

Created to be...whole

Week 1 (September 9th)

Key verse(s): “The young man said to him, ‘All these I have kept. What do I still lack?’ Jesus said to him, ‘If you would be perfect, go, sell what you possess and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow me.’”- Matthew 19:20-21

The world around us:

What does the world say about being a complete person and having your life together? What do you need to have or to do?

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.
- 6.

Out of these, which are good? which are not so good? Is there a mix of both in some of them?

What's in the Word?

The Rich Young Man- Matthew 19:16-22

What kind of a person was this man?

Would you say he had his life together?

What was the fatal flaw in his life that made him incomplete?

The Good Samaritan- Luke 10:25-37

How did this man's life fall apart as he was travelling?

Who saw him along the road afterward?

Who eventually helped him and why was it peculiar?

What did it take for the man's life to be put back together?

The Woman with the issue of blood- Luke 8:43-48

Why was this woman's life so messed up?

What did she decide to do to help herself?

How was she made whole again, in more ways than one?

Look in your catechism:

Turn to the 5th Commandment and read it along with the explanation

What are the various ways in which we can sinfully tear each other apart?

Instead of tearing each other down, what should we do instead for our neighbor? For body and soul?

Turn to the Table of Duties and read the sections entitled "To children," "To youth," and "To everyone."

How does the 5th commandment and its meaning fit in to the explanations given? How is this talking about us being made whole and making sure others are too?

Homework:

Complete this entire worksheet, even if we do not get to it in class.

Next week, bring in an example of someone who is living a wholesome Christian life. Write 3 sentences about them.

Closing Prayer:

Please pray for: Your teachers and your parents