all my members, my reason and all the powers of my soul. I believe that He gives me food and clothing, home and family, and all material blessings; that He daily provides abundantly for all the needs of my life, protects me from all danger, and guards and keeps me from all evil. I believe that He does this because of His fatherly and divine goodness and mercy, without any merit or worthiness in me. For all

this I should thank, praise, serve, and obey Him. This is most certainly true.

### 134 What does it mean to create?

To create means to make something out of nothing.

### 135 According to the Scripture, how many kinds of created beings did God make?

He made two kinds, invisible and visible.

### 136 What are the main invisible beings God created?

The main invisible beings created by God are angels.

### 137 Who are the angels?

The angels are spirit beings of great number and power who were created to praise God, do His will, and serve his creation.

**Psalm 103:20 Bless the Lord, O you his angels, you mighty ones who do his word, obeying the voice of his word!**

**Luke 2:13-14 And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying, "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among those with whom he is pleased!"**

**Hebrews 1:14 Are they not all ministering spirits sent out to serve for the sake of those who are to inherit salvation?**

Scriptures are noted in the English Standard Version

## A Verse to Remember

**T**herefore do not be anxious, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' For the Gentiles seek after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them all. But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.

Matthew 6:31-33 ESV



\* in the **Explanation of Luther's Small Catechism.**

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