

5th Commandment Confirmation Worksheet

Name _____

From *Luther's Small Catechism and Explanation*:

1. Write the 5th Commandment in your own words. Don't use the word "kill" or "murder."
2. In the meaning of the commandment, what two things should we not do to our neighbor?
 - a. b _____
 - b. c _____
3. What are the two things we should do for our neighbor?
 - a.
 - b.
4. According to Q72, how do we break this commandment?
 - a.
 - b.
5. In one word, what does this commandment forbid? k_____ Why does your catechism (in Q72) say there are so many more things we shouldn't do?
6. How can you kill your neighbor's soul?
7. Does this commandment also include suicide?
8. Instead of harming our neighbor, how should we treat him or her? Write three *one-word* answers. (Look at Q75 for clue s)
9. Who is our neighbor? Does this include our enemies? (Q60-61)

From the Bible: Read Matthew 5:21-22, I John 3:15, and Matthew 25:35-40 and then answer the following questions.

10. In the Matthew 5 passage, who is speaking?

11. What does the speaker equate with murder?

12. If you say, "you fool," what are you in danger of?

13. In the I John passage what does the author equate with murder?

14. According to this verse, what is the punishment for murder?

15. According to the Matthew 25 passage, if you do nice things for people, *who* are you doing them to/for?

Ask Your Parents:

Whose image are humans created in? (Genesis 1:26) What does this say about life? What does Psalm 139:13-16 say about unborn babies and about human life in general? What are your thoughts about abortion and euthanasia? Does the 5th Commandment forbid abortion and euthanasia? If you don't know what abortion and euthanasia are, be sure to look these words up. Fill the space below! Student Writes: _____

OR

Watch: HT Video Catechism about the Fifth Commandment and summarize together:
(Two or more sentences) _____

I worked on one of the two parent/student options with my parent _____ (student)
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