

**CONFORMITY REVIEW**  
*THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD*

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**A. SUMMARY OF COMMENDATIONS**

The series of booklets follows the full life of Christ, presenting that life as singularly great and portraying its magnificent drama with evocative pictures and text. The author-artist has endeavored to give attention to the styles of dress, architecture and customs of the people of Christ's day in a manner suited to the audience it wishes to address. Within the narrative the author-artist includes doctrinal instruction that either derives from or fits aptly with the events as they unfold. This gives the booklets the advantage of presenting the faith very concretely, incarnately, rooted and grounded in Christ.

Because of the nature of the medium, the treatment of the catechetical doctrine cannot be done in depth. It is, however, remarkably faithful to the basic teachings contained in the *Catechism of the Catholic Church*.

**It is the judgment of the Ad Hoc Committee to Oversee the Use of the Catechism that THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD can be judged to be in conformity with the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* as supplemental catechetical materials if the following required change is made.**

**B. REQUIREMENTS**

1. On page 13 (Book IV), it must be corrected that priests, not deacons, share in the ministerial priesthood (CCC, #1596). The text needs to clearly indicate that while bishops, priests and deacons all receive the Sacrament of Holy Orders, it is only bishops and priests who share in the ministerial priesthood.

**C. RECOMMENDATIONS**

None.

**D. SUGGESTIONS**

None.