

## Confirmation Need-to-know Outline

### A. The Law, 10 Commandments, Sin, Scripture References.

1. Define sin.
2. What is meant by “original sin” ?
3. Who has sinned ?
4. Support that answer on the basis of Scripture (see Romans 3:23).
5. Tell us what sin’s payment would be ? (see Romans 6:23).
6. Where in Scripture do we find the 10 Commandments listed ?
7. Know ALL of the Commandments AND their meanings. Random selection at the examination.

### B. Creeds.

1. Name the 3 Ecumenical Creeds.
2. Explain what is meant by the word “creed.”
3. Tell us the 1<sup>st</sup> Article of the Apostle’s Creed.
4. Tell us the meaning of the 1<sup>st</sup> Article of the Apostle’s Creed.
5. Tell us the 2<sup>nd</sup> Article of the Apostle’s Creed.
6. Tell us the meaning of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Article of the Apostle’s Creed.
7. Tell us the 3<sup>rd</sup> Article of the Apostle’s Creed.
8. Tell us the meaning of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Article of the Apostle’s Creed.

(What is meant by the Trinity in Unity and the Unity in the Trinity ? – in other words, speak briefly to the fact of the 3 persons in the Godhead and cite Scripture references to support the 3 persons in the Godhead.)

### C. The Lord’s Prayer.

1. What is the introduction to the Lord’s Prayer ?
2. How many petitions are there ? How many deal with spiritual needs ? Physical needs ?
3. KNOW ALL THE PETITIONS AND THEIR MEANINGS.

### D. Holy Baptism.

1. What is baptism ?
2. Who is to be baptized ?
3. Why should we baptize infants ? (see Matthew 28:18-20).
4. Read Mark 16:16. What’s the reason for damnation ?
5. Also know: Acts 2:38, John 3:5-6, and 2 Cor. 5:17.

E. **The Office of the Keys (Confession/Absolution).**

1. What is the "Office of the Keys ?"
2. Who has the power of the Keys ?
3. Where in Scripture does Christ speak of this peculiar power? What does His Word say?
4. Know the Scripture verses that relate to this.

F. **The Lord's Supper.**

1. Give other names to this sacrament.
2. What is Holy Communion ?
3. Where in Scripture is this Sacrament taken up ?
4. What Old Testament celebration was connected to Holy Communion ?
5. Explain the Passover.
6. Recite the Words of Institution.
7. What is meant by transubstantiation ?
8. What is meant by the Real Presence ?
9. Who should not commune ?
10. Why should Christians commune (receive the Lord's Supper) often ?
11. What is meant by 'close' communion ?

KNOW ALL OF THE BIBLE VERSES THAT WERE ASSIGNED FOR MEMORY WORK.

KNOW THESE AND YOU WILL DO WELL !