

# St. John the Baptist Catholic Primary School Prayer Booklet

for

# Year 3 Children



This prayer booklet includes the prayers of the Church that each child should know at the end of the year. We do not want to limit your child to just prayers in this booklet but we would like you to support in teaching them these prayers please, to practise with them, encourage them and pray with them.

Thank you for your support.

# **Morning Offering**

Father in Heaven, I give you today All that I think and do and say I want to join into all that was done By Jesus Christ your dearest son. Amen.



## **Grace Before Meals**

Bless us O God as we sit together Bless the food we eat today Bless the hands that made the food Bless us O God. Amen

#### **Grace After Meals**

Thank you God for the food we have eaten Thank you God for all our friends Thank you God for everything Thank you God Amen

#### **Home Time Prayer**

God our Father, we come to say thank you for your love today. Thank you for my family and all the friends you give to me. Guard me in the dark of night and in the morning send your light 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





#### **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.



#### **Act of Love**

O my God, I love you with my whole heart and above all things because you are infinitely good and perfect, and I love my neighbour as myself for love of you.

Grant that I may love you more and more in this life, and in the next for all eternity.

Amen.



#### **Prayer of St. Francis**

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace: where there is hatred, let me sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy.

O divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled as to console, to be understood as to understand, to be loved as to love.

For it is in giving that we receive, it is in pardoning that we are pardoned, and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen



#### **I Confess**

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do,

Through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.



#### **Act of Contrition**

Oh my God because you are so good I am very sorry that I have sinned against you. By the help of your Grace I will not sin again.



# **Glory be to the Father**

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.



## **Prayer to the Guardian Angel**

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.

# **Eternal Rest**

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, And let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen



#### **The Angelus**

The Angel of the Lord declared to Mary: and she conceived of the Holy Spirit.

Hail Mary... Holy Mary...

Behold the handmaid of the Lord: be it done to me according to your word.

Hail Mary... Holy Mary...

And the Word was made flesh and dwelt among us

Hail Mary... Holy Mary...

Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God.

That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray:

Pour forth, we beseech you, O Lord,

Your grace into our hearts,

That we to whom the incarnation of Christ,

your son,

Was made known by the message of an angel,

May be brought by his passion and cross

To the glory of his resurrection,

Through Christ our Lord,

Amen.



