

① What do you believe Exercise + Questions



# WHAT IS MEANT BY I BELIEVE ... In God?

## A Creed is what we as Christians:

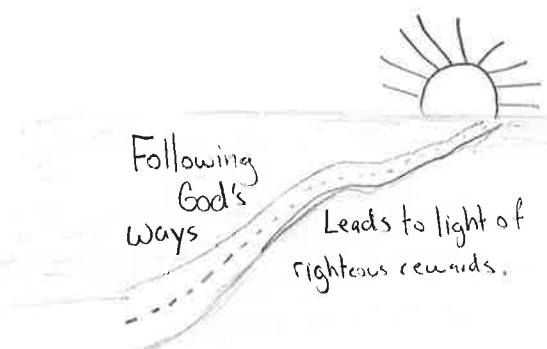


Look up the following verses. Summarize and draw an image of what they say about believing.

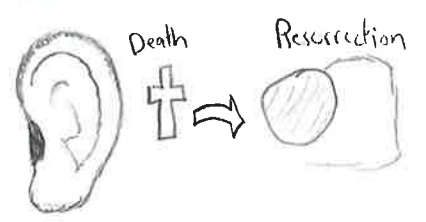
Psalm 31:9-14  
Even though my world is on fire - I will trust in God.



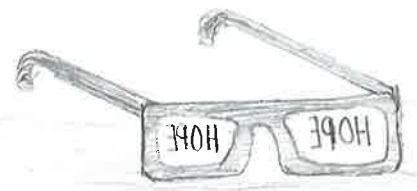
Psalm 37:5-6  
Commit everything you do to the Lord. Trust Him ... righteous reward shines like the dawn




Romans 10:17  
Hearing about Jesus brings about faith that we believe.



Hebrews 11:1  
Our hope is built on faith even though we can't see.



...because, if you **CONFESS** with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and **BELIEVE** in your heart  that God raised him **FROM THE DEAD**, you will be **SAVED**. ROMANS 10:9

What does this bible verse say about believing and confessing?

That if we believe + confess Jesus death + resurrection we will be saved!

What are the 3 Creeds we hold as Lutheran Christians?

Apostle's  
Mentioned in writings in 390  
Used in France & Germany in the 7th Century

Nicene  
Written in 325

Athanasian  
Probably written in the 5th Century in S. France

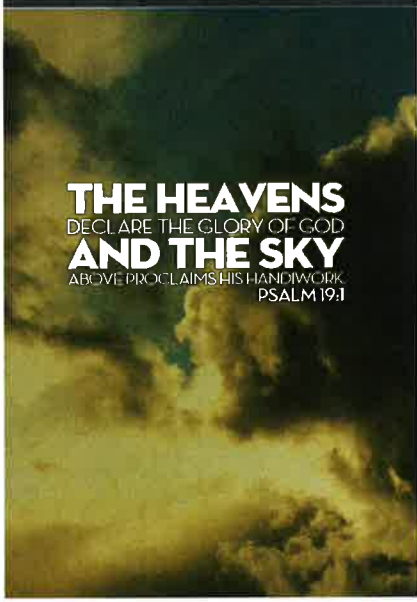
Which creed is used in Luther's Catechism? Apostle's

APOSTLE = One who is sent  
↳ These are the first teachers of the faith following Jesus' ascension  
↳ Jesus called and sent these teachers.

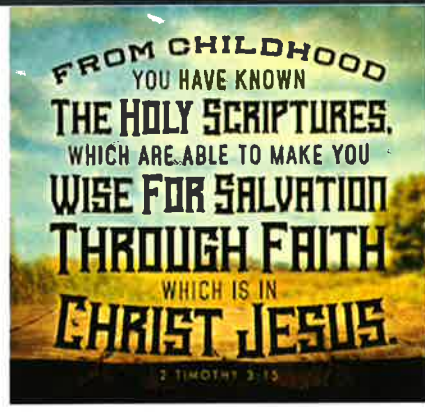


Why is it called the Apostle creed?  
It summarizes the teachings of Jesus that the apostles taught to the first believers.

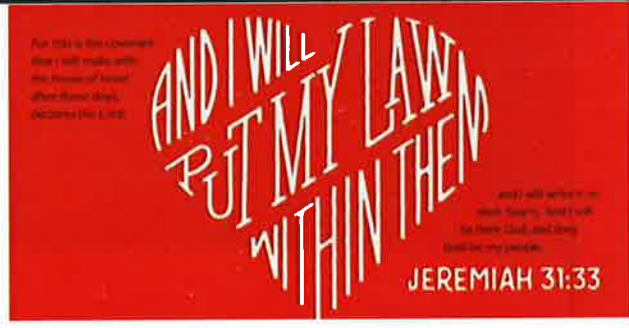
# How does God make Himself known ...



\* Through creation



\* Through the Bible  
You need to read your bible to actually gain insights to what God wants you to know.



\* Through our conscience  
God has written His truths on our hearts

# ... so that we can believe?