

Vice and Virtue

Assignment 4

- *poetry memorization.* Poetry Memorization: Stanzas 1–4 of Christina Rossetti’s “Consider.”
 - *study guide material.* Complete Lesson 4 in your study guide after reading all accompanying material in your reader.
 - *extracurricular.* Listen to and read the words of the hymn “**Ode to the Creator.**” The words were written by Joseph Addison, while the music was composed by Franz Joseph Haydn. Can you say what period he belongs to? Notice the fancy wig and fine, rich clothing of Joseph Addison on the right. Could he have benefited from reading his own essay on vanity?
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- *poetry and poetics.* Complete Poetry and Poetics 4. You will be continuing your study of figures of speech with the terms verbal *irony*, *oxymoron*, *hyperbole*, and *rhetorical question*.
 - *grammar and punctuation.* Study the Grammar and Punctuation Lesson 4. In this lesson, you will be going over linking verbs.
 - *writing.* There is NO at-home writing assignment.
 - *practicing virtue.* This week find a quiet spot and for about ten minutes think about your friends, family and neighbors. In particular, think about how you can make their lives better and then carry out a practical plan to help them. One of the best cures for vanity is thinking about others!