

## The Heidelberg Catechism

### **53. What do you believe concerning the “Holy Spirit?”**

First, that He is co-eternal God with the Father and the Son.<sup>1</sup> Second, that He is also given unto me:<sup>2</sup> by true faith makes me a partaker of Christ and all His benefits,<sup>3</sup> comforts me,<sup>4</sup> and shall abide with me forever.<sup>5</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Gen 1:1-2; Isa 48:16; Mt 28:19; Acts 5:3-4; 1 Cor 3:16, 6:19; <sup>2</sup> 1 Cor 6:19; 2 Cor 1:21-22; Gal 4:6; Eph 1:13; <sup>3</sup> 1 Cor 6:17; Gal 3:14; 1 Pt 1:2; <sup>4</sup> Jn 15:26; Acts 9:31; <sup>5</sup> Jn 14:16-17; Rom 15:13; 1 Pt 4:14; 1 Jn 4:13