

Sunday Date	Sermon Title and Deuteronomy Text	Sermon Task	Series Structure	To Be A Christian Catechism
8/30/2026	The Formation of Citizens Deuteronomy 1:1-8; 4:1-8 (Ps 1; Phil 3:17-4:1; Matt 5:13-16)	Introduce Christian citizenship as a received identity that requires lifelong process of formation. Moses is teaching the Israelites to inhabit their calling before the nations.	Introduction	Qs. 15-17, 92-99
9/6/2026	Allegiance to the One God Deuteronomy 6:1-9 (Ps 95:1-7; 1 Cor 8:4-6; Mark 12:28-34)	Present the Shema as Israel's confession of exclusive covenant loyalty to, and wholehearted love towards, God. This faith is continued and fulfilled in Christian monotheism as confessed in the creeds.	Allegiance (Apostles' Creed 1)	Qs. 18-24, 36-47
9/13/2026	Allegiance to the True Prophet Deuteronomy 18:15-22 (Ps 2; Heb 1:1-4; Jn 6:14-15, 35-40)	Show that Israel hoped for a prophet "like Moses", a hope that culminates in Jesus Christ, who is not merely another inspired servant, but "God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God".	Allegiance (Apostles' Creed 2)	Qs. 48-83
9/20/2026	Allegiance from the Heart Deuteronomy 10:12-22; 30:1-6 (Ps 51:10-17; Rom 2:25-29; Jn 3:1-8)	Speak about the spiritual power that allows us to give our allegiance. This is the "circumcision of the heart" that is ultimately performed by the Spirit causing personal transformation and the creation of the new community of the church.	Allegiance (Apostles' Creed 3)	Qs. 84-91

9/27/2026	Imagining Freedom Deuteronomy 7:6-11; 8:1-10 (Ps 105:37-45; Gal 5:1, 13-15; Jn 8:31-36)	Redefine the meaning of freedom by rehearsing the story of exodus to show that freedom is not autonomy but obedience to God as Lord and service to one another in God. The Lord's Prayer helps us to imagine this freedom as the life of children who live in dependence upon the Father.	Imagination (Lord's Prayer 1)	Qs. 165-171; 188-192
10/4/2026	Imagining the Kingdom Deuteronomy 12:1-14 (Ps 72; Heb 12:18-29; Matt 6:9-13)	Teach how the kingdom is imagined and embodied through worship. Israel must remove rival cults and gather to worship in the place and way of God's choosing, and the Lord's Prayer orders our hearts around God's kingdom and will.	Imagination (Lord's Prayer 2)	Qs. 172-187
10/11/2026	Imagining Mercy Deuteronomy 9:6-21; 10:1-11 (Ps 103:8-18; 1 Tim 1:12-17; Luke 18:9-14)	Form the moral imagination around divine mercy in response to rebellion. Like Israel, we are not saved because of our righteousness. Living in prayerful awareness of God's mercy toward us makes us merciful toward others.	Imagination (Lord's Prayer 3)	Qs. 193-201
10/18/2026	A Culture of Worship Deuteronomy 5:1-10 (Ps 115; Rom 1:18-25; Matt 4:1-11)	Introduce the Ten Commandments as the gracious commands of the God who has already saved his people. The first two commandments center the <i>cultus</i> of our culture: exclusive worship that refuses to seek to manage or domesticate God.	Culture (Ten Comm. 1)	Qs. 256-282
10/25/2026	A Culture of Reverence and Rest Deuteronomy 5:11-15 (Ps 92; Heb 4:1-11; Mark 2:23-3:6)	Show how citizens of God's kingdom bear his name and consecrate time. The third and fourth commandments create a culture of reverence that recognizes human dignity and a	Culture (Ten Comm. 2)	Qs. 283-299

		culture of rest that accepts human limitations.		
11/01/2026 All Saints' Day	A Culture of Remembrance (Baptism) Deuteronomy 6:20-25; 26:1-11 (Ps 78:1-7; Rom 6:3-11; Matt 28:16-20)	Place remembrance at the heart of Christian culture. Deuteronomy teaches each generation to tell and rehearse the story of deliverance. In Baptism we rehearse the Christian exodus in a way that is both personal and corporate, keeping alive the identity we have received in Christ.	Culture (Baptism)	Qs. 121-130; 137-138
11/08/2026	A Culture of Holiness Deuteronomy 14:1-2; 22:1-12; 26:16-19 (Ps 15; 1 Peter 1:13-21; Jn 17:14-19)	Present holiness as our belonging to the invisible God in a way that is made visible in our ordinary lives—in our care for neighbors, our sexed embodiment, our stewardship of creation, household safety, and more.	Culture (Ten Comm. 3)	Qs. 357-368
11/15/2026	A Culture of Responsibility Deuteronomy 5:16-21; 24:10-22 (Ps 112; Rom 13:8-14; Luke 10:25-37)	Sum up the second table of the Ten Commandments (5-10) as the positive calling to seek the good of our neighbors. Citizens of God's kingdom assume responsibility especially to do justly and to care for the vulnerable.	Culture (Ten Comm. 4)	Qs. 300-356
11/22/2026 Christ the King	The Kingdom of Life Deuteronomy 30:11-20 (Ps 16; Col 1:11-20; Luke 23:33-43)	Conclude by identifying kingdom citizenship as a choice for a life of allegiance, imagination, and culture oriented around the person and work of our King Jesus Christ.	Conclusion	N/A