

Chapter 1 Test: God Creates, Orders, and Adorns

Name: _____

Part 1: Circle the best answer.

1. What are the three ways God works in creation?
a. participates, worships, adores b. creates, participates, adorns **c. creates, orders, adorns**
2. Something's _____ determines what it is and how it will act.
a. nature b. reverence c. justice
3. Which virtues that lead to human flourishing can we acquire through repeated action?
a. supernatural b. theological **c. human moral**
4. Strong love due to God alone is called what?
a. reverence **b. adoration** c. virtue
5. The respect and honor shown for people or things because of their dignity is called what?
a. reverence b. adoration c. virtue
6. The act of giving adoration and reverence is called what?
a. supernatural end b. nature **c. worship**
7. Our _____ is communion with God in Heaven.
a. natural end **b. supernatural end** c. human moral virtue
8. Since our supernatural end is beyond what we can do, God gives us grace and _____.
a. worship **b. supernatural virtues** c. punishment

Part 2: Write "T" if the statement is completely true. Write "F" if it is even partly false.

- T** 1. God created us in His image so that we can participate in His work.
- F** 2. Even though God has given us everything, it is unjust that we should give Him everything in return.

Chapter 1 Reflection Questions

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Lesson 1: How do God's works in creation show you His loving goodness?

Answers may include that by creating, ordering, and adorning, God provides a beautiful and orderly creation for me.

Lesson 2: For what purpose did God create us?

God created us to be in supernatural communion with Him by sharing in His love. God also created us to be in communion with and to love one another.

Lesson 3: Because of Original Sin, human persons have a fallen human nature. Why are grace and the supernatural virtues necessary for us?

Answers may include that without grace, we turn away from the good that God intends for us. With grace, we can overcome the effects of Original Sin. The supernatural virtues enable us to reach our supernatural end, union with God in Heaven.

Lesson 4: God freely created everything out of His perfect love and goodness. The proper response to God's work of creation and salvation is to worship Him. Why do we need faith, hope, and charity to worship God as we should?

Answers may include that the more we believe in God (faith), trust Him (hope), and love Him (charity), the more we are able to respond with loving goodness. Because our human nature is wounded and limited, we need God to give us the theological virtues to enable us to believe, trust, and love Him.