# Lesson 15: Confessing Our Triune God

## Memory work

### 24. Q. How are these articles divided?

*A. Into three parts:*

*the first is about God the Father and our creation;*

*the second about God the Son and our redemption;*

*the third about God the Holy Spirit and our sanctification.*

## 25. Q. Since there is only one God, why do you speak of three persons, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit?

*A. Because God has so revealed Himself in His Word*

*that these three distinct persons are the one, true, eternal God.*

## Homework

Look up Belgic Confession article 9, read it, then do the following questions.

(You can find it online here: <https://canrc.org/the-belgic-confession#article-9>)

1.(2) How is it clear from Genesis 1:26&27 and Genesis 3:22 there are more than one Person in God?

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2.(2) Which two texts from Matthew tell us there are three Persons in the Trinity?

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3.(2) Which two other texts are quoted to prove this?

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4.(1) Complete: The doctrine of the Trinity has been maintained and preserved in the true church over

against \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

5.(3) A number of false teachers are mentioned by name. Do some research and answer these questions:

a. What did Marcion teach in regard to God? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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b. What did Arius believe concerning Jesus? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

The teaching of Arius is still around today. Name two religions and/or sects that teach it.

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