## The Heidelberg Catechism

## 46. What do you understand by the words "He ascended into heaven?"

That Christ, in the sight of His disciples, was taken up from the earth into heaven, <sup>1</sup> and continues there in our behalf <sup>2</sup> until He shall come again to judge the living and the dead.<sup>3</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Mt 26:64; Lk 24:50-51; Acts 1:9-11; <sup>2</sup> Rom 8:34; Eph 4:10; Heb 4:14, 7:23-25, 9:11, 24; <sup>3</sup> Mt 24:30; Acts 1:11, 3:20-21