

he was when he saw them buying and selling and money-changing in God's house! He made a whip of small cords and drove the animals and the buyers and sellers and moneychangers all out of the temple. He upset the tables of the moneychangers and emptied their money bags on to the marble floor.

"You must not do these things in my Father's house," he said. Our Golden Text says: "My house shall be called a house of prayer."

The Jews were very angry. "What right have you to send all these men away? What sign will you show us so that we may know if you really are the great one that God promised to send?"

Jesus said, "Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up." This made the Jews more angry. "It has taken us forty-six years to build it up, and you say you will raise it up in three days. What nonsense!" they cried.

But Jesus was speaking about his body. He did rise from the dead on the third day, as you know, and then his disciples remembered what he had said, and they believed the scriptures and everything that Jesus had said.

Our Lesson teaches us that the church, which is God's house, is a holy place and that, when we go into it, we should be reverent in our manner and should seek to have our minds and hearts filled with the right kind of thoughts and feelings.

### Question on the Lessons

1. Tell about Jews' way of worshiping God.
2. What was the Passover feast?
3. What must the people provide themselves with?
4. Where were animals to be sold?
5. What did the moneychangers do?
6. Who appeared in the temple one day in the midst of it all?
7. How did Jesus treat those who bought and sold in the temple?
8. What did he do to the moneychangers?
9. What did he say about the temple?
10. What did the Jews ask Jesus?
11. What did Jesus say about destroying the temple?
12. What did he mean?
13. What is the Golden Text?

### Lesson Hymn

O happy souls that pray  
Where God appoints to hear!  
O happy men that pay  
Their constant service there!  
They praise Thee still;  
And happy they  
That love the way  
To Zion's hill. Amen.  
—Hymn 387, Book of Praise

### The Catechism

PRIMARY CATECHISM—9. What can God do? God can do all that he wishes to do.

### The Question on Missions

4. How is the gospel taught to the hospital patients? All the patients,—and their friends who are with them—hear the gospel preached in the chapel while waiting for treatment. In the wards, also, they are daily taught the Gospels and the catechism. Lantern views are shown, and they are taught to sing hymns and to pray.

### AFTER SUNDAY SCHOOL

How strange it seems to think of Jesus being angry! But there is one thing with which he is always angry, and that is sin. We



should be so careful to put sin far away from us, since it is so displeasing to the loving Jesus. Copy the drawing.

**I Have Learned To-day**  
THAT GOD'S HOUSE IS HOLY