The supreme duty of the disciple is to bear witness to his Lord. v. 8.

The wonder of worship must never keep us from the duties of life. v. 11.

Something to Look Up

1. Where, in the Psalms, is it said that it is good and pleasant for brethren to dwell together in unity?

2. St. John had a vision of Jesus many years later. Read the account in Revelation.

ANSWERS, Lesson XI.—(1) Isa. 49:6. (2) Rom. 10:13.

For Discussion

1. Was Jesus such a king as the Old Testament prophets described ?

2. Are the proofs that Jesus rose from the dead satisfactory ?

Prove from Scripture

That Jesus is at God's right hand.

The Catechism

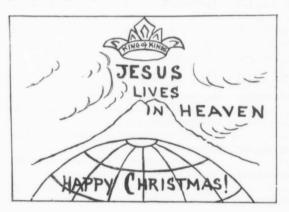
Ques. 82-107 (Review). How we are saved, is the subject for to-day's review. In Ques. 82-84, it is shown that all have sinned, and are utterly helpless, in their own strength, to keep God's law. Guilty and miserable, that is our condition by nature. But God's way for our calvation is beautifully simple and altogether sufficient. Two things are required in us—faith, that is, personal trust in Jesus Christ, and repentance, that is, a change of mind that leads us to turn away from sin. These are called the inward means of salvation, and are fully explained in Ques. 85-87. Besides, there are outward means— God's Word, the sacraments and prayer which the Holy Spirit uses to produce in us faith and repentance. Ques. 88-107 deal with these outward means of salvation.

The Question on Missions

Ques. 12. Tell about our church's work among the Jews. This virile race is bound to become an increasingly important factor in our national life. Jews rapidly acquire wealth and influence and press into the professions and leading businesses. Jewish communities are rapidly forming in nearly all the large cities. In this free country Judaism rapidly loses its power over them. Some Jews maintain their ideals by means of the Reformed Jewish movement. But many, particularly the Canadian-born, drift from the old beliefs and lapse from the old morality. Our church aims to stem the rising tide of infidelity and vice by using the methods of social service and evangelism. Mr. S. B. Rohold is in charge of the work in Toronto. The work in Winnipeg is under the care of Mr. H. Spitzer. A new building in a place central to the Jewish population is sorely needed.

FOR TEACHERS OF THE LITTLE ONES

A Look Forward—Our dear Christmas Day will soon be here again, and amid all the givings and gettings and all the good cheer, let us remember what the day really means.



It is the birthday of our king Jesus !

The King Heralded—Long before Jesus came into the world, people had heard about that Prince of Peace who was to come and bring peace to all nations. God told His messenger, the prophet Isaiah, to tell people about this king, who should be born into the family of King David, but how different He would be from all other kings ! The spirit of God would be upon Him, Isa. 11 : 1-10.

Golden Text-In His kingdom