

Series Guide for Kids Have Questions with Pr. Jonathan Conner

The Church welcomes questions. We have good answers!

2014. Kids Have Questions, Part 1 (July 21, 2023)

2:58 - In the new earth if someone were to somehow sin would we have to start the whole thing over again?

8:29 - Will we remember our lives or what earth was like after the resurrection?

18:44 - When the end happens, what will happen to the world? Will people ever live here again?

25:42 - To get to heaven, do you have to be baptized?

30:43 - Will people in hell get another chance?

37:06 - Will my dead pets be in heaven?

39:17 - What pastoral advice can you give parents when they don't have an answer to their childrens' questions?

2083. Kids Have Questions, Part 2 (July 27, 2023)

2:00 - Review of previous questions about pets in heaven.

7:39 - The Bible says there's no sadness in heaven. What if you can see your family members on earth? How can you not be sad then?

18:58 - Will everyone be equal in heaven or will some be higher up than others?

27:37 - When the resurrection comes what age will we be when we enter the new earth?

29:57 - Will there be little kids on the new earth?

35:58 - What will we do in heaven? I understand that we will continue to worship God. Also, will we be able to look down to the earth?

44:15 - In a family if mom believes in Jesus and Dad doesn't, then when they die, will they ever get to see each other again?

2223. Kids Have Questions, Part 3 (August 10, 2023)

4:12 - Have you ever baptized a baby in the hospital? If so, what was it like? What would occasion something like that?

15:27 - If a newborn baby dies (apart from baptism), will they be saved? How does that work?

19:03 - If a woman has a miscarriage or has an abortion, is that baby alive enough to be saved? If so, how would a family know their child was saved?

28:41 - During times I feel like I'm struggling to stay connected to God. How will I know I will be saved?

40:28 - How do we know God cares for us? For all we know the Bible could be an old folklore. How do we know He exists?

[Can We Trust the Gospels](#) - Peter Williams

Craig Evans and Richard Bauckham are other authors to read about Biblical Scholarship

2293. Kids Have Questions, Part 4 (August 17, 2023)

1:23 - When you have a bad day, what do you do?

12:43 - If someone is feeling depressed, anxious, angry, and confused, what bible passages will help boost their morale and strengthen their belief in God. What passages are good for strengthening your belief in general?

[Atomic Habits](#) - James Clear

[You Are What you Love](#) - James Smith

23:16 - What are some ways to relieve pain and stress?

31:55 - What is the percentage of people that deal with stress?

[Finding Freedom from Anxiety](#) - William Backus

[Telling Yourself the Truth](#) - William Backus

[The Quest for Peace in the War Against Anxiety](#)

40:07 - How do we have bad things - cancers, natural disasters, what is considered the Devil's work, etcetera - if God is stronger than Satan?

46:51 - Why does God keep letting his people suffer? Why doesn't he come back?

[The Problem of Pain](#) - C.S. Lewis

2372. Kids Have Questions, Part 5 (August 25, 2023)

2:48 - Me and my dad have been fighting recently. He's been really uptight and strict with only me. I didn't react as good and I need to apologize. This will probably happen again unfortunately. So can you help me find the best way to apologize? Thank you.

[Screen Strong](#)

[The Quest for Peace in the War Against Anxiety](#)

20:31 - Because my brother is having problems he's really acting up at home to the point where my mom was in tears. What can I do to keep calm, my siblings calm, and help my mom without lashing out at my brother? I'm lost when it comes to this.

34:50 - A lot of girls in my class say "oh my f---ing God" as everyday language. How can I help and why do you think they are saying this?

47:44 - There are many girls in my class who dislike me and talk about me behind my back. How do I handle that situation?

The Collapse of Parenting - Leonard Sax

2442. Kids Have Questions, Part 6 (September 1, 2023)

1:48 - What is the church's definition of love and a human definition of love?

9:42 - What do we do when someone is insulting your faith?

18:32 - How do I encourage my parents to bring me to church every Sunday morning?

31:00 - When my grandma was dying and sick I kind of wanted it to be over because waiting and seeing her like that hurt every day. I also wanted her to be papa and I didn't want her to hurt anymore. Does this make me a bad person? I felt guilty about it after she passed.

35:37 - When death is inevitably coming, how do we deal with grief in a godly manner?

39:32 - When people die from old age, what is that saying? I feel like something has to be wrong with them.

2512. Kids Have Questions, Part 7 (September 8, 2023)

1:13 - I'm scared to go to heaven.

7:57 - How do you handle standing by people's bedsides while they die?

22:15 - Is there any prayer made for when you're about to die or do you pray any prayer?

28:09 - What does God think about suicide?

34:45 - What is bi?

[Your Life on Screens: Understanding the Seen & Unseen and What You Must Do About It](#)

[The Abolition of Man](#) - C.S. Lewis

[Out of a Far Country](#) - Christopher Yuan

2583, Kids Have Questions, Part 8 (September 15, 2023)

1:53 - Is loving or being with the same gender committing adultery?

[What Does the Bible Really Teach About Homosexuality](#) - Kevin DeYoung

[The Bible and Homosexual Practice](#) - Robert Gagnon

[Out of a Far Country](#) - Christopher Yuan

[Rescuing Identity From Sexuality](#) (Pastor Conner's Blog)

[What is Marriage? Man and Woman. A Defense](#) - Co-authored by Ryan T. Anderson, Sherif Gergis, & Robert P. George

10:47 - In the Guinness book of World Records it says two males had a child. How do they say that that is true? Do you think that because our culture is falling apart the new earth is coming soon? Our old neighbors had a child. She said she had three moms. How does that work? My friend said there is a transgender person in the neighbors house. What are furries exactly?

[Do Sincerely Held Beliefs Determine Reality](#)

25:38 - Can you be gay and seriously consider yourself a Christian?

35:31 - What happens to the church after a pastor passes away?

2652. Kids Have Questions, Part 9 (September 22, 2023)

1:10 - My mom said that making the sign of the cross, the trinitarian invocation, is just a Catholic thing. Now we do it. Why is that since that is not tradition?

5:08 - How long should a good prayer be?

7:28 - What will happen if I can't really find time to pray or have nothing to pray about?

15:21 - Why can't girls be Lutheran pastors?

25:14 - Did you have to go to college to be a pastor?

30:24 - Why do we fold our hands when praying? Do we have to close our eyes?

2704. Kids Have Questions, Part 10 (September 27, 2023)

1:09 - Does science and Christianity cross? Like is there science involved in making of people and the earth, etcetera?

16:13 - If Adam and Eve are depicted as white, how do we have black people?

[The Institute for Creation Research](#)

[Genesis Apologetics](#)

21:36 - Does everyone have a guardian angel?

25:21 - How come we are so attracted to sin?

2792. Kids Have Questions, Part 11 (October 6, 2023)

1:09 - What does God do all day?

16:07 - Personally I don't believe in aliens but is there anything mentioned in the bible about other life forms or even how God created other life forms or the universe?

26:11 - Does God like us to have sports team that we like because he may be afraid of people honoring that sports team instead of him?

35:57 - Do kids know that they're rotting their brains when they're using their phones?

[Aliens: Extraterrestrial Visitors Or Extradimensional Intruders?](#)

[ScreenStrong](#)

[Your Life on Screens: Understanding the Seen & Unseen and What You Must Do About It](#)

[Pastor Conner's Blog](#)

[The Social Dilemma](#)

2861. Kids Have Questions, Part 12 (October 13, 2023)

2:47 - Can angels be touched?

11:14 - Do you think God is in one of the galaxies or in heaven above the galaxies?

19:53 - In heaven do people age?

28:42 - Will there be instruments on the new earth?

34:12 - How will God reward those who are most faithful?

44:00 - Will you go to hell if in a shooting or something like that you defend yourself instead of giving your life for others and the attacker died?

49:33 - Do you think that people actually go to hell and have people gone there already that we know of?

2931. Kids Have Questions, Part 13 (October 20, 2023)

2:27 - So if we don't need to do anything to deserve heaven, then purgatory must be wrong, right?

7:25 - If a Christian got Old Timer's (Alzheimer's) a week before they died, would they be saved?

16:17 - Why do some scientists not believe in God?

28:43 - If we have a test question that asks about science, the way the earth was made, how should we answer it?

33:01 - Do some people believe that God created the earth but there's evolution?

3002. Kids Have Questions, Part 14 (October 27, 2024)

2:33 - Is there life in other universes? Could God tell us if there was? Would he tell us?

17:43 - Why do furies exist?

[Reality's Edges and God's Good Words That Lovingly Define Them](#)

32:15 - If two people of the same gender liked each other but still believed in God what would God do?

[Out of a Far Country](#) and [Holy Sexuality and the Gospel](#) by Christopher Yuan

45:00 - Was anybody in Jesus' time gay?

52:24 - If a person is homosexual and they believe in God and confess Jesus, will they be saved?

3141. Kids Have Questions, Part 15 (November 10, 2023)

2:34 - So how are we supposed to react when people say that there are more than two genders?

[Reality's Edges and God's Good Words That Lovingly Define Them](#)

14:07 - Is listening to bad music a sin?

23:53 - If your parents tell you to do something that will harm you or others, are you still supposed to listen to them?

37:00 - If I ask God for a victory in sports and I lose, is it not my time?

48:35 - Before a volleyball game our team all hold hands and a bossy girl leads the prayer which is not a well put together prayer. During the prayer the other girls are being inappropriate, cussing, etcetera. What should I do? Should I not be involved?

3255. Kids Have Questions, Part 16 (November 21, 2023)

2:48 - What do you mean by, "You don't own your body"? I know God made it, but I'm just confused.

Love Thy Body - Nancy Pearcey

11:47 - If there is no God, we can't have right or wrong, good or evil, correct?

A Modest Proposal - Jonathan Swift

24:27 - How was the devil created? Was sin always there just like God was or did God create it when he made good and bad?

34:07 - What are the best ways to get your mind in the Christian mode?

You are What You Love - James Smith

Atomic Habits - James Clear

44:19 - In 1 Corinthians 1:23-25 the text says that we preach folly to the Gentiles but I thought we were supposed to teach what is true. That is what I always understood.

3422. Kids Have Questions, Part 17 (December 8, 2023)

1:11 - I don't understand what mutants or mutations are. Can you explain it to me?

Jim Tour's YouTube series on abiogenesis

20:00 - What caused you to choose to be a pastor? What age were you? Why did you choose Manning (IA)?

31:13 - Will we feel pain on the new earth like if we feel something hot?

39:15 - I don't want to sound disrespectful whatsoever but we are God's perfect creation yet some people are born with defects such as Autism or Down syndrome. Why is that?

46:54 - What is blasphemy?

0051. Kids Have Questions, Part 18 (January 5, 2024)

5:47 - Did dinosaurs exist in the Garden of Eden?

27:05 - Was God a kid? If he's eternal, then was he a kid?

35:30 - Is there a reason God doesn't speak to us or send an angel down and prove his existence?

48:37 - Where did God come from? Why do we say that he was born from the Virgin Mary but made heaven and earth?

[Oh Jesus Christ Thy Manger Is
Savior of the Nations Come
A Great and Mighty Wonder](#)

57:34 - What do people do when they have no church?

0183. Kids Have Questions, Part 19 (January 18, 2024)

1:35 - Did Jesus ever get sick as a boy? Did Jesus have friends as a boy and play with them like I do? If Jesus did have friends and they were playing, if one of them wanted to sin, like steal something, did Jesus stop them since he hates sin?

16:16 - Will we be able to be tempted in the new earth?

25:23 - Will we recognize people we know in heaven?

34:34 - We should fear God, but because he loves us why would he ever try to hurt us?

0322. Kids Have Questions, Part 20 (February 1, 2024)

2:28 - Do furries have rights? What is a furry?

13:18 - Why do people pick on other people that aren't in your friend group? It feels like if you aren't in the group you'll get picked on. I can't be in every friend group but I don't want to be picked on.

31:25 - If I were to get married to a Catholic would God like it if I turned into a Catholic myself? Are we supposed to do that?

[The Augsburg Confession, Article IV](#)

43:15 - Many of my classmates say their parents told them they were mistakes. What does God think about that?

0502. Kids Have Questions, Part 21 (February 19, 2024)

3:19 - Is hell actually on fire?

13:37 - Can you fly an airplane into heaven?

22:36 - How often do we need to read our bible and what time do we need to read our bible?

35:34 - I heard from someone that you don't have to come to church to be religious. Is this true?

48:18 - Why did God create other planets when we are not using them for anything?

C.S. Lewis' [The Weight of Glory](#)

0611. Kids Have Questions, Part 22 (March 1, 2024)

2:42 - What are good and godly habits and bad habits?

17:24 - What are some good bible quotes and stories that an athlete could benefit from?

28:38 - Is genetic modification and genetic mutation the same thing? Does the bible say anything about it?

43:35 - Are you saying my science teacher doesn't know his curriculum or teaching?

Genesis Apologetics - [Debunking Evolution Series](#)

57:52 - Will things taste better on the new earth?

0752. Kids Have Questions, Part 23 (March 15, 2024)

1:09 - I've seen many videos and stories of people contacting the supernatural or bad spirits through things like ouija boards or rituals. Is this possible or is it a hoax?

18:25 - If there were miracles to this day, do you think that atheists or other nonbelievers of God would re-question their thinking?

28:44 - What do you do when you feel like your parents don't pay attention to you?

42:36 - Why do people make fun of gay people?

[Rescuing Identity from Sexuality](#)

1031. Kids Have Questions, Part 24 (April 12, 2024)

1:07 - Would being a sperm donor be a sin because wouldn't impregnating another woman be adultery?

Conception, children, fatherhood

13:13 - What should I do about people who bully me about my weight if I've tried to ignore them and tell them to stop?

Bullying, self-worth, stewardship of our bodies, healthy living, food as idol

31:28 - What do you do when you feel like nothing good happens in your life?

Feelings, discernment

1161. Kids Have Questions, Part 25 (April 25, 2025)

2:59 - What about couples who can't have babies? So the woman's egg and the man's sperm is put into a different woman that is paid to develop the baby. (Surrogacy)

Resources Recommended:

[Them Before Us](#)

Issues, Etc.'s interview with the founder, Katy Faust - 1062. Artificial Wombs 4/15/24

<https://issuesetc.org/2024/04/15/1062-artificial-wombs-katy-faust-4-15-24/>

The Center for Bioethics & Culture Network <https://cbc-network.org/>

22:51 - What should you look for in a good husband? Before marriage, what do I consider when looking for a spouse?

Cohabitation

43:12 - Why would God want to make someone blind?

Suffering, hardship, hope, God's goodness and wisdom

57:56 - If a tornado takes away the church, do we just go to church on the rubble?

Worship

Kids Have Questions, Part 26 (May 15, 2024)

1:44 - So lately this girl has been spreading a lot of rumors about me and she has been ruining my reputation. I do not know what to do about it. All adults believe her over me.

Why Should Cross and Trial Grieve Me - Paul Gerhardt hymn

15:05 - Why do rich people forget about God? Shouldn't they be the most grateful?

C.S. Lewis' [The Screwtape Letters](#) and [Mere Christianity](#)

31:08 - Why wouldn't God just make a perfect world for us?

41:19 - What does the bible mean by "sexual immorality"?

1583. Kids Have Questions, Part 27 (June 6, 2024)

1:15 - If God is all powerful why doesn't he abolish sin instead of forgiving it?

15:39 - If you turn to God and confess him at the last moment, do you still go to heaven?
C.S. Lewis' "The Weight of Glory"

30:53 - Someone has been here forever but how is that possible? (i.e. How can it be that God has always existed?)

1851. Kids Have Questions, Part 28 (July 3, 2024)

2:48 - Why is murder illegal but abortion is legal?

14:47 - When medical professionals throw out fertilized eggs in the process of surrogacy, are they throwing out a live baby?

31:01 - Does human life matter?
C.S. Lewis' "[On Living in an Atomic Age](#)"
Oh Jesus Christ Thy Manger Is, verse 4, LSB

43:36 - Are there any biblical or specific names that we should call our children?

2071. Kids Have Questions, Part 29 (July 25, 2024)

3:02 - So why do you give us homework if you know that some people don't do it?

18:22 - Why does it feel like I have to be like (other) kids to have friends?
[The Collapse of Parenting](#) - Dr. Leonard Sax
[The Anxious Generation](#) - Jonathan Haidt

36:46 - Why doesn't God make it so that we can talk to people in heaven?

2293. Kids Have Questions, Part 30 (August 16, 2024)

2:55 - Why do we have closed communion?

16:05 - Why do people do human trafficking? How can they be so cold hearted?

31:01 - Are there any specific books or chapters in the Bible that are especially important for a Christian to understand?

44:47 - What does the devil look like?

2503. Kids Have Questions, Part 31 (September 6, 2024)

7:17 - At school we all think that CCD (Catholic catechism class) kids don't learn anything, but we (Lutheran catechism class) do. We also argue that Catholics aren't as good as Lutherans and vice versa, so what's the difference between the two?

20:29 - I have seen girls attracted to transgender men. So could they get married? Are the men still men or is it that they have wrong desires?

Rosario Butterfield interviews on Issues Etc. and books

[What it Means to Be a Woman](#) - Katie McCoy

34:20 - Will there be school on the new earth?

45:10 - So if you are gay and lesbian and go to church, does God not love you?

2711. Kids Have Questions, Part 32 (September 27, 2024)

2:44 - Does the Bible say anything about currency and money or is that part of sin because of how we worship it?

17:56 - Do our pets know who God is?

2752. Kids Have Questions, Part 33 (October 1, 2024)

1:09 - Are psychics associated with the devil?

10:50 - Do people have to eat or sleep in heaven?

2851. Kids Have Questions, Part 34 (October 11, 2024)

2:41 - Will we have technology on the new earth?

18:31 - Will everyone work in Hell?

31:47 - Are disabilities and birth defects a result of sin?

44:04 - What do people become when they die if not angels?

2993. Kids Have Questions, Part 35 (October 25, 2024)

2:13 - Are haunted houses bad?

13:57 - Is Halloween worshiping the Devil or a celebration of harvest?

26:44 - Is watching a horror film sinful or bad?

38:25 - What does the Bible say about ghosts? Can the souls of our departed communicate with us, are they figments of our imagination, manifestations of mental illness, or are they demons pretending to be our loved ones?

52:28 - What is the danger of entertaining the notion that my dead loved one has visited me in spiritual form?

3411. Kids Have Questions, Part 36 (December 6, 2024)

2:55 - Is it bad to like learning about Roman or Greek gods?

18:25 - Can angels be animals or different objects?

31:32 - Why do people die if God is a miracle worker?

43:26 - Why are games like Fortnite made if they're bad? Why does God allow people to make games like Fortnite?

3551. Kids Have Questions, Part 37 (December 20, 2024)

2:50 - What if I sin too much?

12:58 - If I'm stressed or something and have a hard time with life, is it bad to go to a therapist?

29:44 - Is it okay to talk to people who don't believe in God?

47:13 - Does God count our sins?

0382. Kids Have Questions, Part 38 (February 7, 2025)

1:10 - What water do you use for baptism and is it hot or cold?

12:34 - What is coarse joking? The Bible says not to do it. Is it sexual jokes, racist jokes, or all of the above?

0422. Kids Have Questions, Part 39 (February 11, 2025)

1:04 - What if a man and a woman get married but don't love each other?
loveandrespect.com - Biblically based marriage resource

18:15 - What if you live with your boyfriend or girlfriend but you don't sleep together?

0663. Kids Have Questions, Part 40 (March 7, 2025)

1:40 - You indicated before you came on that you wanted to talk about Larry Sanger, he's the founder of Wikipedia. There's something he said in his recent posted conversation that relates to what we're doing here at Issues, Etc..

[How a Skeptical Philosopher Becomes a Christian](#)

8:40 - Why do they say, "Money can't buy happiness," when money can buy things that make you happy?

[The Weight of Glory](#)

21:44 - Why should we not live in fear with all the wars, school shootings, and other violent events happening today?

[On Living in an Atomic Age](#)

1011. Kids Have Questions, Part 41 (April 11, 2025)

2:56 - Discussion about a recent men's gathering Rev. Conner spoke at and discussed how they are using the Kids Have Questions series guide.

[Men's Gathering](#)

6:19 - Is there a putting down of humans like we do to dogs? If so, is that murder?

23:52 - What is the difference between believing in God or Santa or believing in them both and don't really know if they're real?

44:28 - Are there going to be more people in heaven or hell?