

Prayer Honor Roll: Third Grade

By Third Grade

Students should be able to recite from memory all the K-2 prayers:

- Sign of the Cross
- Our Father
- Hail Mary
- Glory Be
- Grace Before Meals
- Grace After Meals

Third grade students have until December to memorize their K-2 prayers.

Grace Before Meals

Due by October

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

Act of Contrition

Due by November

(Required for 1st Reconciliation)

My God, I am sorry for my sins with all my heart. In choosing to do wrong and failing to do good, I have sinned against you whom I should love above things. I firmly intend, with your help, to do penance, to sin no more and to avoid whatever leads me to sin. Our Savior, Jesus Christ suffered and died for us. In His name, my God, have mercy.
Amen.

Grace After Meals

Due by October

We give you thanks almighty God for these and all your gifts, which we have received through Christ Our Lord.
Amen.

Guardian Angel

Due by September

Angel of God, my guardian dear, to whom God's love commits me here. Ever this day, be at my side to light and guard, to rule and guide.
Amen.

Evening Prayer

Due by February

Dear God, before I sleep I want to thank you for this day so full of your kindness and your joy. I close my eyes to rest safe in your loving care.
Amen.

Morning Offering

Due by January

My God, I offer you this day all that I think and do and say, uniting it with what was done on Earth, by Jesus Christ, your son.
Amen

Nicene Creed

Due by March*

(Required for 1st Eucharist)

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of Heaven and Earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us men and for our salvation, He came down from Heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate, He suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into Heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life for the world to come. Amen.

Gloria

Due by March*

(Required for 1st Eucharist)

Glory to God in the highest,
and on Earth, peace to people
of good will.

We praise you, we bless you,
we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your
great glory, Lord God, heavenly
King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only
Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb
of God, Son of the Father, you
take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us; you take
away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer; you are
seated at the right hand of the
Father, have mercy on us. For
you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord, you
alone are the Most High, Jesus
Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in
the glory of God the Father.

Amen.

Fatima Prayer

Due by March*

Oh my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of Hell, and lead all souls to Heaven, especially those in most need of thy mercy.

*The Gloria & Nicene Creed are part of every Mass. Students need to be familiar with these prayers as they are the spoken tenants of our Faith as Roman Catholic Christians.

We will continue to work with these prayers through 5th grade. First Eucharist students need to be familiar enough with the prayers to be able to participate in reciting them at their First Eucharist Mass.