

Catechesis II - Sermon Summary Form

Name: _____ Name of Pastor preaching: _____

1. Which Sunday of the Church year is it (e.g., *Trinity 21*)? If you heard this sermon during a midweek service, please indicate that as well (e.g., Wednesday Vespers for the week of *Gaudete*).

2. In the space provided below, please list the readings (or reading) used in the service and place a checkmark next to the text(s) upon which the sermon was based:

Old Testament: _____

Epistle: _____

Gospel: _____

3. What was the main point of the sermon? Please write a complete sentence.

4. What specific doctrines did you hear Pastor teach about based on the biblical text? (e.g., the doctrine of the resurrection, the holy Christian Church, etc.).

5. In what specific ways did you hear Pastor preach the Law based on the biblical text? For example, did he preach your need for repentance and forgiveness? Your need for deliverance or redemption? Your need for healing, restoration, or reconciliation? Please indicate everything that applies using complete sentences.

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6. Did you hear Pastor refute any false teaching? If so, please indicate with complete sentences what false teaching he refuted in the space below, and briefly explain in your own words why it matters to the Christian faith and life. If you didn't hear Pastor didn't refute any false teaching, please write "N/A."

7. Did you hear Pastor encourage or urge the congregation to pious Christian living and actions? If so, please briefly describe what you heard in the space below and explain why it matters. If you didn't hear Pastor do this, please write "N/A."

8. What comfort of the Gospel did you hear Pastor preach based on the biblical text? For example, did you hear him preach the forgiveness of sins, Christ's vicarious atonement, the resurrection from the dead, healing of diseases, etc.? Please use complete sentences.

9. Did you hear Pastor refer to or explain any of the Sacraments? Please indicate these in the space below.

10. Finally, after listening to the sermon, do you have any questions you'd like Pastor to answer? Is there anything you heard that wasn't clear or that you'd like to learn more about?

(When finished, please return this form to Pastor so that he can give comments and feedback.)