



## His Word Is Truth!

This article is written by Pastor Tom Eckstein of Concordia Lutheran Church in Jamestown. "His Word is Truth" will appear in this paper every 3rd Monday.

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Today we continue our series on the Apostles' Creed which is a summary of what the Bible teaches about God and His work for us. The Bible teaches name that means "God saves" that there is only **1 God** who – *which is an appropriate exists as **3 persons** – Father, name for Jesus, who is God is Son and Holy Spirit. the flesh!* (See Matthew 1:22-23, John 1:14 and Colossians 2:9).

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for us (see Genesis 1:1-3, a special office, such as priest Hebrews 1:1-3 and Matthew or king, were anointed with Christ is God's only Son we 6:25-34). Today we begin our oil in a public ceremony to humans call Jesus "Lord" examination of the second show that they had been (see John 20:28, Philippians section of the Apostles' Creed chosen by God. Over time the 2:5-11 and Revelation 22:20- where we learn about God's title "The Anointed One" was 21). The English word Son and His work of salvation. used to refer to the Savior of "Lord" translates the Hebrew This article will deal with the sinners God promised to send word "Yahweh" which is the following part of the Creed: into the world. *When Jesus* Holy name of God found in "I believe] in Jesus Christ, was baptized, the Father the Old Testament Scriptures. his only Son, our Lord, who declared that He was His Son Jesus the Christ is the God of was conceived by the Holy and then He "anointed" Jesus Abraham! (See Genesis 12:1-Spirit, born of the Virgin with the Holy Spirit (see 3, John 8:54-58 and Galatians Mary..." Matthew 3:16-17, John 1:29- 3:15-20)

First, "**Jesus**" is the name given to the Son of God who

is took on human flesh in the womb of the Virgin Mary. The name "Jesus" is a Hebrew name that means "God saves" that there is only **1 God** who – *which is an appropriate exists as **3 persons** – Father, name for Jesus, who is God is Son and Holy Spirit. the flesh!* (See Matthew 1:22-23, John 1:14 and Colossians 2:9).

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Fourth, because Jesus the 4:4-5). **Second**, the male *God!* (See Matthew 12:8 and child of Genesis 3:15 will Revelation 1:17-18) *No* crush the devil's power. Only *wonder we worship Jesus as GOD can defeat the devil!* *Therefore, this male child will be God Himself in human flesh!*

Now, why did the eternal Son of God become human? God's Son became human to

save us from our sins against God (see Matthew 1:21, Acts 13:26-39, Romans 3:21-26, 1st Corinthians 15:1-4, Galatians 3:13-14, Colossians 1:21-23 and Hebrews 2:14-18). However, some wrongly teach that Jesus was not God but only a man. If that were the case, then Jesus could not have saved us from our sins nor from the power of the devil. Only God can do that! **God Himself died for our sins and then conquered death for us!**

The Bible clearly teaches that the baby conceived by the Holy Spirit in the womb of the Virgin Mary was Jesus the Christ, God's only Son power of the Holy Spirit (see Isaiah 7:14, Matthew 1:20-25, Luke 1:26-37 and Galatians wonder Jesus said that He is

*Jesus the Christ, God's only Son, is the ONLY Savior for us lost sinners!* (See Acts 4:12) **Confess your sins and trust in Jesus today!**

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Please read the next "His Word is Truth" on Monday, April 16th! Pastor Eckstein will continue his series on the Apostles' Creed with the following part of the 2nd article: "...suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried."

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