

# CONFESSING OUR FAITH

## westminster larger catechism

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**A** The only Mediator of the covenant of grace is the Lord Jesus Christ,<sup>1</sup> who, being the eternal Son of God, of one substance and equal with the Father,<sup>2</sup> in the fullness of time became man,<sup>3</sup> and so was and continues to be God and man, in two entire distinct natures, and one person, forever.<sup>4</sup>

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