

**Catechism Markings #12**  
**Sacrament of the Altar (Due December 3, 2015)**

**Session # 8 – Reading pp. 241-245**

Memory: p. 241 who receives this Sacrament worthily? ; P.242 -2 Cor. 13:5

Challenge Memory: p. 243 – I Cor. 10:20-21

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Why is self-examination necessary before receiving the Lord's Supper?

The person who receives the Lord's Supper wrongly brings judgment upon him/herself

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Four (4) Parts of examining ourselves for the Lord's Supper:

- Do we:
1. REPENT of our sins
  2. BELIEVE in Jesus as our Savior
  3. BELIEVE Jesus' Words in the Sacrament (that it IS His body and blood for our forgiveness)
  4. PLAN TO AMEND our sinful lives with the help of the Holy Spirit.

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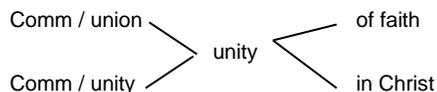
The Lord's Supper is denied to:

1. Those who do not repent (the ungodly)
2. Those who are unforgiving
3. Those not able to examine themselves (children, uninstructed, unconscious)
4. Those of a different faith

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We practice "Close" (or "Closed") Communion because:

1. Those not correctly instructed or not correctly understanding may commune to their damnation
2. Communion shows the unity of faith we share



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At Confirmation we:

1. Remember and reaffirm our Baptism
2. Publicly confess our faith in Christ
3. Are received into "communicant" membership in the church

The Four (4) "Solas" of our faith

We are saved:

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| 1. Sola Gratia    | (By Grace Alone)      |
| 2. Sola Fide      | (By Faith Alone)      |
| 3. Sola Scriptura | (By Scriptures Alone) |
| 4. Sola Christi   | (By Christ Alone)     |

"Sola" means "alone"

## Vocabulary

1. **Assent** - to speak a personal faith with conviction
2. **Creed** - A personal statement of what one believes!
3. **Heaven<sub>1</sub>** - The place where God dwells, is eternal and like God is not created.
4. **Heaven - Heavens<sub>2</sub>** The universe, the sky, places that were created, and will end on the last day.
5. **Justification** - The process by which unholy people are made holy apart from themselves. It is God's work alone, man has no part in this process.