

THE MOST REVEREND DR. BUTLER'S

CATECHISM.

LESSON I.

*On God, and the Creation of the world.*

*Question.* WHO made the world?

*Answer.* GOD.

Q. Who is God?

A. The Creator and sovereign Lord of Heaven and earth, and of all things.

Q. How many Gods are there?

A. There is but one God, who will reward the good and punish the wicked.

Q. Where is God?

A. God is everywhere, but he is said principally to be in Heaven, where he manifests himself to the blessed.

Q. What is Heaven?

A. The kingdom of God's glory, and of his angels and saints.

Q. If God be everywhere, why do we not see him?

A. Because God is a pure spirit, having no body, and therefore cannot be seen by corporal eyes.

Q. Does God see us?

A. He does, and continually watches over us.

Q. Does God know all things?

A. Yes; *all things are naked and open to his eyes*, even our most secret thoughts and actions.

*Heb. iv. 13.*

Q. Will God judge our most secret thoughts and actions?

A. Yes; *and every idle word that men shall*