THE MOST REV. DR. JAMES BUTLER'S

SHORT CATECHISM.

LESSON I.

ON GOD AND THE THREE DIVINE PERSONS.

Question. Who made the world?

Answer. God.

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Q. Who is God?

od, soul a: A. The Creator and sovereign Lord of heaven and tion, which arth, and of all things.

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ering of all A. There is but one God, who will reward the good, thy good wind punish the wicked.

Q. How many persons are there in God?

A. Three divine persons, really distinct, and equal all things.

of the Hel Q. How do you call the three divine persons?

vided Trining A. The Father, and the Son, and the Holy Ghost.

ul, and kind Q. Is the Father God?

-R. And the A. Yes; the Father is God, and the first person the blessed Trinity.

Q. Is the Son God?

A. Yes; the Son is God, and the second person of

s' instruct the blessed 'l'rinity.

r t, a love an Q. Is the Holy Ghost God? the thee, in the A. Yes; the Holy Ghost is God, and the third one God forson of the blessed Trinity.

Q. What means the blessed Trinity! A. One God in three divine persons.

th thee throug Q. Are the three divine persons three Gods?

glorious result A. No; they are only one God, having but one ners. O Jesus d the same divine nature; and they are from s perfect in thernity.

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