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Questions That Matter

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Opening Prayer – ML Morning Prayer

I thank you, my Heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that you have kept me this night from all harm and danger; and I pray that you would keep me this day also from sin and every evil, that all my doings of life may please You. For into Your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your Holy angel be with me that the evil foe may have no power over me.

Amen.

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Opening Hymn – 953 We All Believe in One True God

1 We all believe in one true God,
Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
Ever-present help in need,
Praised by all the heav'nly host;
All He made His love enfolds,
All creation He upholds.

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2 We all believe in Jesus Christ,
Son of God and Mary's son,
Who descended from His throne
And for us salvation won;
By whose cross and death are we
Rescued from all misery.

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3 We all confess the Holy Ghost,
Who from both in truth proceeds,
Who sustains and comforts us
In all trials, fears, and needs.
Blessèd, holy Trinity,
Praise forever be to Thee!

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Who is God?

- **Hindu – one being of oneness**
- **New Age – humans are god's**
- **Buddhist – striving for spiritual enlightenment**
- **Islam – one god, Allah**
- **Christianity – one God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.**

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Who is God?

- One or many? 1st Commandment stuff. One **true** God, many **false** gods.
- What is the greatest mystery of the Christian faith?
- Deuteronomy 6:4
- Matthew 28:19

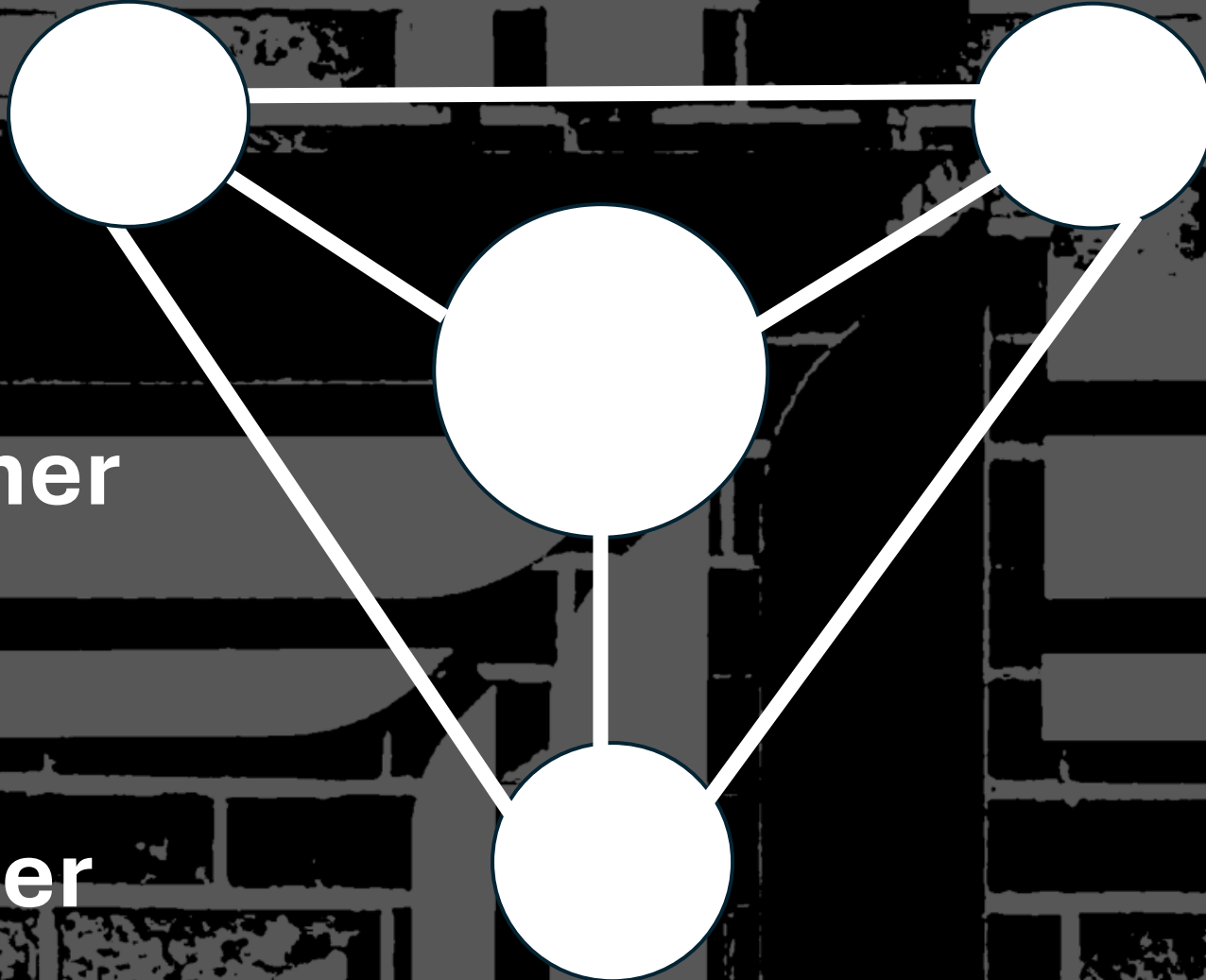
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Who is God?

- **Creator**

- **Redeemer**

- **Sanctifier**



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Who is Jesus?

- Some of the answers you may get to this question may sound like...*a good man, Mary's son, a good teacher, that guy that was killed on a cross...*
- John 1:1-17
- The incarnate son of God – Luke 2:31-37
- The 2 natures of Jesus – 100% God – 100% man

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Who is Jesus?

The 2 natures of Jesus

- **John 20:24-28**
- **Romans 9:4-5**
- **1 John 5:19-20**
- **Colossians 2:9**
- **Hebrews 13:7-8**
- **Matthew 28:18-20**
- **1 Timothy 2:5**
- **Luke 24:39**
- **Hebrews 4:14-16**