

# Grade 5

## October Memory Work

### **The Lord's Prayer – the introduction and meaning**

*Our Father who art in heaven.* What does this mean? With these words God tenderly invites us to believe that He is our true Father and that we are His true children, so that with all boldness and confidence we may ask Him as dear children ask their dear father.

### **1 John 3:1**

How great is the love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God! And that is what we are!

### **Psalm 103:13**

As a father has compassion on his children, so the Lord has compassion on those who fear Him.

## November Memory Work

### **The Lord's Prayer– the first petition and meaning** (may be said in sections)

*Hallowed be thy name.* What does this mean? God's name is certainly holy in itself, but we pray in this petition that it may be kept holy among us also.

How is God's name kept holy? God's name is kept holy when the Word of God is taught in its truth and purity, and we, as the children of God, also lead holy lives according to it. Help us to do this, dear Father in heaven!

But anyone who teaches or lives contrary to God's Word profanes the name of God among us. Protect us from this, heavenly Father!

## **Exodus 20:7**

You shall not misuse the name of the Lord your God, for the Lord will not hold anyone guiltless who misuses His name.

## **January Memory Work**

**The Lord's Prayer – the second petition and meaning** (may be said in sections)

*Thy kingdom come.* What does this mean? The kingdom of God certainly comes by itself without our prayer, but we pray in this petition that it may come to us also.

How does God's kingdom come? God's kingdom comes when our heavenly Father gives us His Holy Spirit, so that by His grace we believe His holy Word and lead godly lives here in time and there in eternity.

## **Romans 14:17**

The kingdom of God is not a matter of eating and drinking, but of righteousness, peace and joy in the Holy Spirit.

## **February Memory Work**

**The Lord's Prayer – the third petition and meaning**

Week 1: *Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.* What does this mean? The good and gracious will of God is done even without our prayer, but we pray in this petition that it may be done among us also.

Week 2: How is God's will done? God's will is done when He breaks and hinders every evil plan and purpose of the devil, the world, and our sinful nature, which do not want us to hallow God's name or let His kingdom come;

Week 3: and when He strengthens and keeps us firm in His Word and faith until we die. This is His good and gracious will.

#### Week 4: **Romans 8:28**

We know that in all things God works for the good of those who love Him, who have been called according to His purpose.

#### Bonus: **New Testament Books of the Bible**

Matthew	Galatians	Titus	1 John
Mark	Ephesians	Philemon	2 John
Luke	Philippians	Hebrews	3 John
John	Colossians	James	Jude
Acts	1 Thessalonians	1 Peter	Revelation
Romans	2 Thessalonians	2 Peter	
1 Corinthians	1 Timothy		
2 Corinthians	2 Timothy		

### **March Memory Work**

**The Lord's Prayer– the fourth petition and meaning** (may be said in sections)

*Give us this day our daily bread.* What does this mean? God certainly gives daily bread to everyone without our prayers, even to all evil people, but we pray in this petition that God would lead us to realize this and to receive our daily bread with thanksgiving.

What is meant by daily bread? Daily bread includes everything that has to do with support and needs of the body, such as food, drink, clothing, shoes, house, home, land, animals, money, goods,

a devout husband or wife, devout children, devout workers, devout and faithful rulers, good government, good weather, peace, health, self-control, good reputation, good friends, faithful neighbors, and the like.

## **Matthew 6:34**

Do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own.

## **April Memory Work**

### **The Nicene Creed** (may be said in sections)

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

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, light of light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by Whom all things were made;

Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets.

And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.