

REQUIRED PRAYERS

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KINDERGARTEN

Sign of the Cross
Morning Prayer
Angel of God
Hail Mary
Our Father

GRADE 1

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* Glory Be
* Grace Before & After Meals

GRADE 2

Sign of the Cross
Morning Prayer
Angel of God
Hail Mary
Our Father
Glory Be
Grace Before & After Meals
* Apostles Creed
* Commandments
* Act of Contrition
* Rite of Reconciliation

GRADE 3

Sign of the Cross
Morning Prayer
Angel of God
Hail Mary
Our Father
Glory Be
Grace Before & After Meals
Apostles' Creed
Commandments
Act of Contrition
Review the Rite of Reconciliation
* Mysteries of the Rosary

GRADE 4

Sign of the Cross
Morning Prayer
Angel of God
Hail Mary
Our Father

Glory Be
Grace Before & After Meals
Apostles' Creed
Commandments
Act of Contrition
Review the Rite of Reconciliation
Mysteries of the Rosary
* Beatitudes

GRADE 5

Sign of the Cross
Morning Prayer
Angel of God
Hail Mary
Our Father
Glory Be
Grace Before & After Meals
Apostles' Creed
Commandments
Act of Contrition
Review the Rite of Reconciliation
Mysteries of the Rosary
Beatitudes
* Laws of the Church
* Sacraments
* Works of Mercy (Corporal & Spiritual)

GRADE 6

Sign of the Cross
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Glory Be
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Apostles' Creed
Commandments
Act of Contrition
Review the Rite of Reconciliation
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* Holy Days of Obligation

* new requirement for this grade

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SIGN OF THE CROSS

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen

MORNING PRAYER

Lord Jesus Christ so let me be
that all I do be done by Thee,
Grant that all I think and say
Be your thoughts and words this day.

ANGEL OF GOD

Angel of God, my Guardian dear, to whom His love
entrusts me here; ever this day be at my side, to
light and guard, to rule and guide. Amen

HAIL MARY

Hail Mary, full of grace! The Lord is with thee;
blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the
fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of
God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of
our death. Amen

OUR FATHER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy
name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on
earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily
bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive
those who trespass against us; and lead us not into
temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen

GLORY BE

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the
Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now, and
ever shall be, world without end. Amen

GRACE BEFORE MEALS

Bless us, O Lord, and these Your gifts which we are
about to receive from Your bounty, through Christ
our Lord. Amen

GRACE AFTER MEALS

We give you thanks for all Your benefits, O
almighty God, who lives and reigns forever. Amen

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of
heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His only son,
our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius
Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He
descended into hell; the third day He arose again
from the dead; He ascended into heaven, sits at
the right hand of God, the Father almighty; from
thence He shall come to judge the living and the
dead. I believe in the Holy spirit, the holy Catholic
Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness
of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life
everlasting. Amen

TEN COMMANDMENTS

1. I am the Lord your God. You shall have no other
gods before me.
2. You shall not take the name of the Lord, your
God, in vain.
3. Remember the Lord's Day and keep it holy.
4. Honor your father and your mother.
5. You shall not kill.
6. You shall not commit adultery.
7. You shall not steal.
8. You shall not bear false witness against your
neighbor.
9. You shall not covet your neighbor's wife.
10. You shall not covet your neighbor's goods.

TWO GREAT COMMANDMENTS

1. You Shall love the Lord your God
with all your heart,
with all your soul,
with all your mind
and with all your strength.
2. You shall love your neighbor as yourself.

ACT OF CONTRITION

(Short Form – Grades 1-6)

O my God, I am sorry for all my sins, because they displease you, who are all-good and deserving of all my love. With your help, I will sin no more.

ACT OF CONTRITION

(Long Form – Optional)

O my God, I am heartily sorry for having offended You, and I detest all my sins, because of Your just punishments, but most of all because they offend You my God, who art all-good and deserving of all my love, I firmly resolve, with the help of Your grace, to sin no more and to avoid the near occasions of sin.

PREPARING FOR RECONCILIATION

1. Think of my sins.
2. Be sorry for my sins.
3. Make up my mind not to sin again.
4. Tell my sins to the priest.
5. Do the penance the priest gives me. .

RITE OF RECONCILIATION

1. Good morning, Father.
2. In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen
3. Forgive me Father, for I have sinned. It has been _____ since my last confession. These are my sins.
4. For these and all the sins of my life, I am sorry.
5. Pray the Act of Contrition.
6. For my penance, I would like to _____.
7. Priest: Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good.
You: His mercy endures forever.
8. Thank you, Father.

MYSTERIES OF THE ROSARY

Joyful Mysteries

The Annunciation

The Visitation

The Nativity of Jesus (the Birth of our Lord)

The Presentation in the Temple

The Finding in the Temple

Luminous Mysteries

The Baptism in the Jordan

The Wedding at Cana

The Proclamation of the Kingdom of God

The Transfiguration of Jesus

The Institution of the Eucharist

Sorrowful Mysteries

The Agony in the Garden

The Scourging at the Pillar

The Crowning with Thorns

The Carrying of the Cross

The Crucifixion and Death

Glorious Mysteries

The Resurrection of our Lord

The Ascension into Heaven

The Descent of the Holy Spirit

The Assumption of Mary

The Coronation of Mary

BEATITUDES

1. Blessed are the poor in spirit; for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
2. Blessed are they who mourn, for they will be comforted.
3. Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the land.
4. Blessed are they who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be satisfied.
5. Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy.
6. Blessed are the clean of heart, for they will see God.
7. Blessed are the peacemakers; for they will be called children of God.
8. Blessed are they who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of God.

SPECIAL DUTIES OF CATHOLIC CHRISTIANS

(LAWS OF THE CHURCH)

1. To keep holy the day of the Lord's Resurrection: to worship God by participating in Mass every Sunday and holiday of obligation; to avoid those activities that would hinder renewal of soul and body.
2. To lead a sacramental life: to receive Holy Communion frequently and the Sacrament of Penance regularly
 - to receive the Sacrament of Penance at least once a year (annual confession is obligatory only if serious sin is involved).
 - minimally, to receive Holy Communion at least once a year, usually between the first Sunday of Lent and Trinity Sunday. For a good reason, the precept may be fulfilled at another time during the year.
3. To study Catholic teaching in preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation, to be confirmed, and then to continue to study and advance the cause of Christ.
4. To observe the marriage laws of the Church: to give religious training (by example and word) to one's children; to use parish schools and religious education programs.
5. To strengthen and support the Church: one's own parish community and parish priests; the world-wide Church and the Holy Father.
6. To do penance, including abstaining from meat and fasting from food on the appointed days.
7. To join in the missionary spirit and apostolate of the Church.

SEVEN SACRAMENTS

1. Baptism
2. Reconciliation or Penance
3. Holy Eucharist
4. Confirmation
5. Holy Orders
6. Matrimony
7. Anointing of the Sick

WORKS OF MERCY

Spiritual

1. To admonish the sinner
2. To instruct the ignorant
3. To counsel the doubtful
4. To comfort the sorrowful
5. To bear wrongs patiently
6. To forgive all injuries
7. To pray for the living and the dead

Corporal

1. To feed the hungry
2. To give drink to the thirsty
3. To clothe the naked
4. To visit the imprisoned
5. To shelter the homeless
6. To visit the sick
7. To bury the dead

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

- All the Sundays of the year
- January 1, the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God
- Ascension of our Lord (forty days after Easter)
- August 15, the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- November 1, All Saint's Day
- December 8, the Immaculate Conception
- December 25, Christmas Day

CROSS SALUTE

Saving cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, Glorious flag of the Catholic Church, I salute thee.

FATHER SOLANUS PRAYER

O God, I adore You. I give myself to You. May I be the person You want me to be, and may Your will be done in my life today.

I thank You for the gifts You gave to Father Solanus. If it is Your will, bless us with the beatification of Venerable Solanus, so that others may imitate and carry on his love for the poor and suffering of our world.

As he joyfully accepted your divine plans, I ask You, according to Your will, to hear my prayer for . . . [your intention] . . . through Jesus Christ, Our Lord. Amen. Blessed be God in all His designs.