

LANDS LUTHERAN CHURCH

MEMORIZATION WORK GUIDELINES

Preschool/Kindergarten

The Lord's Prayer (in unison)
Learn Jesus Loves Me and other religious action songs
Pray Simple, Familiar Prayers

First Grade

Receive Luther's Small Catechism
The Lord's Prayer (individually)
Ten Commandments

Second Grade

Memorize Ten Commandments (individually)
Reinforce The Lord's Prayer

Third Grade

Receive their own Bibles
Complete the Bible Study Project with Parents
Reinforce Ten Commandments and their Meanings
Apostle's Creed – by memory
Introduce Books of the Bible

Fourth Grade

Read the Book of Mark with Parents Project
Reinforce Ten Commandments and their Meanings
Reinforce Apostle's Creed
Books of the Bible
Concept of the Holy Spirit

Fifth Grade

First Communion Instruction
Review Sacrament of Holy Baptism (see Luther's Small Catechism)
Reinforce Ten Commandments and their Meanings
Reinforce Apostle's Creed
Reinforce Books of the Bible

Sixth Grade

Bare Bones Bible Home Study Project
Lector Training
Reinforce Ten Commandments and their Meanings
Reinforce Apostle's Creed
Reinforce Books of the Bible

Seventh/Eighth/Ninth Grades

Attend Confirmation and Assist With Sunday School

The Lord's Prayer

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.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
Forever and ever. Amen.

The Ten Commandments

I am the Lord your God.
FIRST: You shall have no other gods.
SECOND: You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain.
THIRD: Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy.
FOURTH: Honor your father and your mother.
FIFTH: You shall not kill
SIXTH: You shall not commit adultery.
SEVENTH: You shall not steal.
EIGHTH: You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.
NINTH: You shall not covet your neighbor's house.
TENTH: You shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or his manservant, or his maidservant, or his cattle, or anything that is your neighbors.

The Apostle's Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
And born of the virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
Was crucified, died and was buried.

He descended into hell.
On the third day he arose again.
He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again 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 the life everlasting. Amen.