**06. I BELIEVE IN JESUS CHIRST, HIS ONLY SON, OUR LORD**

* When I have met God as a Father? (Do I have the experience of God as a Father?) SHARING
* HOW CAN GOD TALK/COMUNICATE TO US? How can we seek/see his face if we never heard about him? “How then shall they call on Him in whom they have not believed? And how shall they believe in Him of whom they have not heard? And how shall they hear without a preacher?” Romans 10,15  **(thirsty-water, hungry-food…)**
* How can we know that God is the Father? **We have seen Christ his Son.** Christ Himself has revealed to us the Father- Abba!
* We HAVE TASTED (Tested) the SON! But **HOW DOES TASTE WORK?**
* SCIENTIFIC POINT OF VIEW
* PROVERBS
* Bible verses of taste: Let’s TASTE THE CREED: (Joe’s sharing)
* I BELIEVE IN JESUS CHRIST, HIS **ONLY SON**, OUR LORD…
* His only Son is the proclamation of the fatherhood of God. No one can be a father/mother if he/she does not have children

***8****Philip said, “Lord, show us the Father and that will be enough for us.”*

***9****Jesus answered: “Don’t you know me, Philip, even after I have been among you such a long time? Anyone who has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, ‘Show us the Father’?****10****Don’t you believe that I am in the Father, and that the Father is in me? The words I say to you I do not speak on my own authority. Rather, it is the Father, living in me, who is doing his work.****11****Believe me when I say that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; or at least believe on the evidence of the works themselves.****12****Very truly I tell you, whoever believes in me will do the works I have been doing, and they will do even greater things than these, because I am going to the Father.****13****And I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son.****14****You may ask me for anything in my name, and I will do it.*

* The movement of the Trinity: God the Father loves the Son and gives to him everything is His. **(heritage/gift)**
* The Son, known/feeling loved by the Father loves the Father. The Father generates the Son and the Son answers to the Father obeying Him: listening to Him (shema/isma)
* **Only/BISS**/unique. Why? There are not other children except Jesus. And us? Through Jesus we are called to be PART OF CHRIST! = we are **ADOPTED** children of the Father.
* **We cannot stand in front of Jesus but IN JESUS**: we proclaim in the liturgy:

Through him, and with him, and in him, O God, almighty Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honour is yours, forever and ever. Amen.

* [**Galatians:2,20**](https://biblehub.com/galatians/2-20.htm)  
  I am crucified with Christ: nevertheless I live; yet not I, but Christ lives in me: and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by the faith of the Son of God, who loved me, and gave himself for me.
* I am called to live in Christ. With the baptism we enter in Christ dying to our old man/woman and becoming one with Christ. [**Colossians 3:3**](https://biblehub.com/colossians/3-3.htm)  
  for ye are dead and your life is hid with Christ in God.
* **OUR LORD:** kyrios was e greek word which meant Lord ≠ dictator/anarch (tirann). Where is the difference? In the relation. The dictator is possessive/control. The Lord takes care of those who are in his service.
* Who is the Lord? The One to whom I re-give my life/everything/(body, mind=thoughts, spirit). Is the One for whom I can say I am His and He is mine.
* **Our.** In the Creed we start saying: I believe and only here we say Our Lord. Only in Jesus we become one
* In the Trinity we enter through the relation in Jesus. This relation with Jesus makes us enter in the life of heaven. **Jesus Christ is the only way to go to the Father.** There are no other ways.
* **Why is necessary for my happiness to believe this? Why is necessary to believe that Jesus is the only Son?** Because he who has seen the Father will introduce me to the Father. What has Jesus seen in the Father? That the father is Love/caring/ is good/forgiveness/correction/
* **Why the fact that he is the only son is so necessary for my happiness?** Because I want never be happy if I will try to be son by myself/my will/my good deeds. **I don’t have the power to be by myself**. I am always dependent to someone or to something (to a Lord or to a dictator).
* Why my happiness is necessary to God? Because if there is a God ready to give his life for me, it means that I have chosen the right way.
* This article of Creed destroys my self-sufficiency. (I KNOW, I DO, I CAN, I, I,
* 1 Cor 3, 21: everything is yours! You belong to God! “this is my body given for you. Our. This is more unique than rare. The only word when we have a real possessive. I belong to the Lord.

**Training**

1. READ ALL THE GOSPEL OF LUKE

- Who is Jesus?

- Identify yourself with one or more people (apostles, sick, scribes etc) in the Gospel

What did Jesus do for you?