

QUESTIONS FOR INTERMEDIATE SCHOLARS.

1. Sincere Love, v. 1-3.

When did Jesus come again to Bethany?
What miracle had been wrought there?
At whose house was he a guest?
Who sat at table with Jesus?
What place did Martha take?
How did Mary honor the guest?

2. Hypocritical Greed, v. 4-8.

Who found fault with her?
What objection did he urge?
Why did he object?
What was the rebuke of Jesus?
What else did he say? GOLDEN TEXT.
Why was her service approved?

3. Aimless Curiosity, v. 9.

What brought many guests to the feast?
Was this a proper motive?
Does curiosity ever bring people near to Jesus now?

How, if ever, are such people benefited by Jesus?

4. Murderous Conspiracy, v. 10, 11.

Who plotted against Lazarus?
Why did they seek to kill him?
How did it injure them for the people to believe on Jesus?

Practical Teachings.

Where in this lesson are we taught—

1. That love finds no service costly?
2. That loving service is pleasing to Jesus?
3. That an evil heart always finds an evil motive in others?

QUESTIONS FOR YOUNGER SCHOLARS.

How long after the miracle was it when Jesus came again to Bethany? **About two months.**
At whose house was he a guest? **At the house of Simon.**

What friends of his were there? **Lazarus and his sisters.**

How did Martha show her love for Jesus? **By waiting upon him.**

What did Mary do?
Was her gift a costly one?
What does her having such costly perfumes show? **That she was not a poor woman.**

Who found fault with Mary?
What did Judas say Mary ought to have done?

Was this because he loved the poor?
What did Jesus say?
Why was he pleased with what Mary had done?
Because it was the gift of love.

What does Jesus always want to find in our gifts? **The perfume of love.**

THE LESSON CATECHISM.

(For the entire school.)

1. Where is the scene of this lesson? **Bethany.**

2. Why did Mary anoint the feet of Jesus? **Because she was grateful to Jesus for raising her brother from the dead.**

3. What may we say of Mary? GOLDEN TEXT: **"She hath done what she could."**

4. Why did Judas complain? **Because he wanted the money, not for the poor, but for himself.**

NEW CHURCH CATECHISM.

61. What is a sacrament?

A sacrament is a holy ordinance instituted by Christ, whereby by outward and visible signs Christ and the benefits of the new covenant are represented and sealed to the Church, and received by those who worthily partake thereof.

THE LESSON OUTLINE.

Our Gifts to the King.

I. OUR GRATITUDE.

Lazarus... whom he raised. v. 1.
Hath quickened us. Eph. 2. 4, 5.
Dead... but alive. Rom. 6. 11.

II. OUR WELCOME.

Made him a supper. v. 2.
Abide at thy house. Luke 19. 5, 6.
Will sup with him. Rev. 3. 20.

III. OUR SERVICE.

Martha served. v. 2.
Work and labor of love. Heb. 6. 10.
Zealous of good works. Tit. 2. 14.

IV. OUR SELF-SACRIFICE.

Oniment... very costly. v. 3.
What she could. Mark 14. 8.
For a memorial. Matt. 26. 13.

V. OUR FIDELITY.

Judas... which should betray. v. 4-6.
A faithful... servant. Matt. 24. 45.
Stewards... found faithful. 1 Cor. 4. 20.

VI. OUR HELP.

The poor always. v. 8.
A cup of cold water. Matt. 10. 42.
Done it unto me. Matt. 25. 40.