### **Prayers and Doctrine Knowledge for Confirmation**

Prayer is VERY IMPORTANT and our kids can learn very easily by repetition and family support Parents should begin teaching their children about Jesus and to say their prayers as early as possible at home. Teach them that prayer is spending time and talking with Jesus, and that they can develop a personal relationship with Jesus through prayer. Friendship with Christ comes through communication – prayer.

### The Sign of the Cross

In the Name of the Father, And of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

## Prayer Before Meals

Bless us oh Lord, and these Thy Gifts, Which we are about to receive, from Thy bounty, through Christ our Lord. 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.

#### 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.

## 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 Sprit, 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 lining 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.

## Guardian Angel Prayer

Angel of God, my guardian dear, To whom God's love commits me here, Ever this day (night) be at my side, to light and guard, to rule and guide. From stainful sin oh keep me free, in my last hour my helper be. Amen.

### Act of Contrition

Oh my God, I am heartily sorry for having offended You. I detest all of my sins, because of Your just punishments. But most of all because they offend You, my God; who are 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. Amen.

### Act of Faith

Oh my god, I firmly believe that You are one God in three Divine Person, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; I believe that Your Divine Son became man and died for our sins, and that He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe these and all the truths whish the

Holy Catholic Church teaches, because You have

revealed them, who can neither deceive nor be deceived. Amen.

### Act of Hope

Oh my God, relying on Your infinite goodness and promises; I hope to obtain pardon of my sins, the help of Your grace, and life everlasting, through the merits of Jesus Christ, My Lord and Redeemer. Amen.

## Act of Love

Oh my God, I love You above all things, with my whole hear and soul, because You are all good and worthy of all my love.

I love my neighbor as myself for the love of You. I forgive all who have injured me and I ask pardon of all whom I have injured. Amen.

### Morning Offering

O Jesus, through the Immaculate Heart of Mary I offer you my prayers, works, joys and sufferings of this day. For all the intentions of Your Sacred Heart, in union with the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass through out the world, in reparation for my sins, and for the intentions recommended this month by the Holy Father. Amen.

### Prayer to the Holy Spirit

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of Your faithful. And kindle in them the fire of Your love. Send forth Your Spirit and they shall be created, and You will renew the face of the earth. Lord, by the light of the Holy Spirit You have taught the hearts of Your faithful In the same Spirit help us choose what is right and always rejoice in Your consolation. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### The Ten Commandments

- 1. I am the Lord Your God, you shall not have strange gods before Me.
- 2. You shall not take the name of the Lord Your God in vain.
- 3. Remember to keep holy the Lord's Day
- 4. Honor your father & mother
- 5. You shall not kill
- 6. You shall not commit adultery.
- 7. You shall not steal
- 8. You hall 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

#### The Beatitudes

- 1. Blest are the poor in spirit; the reign of God is theirs
- 2. Blest are the sorrowing; for they shall be consoled
- 3. Blest are the lowly; they shall inherit the land
- 4. Blest are they who hunger and thirst for holiness; they shall have their fill.
- 5. Blest are they show who mercy; mercy shall be theirs
- 6. Blest are the single-hearted; they shall see God
- 7. Blest are the peacemakers; they shall be called sons of God.
- 8. Blest are those persecuted for holiness sake; the reign of God is theirs.

# Mysteries of the Holy Rosary

## Joyful Mysteries

- 1. The Annunciation
- 2. The Visitation
- 3. The Nativity
- 4. The Presentation
- 5. The Finding in the Temple

# Luminous Mysteries

- 1. The Baptism of Jesus
- 2. the Wedding Feast of Cana
- 3. The invitation of Jesus, with a call to conversion
- 4. The Transfiguration
- 5. The Institution of the Eucharist

# Sorrowful Mysteries

- 1. The Agony in the Garden
- 2. The Scourging at the Pillar
- 3. The Crowning of Thorns
- 4. The Carrying of the Cross
- 5. The Crucifixion

# Glorious Mysteries

- 1. The Resurrection
- 2. The Ascension
- 3. The Descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles and the Virgin Mary
- 4. The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary into Heaven
- 5. The Crowning of the Blessed Virgin Queen of Heaven & Earth