

SERMON SUMMARY FORM
St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church – Topeka, KS
LUTHERAN CATECHESIS (YOUTH)

Student's Name _____

Summaries are to be turned in on the next Sunday morning following the sermon. Turn them in to the receptacle in the Sunday School class area (or to the instructor on Wednesday night at class).

- Summaries turned in 1-7 days late, without valid excuse noted on the form, will receive only half credit toward the required 12.
- Summaries that are turned in later than two weeks will not be accepted.

Please answer every question (a - d and 1. - 5.)

- You are encouraged to take notes on one form during the sermon as you attend worship
- Sermons can be listened to again (if needed) on the church's website **www.stjohnlcmstopeka.org**
- The final version you turn in should be written neatly and in complete sentences on a fresh form
- If a computer is used, please retype each of the questions as they appear on this form

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a) Preacher _____ **b) Date of Sermon** _____

c) Church Year Day (see top of bulletin) _____

d) Sermon Text (announced at the beginning of the sermon) _____

1. List some statements of God's LAW from the sermon. (For example, what did God's Word tell you to do in this sermon? What sins did this sermon make you think about? How did this sermon show you that you need a Savior from sin?)

2. List some statements of GOSPEL from the sermon. (For example, what good news did you hear in this sermon? What specific things did this sermon say about what Jesus has done for you?)

3. What did the pastor say about how God's gifts (forgiveness, life, salvation, mercy, and grace, etc.) come to you in His Word, in Holy Baptism, in Holy Communion, or in Holy Absolution? These are called the Means of Grace.

4. Summarize the whole sermon in one to three sentences (key thoughts). (If this is too difficult, list a few of the main themes or thoughts of the sermon.)

5. Write one question (or one memorable thing) you have about this sermon.