

Then the rulers of the people came together to decide what they should do to Jesus for thus breaking the Sabbath day. They said that He could not be the Son of God, as He claimed to be, if He did such wickedness. But many of the people, and, amongst them, the man himself, believed in Jesus, because only the Son of God could have done such a wonderful thing as to give sight to a man who had been born blind.

### Questions on the Lesson

1. To what city had Jesus again come?
2. Whom did He pass on His way from the temple?
3. What question did His disciples ask?
4. Why did Jesus say this man had been born blind?
5. How, did Jesus say, He must use the power which God had given Him?
6. To whom did Jesus liken Himself?
7. What did Jesus say He must be in the world?
8. What did Jesus do to the blind man?
9. What did He tell him to do?
10. What happened then?
11. What dispute arose amongst the man's neighbors?
12. What question did they ask him?
13. What did the rulers do?
14. Why did many of the people believe in Jesus?
15. What is the Golden Text?

### Lesson Story

"I'm going blind", said poor Mrs. Smith, vainly trying to thread a needle. "She's going blind", said her friends, watching her groping her way about. But the great eye doctor at the hospital said, "It is only a film growing over her eyes, which I can remove some day, but not until it has grown quite over. When you cannot see at all, come back and I will cure you."

"Let myself grow blind without trying to stop it!" cried Mrs. Smith. "That is the only way", said the doctor firmly; "have patience and faith, and some day you will see as well as ever". The little woman needed much of both patience and faith, as she slowly grew quite blind. But one glad day the doctor put her to sleep, and cut away the blinding film, and she could see once more.

### Lesson Hymn

Thou, who didst come to bring  
On Thy redeeming wing  
Healing and sight,

Health to the sick in mind,  
Sight to the inly blind,  
O now to all mankind

Let there be light! Amen.

—Hymn 438, Book of Praise

### The Catechism

**PRIMARY CATECHISM—79. How do we worship God when we go to His house?**  
We worship God by praise, prayer, the reading and preaching of God's Word, and by our offerings.

**SHORTER CATECHISM—Review Questions 11-19.**

### The Question on Missions

11. Where do those trained in our Industrial schools find employment? Christian workmen cannot get much work from the people round about them. They are forced to seek work in large cities, under non-Christian employers, where they are under evil influences, and compelled to work on Sunday. Thus the Mission has to employ as well as train them.

### SOMETHING TO DO AT HOME

If we were blind, and some skilful doctor made us see once more, how thankful we



should be! We ought to be just as grateful, if we have never been blind, for the sight God has given us, that we may enjoy all the beautiful things about us. *Color or copy the picture.*

**I Have Learned To-day**  
THAT JESUS IS MY GUIDE