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Questions

1. What is Paedobaptism?
2. What is Credobaptism?
3. What is the Dual Acceptance view of baptism?
4. What is the Roman Catholic view of the Eucharist?
5. What is the Memorialist view concerning the Eucharist?

Answers

1. Paedobaptism is the practice of baptizing infants and children.
2. Credobaptism is the practice of baptizing those who have made a confession of faith in Jesus Christ.
3. Dual Acceptance of baptism accepts the one who comes to faith later in life who holds to their infant baptism as sufficient. They baptize people after they express their belief in Christ when there was no infant baptism.
4. The Roman Catholic view of the Eucharist is that only those who are part of the Catholic church may partake. They believe that the bread and wine actually transforms in the body and blood of Christ.
5. The Memorialist view of the Eucharist is simply a commemoration of Christ's death in which the believers remember what Jesus did for them on the cross.

Terms – Webster's dictionary

1. eucharist – a Christian sacrament in which consecrated bread and wine are consumed as memorials of Christ's death or as symbols for the realization of a spiritual union between Christ and the communicant or as the body and blood of Christ.
2. transubstantiation – the miraculous change by which according to Roman Catholic and Eastern Orthodox dogma the eucharistic elements at their consecration become the body and blood of Christ while keeping only the appearance of bread and wine.
3. consubstantiation – the actual substantial presence and combination of the body and blood of Christ with the eucharistic bread and wine according to a teaching associated with Martin Luther.

Summary – In this final reading, Bird discusses the subjects of the Eucharist and Baptism. While the Eucharist may be practiced in many various ways throughout the many denominations, everyone agrees that it is something the Jesus told us to do. Baptism also has many various

practices but all acknowledge that this is from Christ. It is important to remember that these are secondary issues and that grace and love is necessary in the treatment of one another with differing viewpoints.