

Twelve? What wrong use of his position had he made?

10. How did Jesus defend Mary against Judas' criticism?

11. Why did the chief priests plot the death of Lazarus as well as Jesus?

Something to Look Up

1. Two other of the Gospels tell that Jesus said this loving act of Mary's would be told about her wherever the Gospel should be preached. Find the words.

2. Find a chapter in one of Paul's Epistles, the whole of which is taken up in telling about love.

ANSWERS (Lesson II.)—(1) Job 19 : 25, 26. (2) 1 Cor. 13.

Prove from Scripture

That obedience is the outcome of love.

The Catechism

Ques. 90. *How we should read and hear God's Word.* Question 89 tells us that the Holy Spirit gives the Word read and preached power to save us. But there are some things we must do for ourselves : (1) We must "attend" to the Word, that is, give our minds to it. And in our attention there must be "diligence", earnest seeking for God's blessing on what we read and hear. (2) We must "receive" the Word, trusting with all our heart in the God who gave it

("with faith"), and delighting in it ("with love"). (3) We must "lay it up in our hearts," that is think about it, ponder over it. (4) We must "practise" the Word. This is most important of all. For it is the "doer of the work" who shall "be blessed," James 1 : 25.

The Question on Missions

Ques. 3. By the exercise of great care and the use of extensive glass coverings, the Moravian missionaries of Northern Labrador often raise a good many vegetables ; but in general neither soil nor climate is fitted to encourage agriculture. The harvest reaped by the people of Labrador is the harvest of the sea. Some years, it has been worth more than \$5,000,000, though the fishermen did not get so much for it. The months of June, July and August are the harvest months when most of the fishing is done. The busiest season of all is during the latter part of July and the first week of August, when the codfish come close in shore, following the caplin, their bait. They are then taken in traps, large nets extending out from the shore, with a square enclosure at the end, into which the fish easily find their way, but from which it is not so easy to escape. When the caplin go off again into deep water, the cod follow them, and the fishermen must then have recourse to hook and line.

FOR TEACHERS OF THE LITTLE ONES

Lesson Subject—Jesus loved by His friends.

Introduction—In some Indian tribes, when a little friend dies, the other children set

snare and catch birds. A little girl, holding a pretty bird lovingly in her hand, talks in this way : "O, little bird, our dear little friend, Laughing Eyes, has gone away to the great Spirit ; she can no longer hear our voices nor see our faces : we are sad and lonely without her, and we want you to fly away and tell her that we still love her and our hearts are sad because she has gone." Then they set the bird free, and it flies away.

It is very sweet to send love to our friends who have gone ;

