

## Spring Year 2

### Week 1

**Q. 61. What is forbidden in the fourth commandment?**

A. The fourth commandment forbiddeth the omission, or careless performance, of the duties required, and the profaning the day by idleness, or doing that which is in itself sinful, or by unnecessary thoughts, words, or works, about our worldly employments or recreations.

### Week 2

**Q. 62. What are the reasons annexed to the fourth commandment?**

A. The reasons annexed to the fourth commandment are, God's allowing us six days of the week for our own employments, his challenging a special propriety in the seventh, his own example, and his blessing the Sabbath day.

### Week 3

**Q. 63. Which is the fifth commandment?**

A. The fifth commandment is, Honor thy father and thy mother: that thy days may be long upon the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee.

### Week 4

**Q. 64. What is required in the fifth commandment?**

A. The fifth commandment requireth the preserving the honor, and performing the duties, belonging to every one in their several places and relations, as superiors, inferiors, or equals.

### Week 5

**Q. 65. What is forbidden in the fifth commandment?**

A. The fifth commandment forbiddeth the neglecting of, or doing anything against, the honor and duty which belongeth to every one in their several places and relations.

### Week 6

**Q. 66. What is the reason annexed to the Fifth Commandment?**

A. The reason annexed to the Fifth Commandment is a promise of long life and prosperity (as far as it shall serve for God's glory and their own good) to all such as keep this commandment.

### Week 7

**Q. 67. Which is the sixth commandment?**

A. The sixth commandment is, Thou shalt not kill.

### Week 8

**Q. 68. What is required in the sixth commandment?**

A. The sixth commandment requireth all lawful endeavours to preserve our own life, and the life of others.

### Week 9

**Q. 69. What is forbidden in the sixth commandment?**

A. The sixth commandment forbiddeth the taking away of our own life, or the life of our neighbor unjustly, or whatsoever tendeth thereunto.

### Week 10

**Q. 70. What is the seventh commandment?**

A. The seventh commandment is, Thou shalt not commit adultery.

### Week 11

**Q. 71. What is required in the seventh commandment?**

A. The seventh commandment requireth the preservation of our own and our neighbor's chastity, in heart, speech, and behaviour.

**Week 12**

**Q. 72. What is forbidden in the seventh commandment?**

A. The seventh commandment forbiddeth all unchaste thoughts, words, and actions.

**Week 13 – Review Questions 61-72**

*You have now memorized 72 questions of the shorter catechism... take a break for the summer, but review these so that hopefully by the end of next year you will be able to recite the whole catechism in one or two sessions!*