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Catechism:

6. Are there more gods than one?
No. There is only one God.
(Deuteronomy 6:4; Jeremiah 10:10; Mark 12:29; Acts 17:22-31)

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Catechism:

25. What was the sin of our first parents (Adam and Eve)?
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(Genesis 2:16, 17; 3:6)

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Catechism:

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The first commandment is, "You shall have no other gods before me." (Exodus 20:3; Deuteronomy 5:7)

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To worship God only.
(Isaiah 45:5, 6; Matthew 4:10; Revelation 22:8, 9)

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Man's chief end is to glorify God, and to enjoy Him forever.
(Psalm 73:25-28; Romans 11:36; 1 Corinthians 10:31)

2. What rule has God given to direct us how we may glorify and enjoy Him?
The word of God, namely the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments, is the only rule to direct us how we may glorify and enjoy Him.
(Luke 16:29, 31; Galatians 1:8-9; Ephesians 2:20; 2 Timothy 3:15-16; 1 John 1:3-4)

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Catechism:
60. What is the fourth commandment?
The fourth commandment is, "Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. Six days you shall labor and do all your work, but the seventh day is the Sabbath of the Lord your God. In it you shall do no work: you, nor your son, nor your daughter, nor your male servant, nor your female servant, nor your cattle, nor your stranger who is within your gates. For in six days the Lord made the heavens and the earth, the sea and all that is in them, and rested the seventh day. Therefore, the Lord blessed the Sabbath day and hallowed it."
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61. What is required in the fourth commandment?
The fourth commandment requires the keeping holy to God such set times as He has appointed in His word; expressly one whole day in seven is to be a holy Sabbath to Himself.
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Catechism:

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That I am not my own, but belong—body and soul, in life in death—to my faithful Savior Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with His precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven; in fact, all things must work together for my salvation. Because I belong to Him, Christ, by His holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me whole-heartedly willing and ready from now on to live for Him.
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