Pope Francis on the Catechism and knowing Jesus:

“To know Jesus it is necessary to dialogue with him, talk with him in prayer, kneeling. If you do not pray, if you do not talk with Jesus, you do not know him. You know things about Jesus, but it does not go with the knowledge that your heart gets from prayer. To know Jesus with the mind, and from the study of the Catechism; to know Jesus with the heart, and in prayer, to dialogue with Him; this helps us immensely . . . to follow [him]; to go with him, to walk with him.”

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THURSDAY EVENINGS
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“God, infinitely perfect and blessed in himself, in a plan of sheer goodness freely created man to make him share in his own blessed life. For this reason, at every time and in every place, God draws close to man. He calls man to seek him, to know him, to love him with all his strength. He calls together all men, scattered and divided by sin, into the unity of his family, the Church. To accomplish this, when the fullness of time had come, God sent his Son as Redeemer and Saviour. In his Son and through him, he invites men to become, in the Holy Spirit, his adopted children and thus heirs of his blessed life.”

(Catechism of the Catholic Church, Paragraph 1)