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Class 4 review

- When Jesus was baptized it was the first manifestation of the Trinity: Jesus, the Father speaking, and the Holy Spirit descending.
- Jesus is led into the desert to undergo, and defeat, three temptations. He is tempted alone, in a lifeless place, while hungry. Adam and Eve were tempted together, surrounded by abundant life and food, and they were comfortable and well fed.
- Satan seems to have had a doubt, twice he says, “If you are the son of God...” If he was certain he was God, why try to tempt him? If he was certain he was not, why bother personally tempting him? Perhaps he knew Jesus was God, but Satan was forced to walk through the temptations. All of these questions lead to thoughts about the mind of the angels and fallen angels.
- After the tempting Satan departs and holy angels come to minister to Jesus.
- Fallen angels are not creative. This is reflective of their somewhat fixed minds. They do the same temptations and tricks as they did centuries ago. They also are limited to looking at what God does, and doing some deformed version of that. They do not create an entirely new thing to do.
- From this story we can conclude that a few things are likely about Satan, and the fallen angel’s, minds:
 - Their perceptions, memory, and insights are limited.
 - They are still angels, and so cannot help but think and act in angelic ways.
 - These are the reverse of God’s ways, but in the same terms. They are not
 - creative and new. They can only ape God.
 - They try the same basic temptations over and over, as the basic temptations
 - are grounded in the desires of the flesh, the allure of worldly power, and the
 - tendency to idolize things that are not God.