

PRIMARY THREE TERM THREE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

WEEK 2 Lesson 1

Spellings

- 1. Christmas
- 2. Ash Wednesday
- 3. Palm Sunday
- 4. Holy Thursday
- 5. Good Friday

JESUS GIVES US THE HOLY SPIRIT

Read;

John 4:15-18

- 1. Jesus promised us the Holy Spirit.
- 2. The Holy Spirit is the helper Jesus promised to his disciples.
- 3. Why did Jesus promise the Holy Spirit to the disciples?
 - To guide them.
 - To comfort them.
 - To give them power.
 - To teach them.
- 4. The Holy Spirit came upon Jesus' disciples on **Pentecost day.**

Activity

Learners read John 4:15-18 and discuss the importance of the Holy Spirit to people today.

Exercise

- 1. Who said," behold I send you a helper."
- 2. Which helper was promised?
- 3. Give two reasons why Jesus gave us the Holy Spirit.
- 4. On which day did the Holy Spirit come on the apostles?

WEEK 2 Lesson 2

Spellings

- 1. Easter Sunday
- 2. Ascension day
- 3. Pentecost day
- 4. Martyrs' day
- 5. Assumption day

Events that happened on Pentecost day Read:

Act 2;1-4

- There was a loud voice from heaven.
- The Holy Spirit came upon the disciples in form of flames of fire.
- They started speaking different tongues or languages.
- Peter started preaching.



Activity

Learners read Acts 2 and sing a song about Pentecost (Fire, fire follow me)

Exercise

1. In which form did the Holy Spirit come on the disciples?

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- 2. Name any event that happened on the Pentecost day.
- 3. Who preached on the Pentecost day?
- 4. Draw, frame and color the Holy Spirit coming upon the disciples.

WEEK: 2 Lesson 3 Spellings

- 1. apostle
- 2. disciple
- 3. holy
- 4. spirit
- 5. tongue

How the Holy Spirit helped the early Christian Read;

Acts3:38-47

- 1. Ways how the Holy Spirit helped the apostles.
 - To preach the word of God.
 - To live and share things together.
 - To perform miracles.
 - To endure hardships
 - To speak to leaders without fear.

2. How the Holy Spirit helps us today.

- To know what is right and wrong.
- Gives us hope in times of trouble.
- Protects us from sin and Satan.
- Guides us in prayer and worship.
- To endure hardships.

<u>Activity</u>

Learners read Acts 3:38-47 and discuss how the Holy Spirit has helped the church today.

Exercise

- 1. State two ways how the Holy Spirit helped the first Christians.
- 2. How does the Holy Spirit help the Christians today?

WEEK: 3 Lesson 1

Spellings

- 1. Christ
- 2. Christmas
- 3. Christian
- 4. Bethlehem
- 5. Nazareth

Gifts of the Holy Spirit and how to use them Read;

1Corinthans 12:1-11

- 1. There are nine gifts of the holy spirit namely;
 - Wisdom
 - Knowledge
 - Faith
 - Healing
 - Working miracles
 - Prophecy
 - Speaking new tongues
 - Interpreting tongues
 - Knowing a person with an evil spirit(discernment)

2. Activities we do together when guided by the holy spirit:

- Reading the Bible.
- Praying together
- Sharing experiences
- Sharing meals
- Helping one another.

<u>Activity</u>

Learners read 1Corinthans 12:1-11 and identify and demonstrate some of the gifts of the Holy spirit.

Exercise

- 1. Identify any four gifts of the Holy Spirit.
- 2. Which gift would you desire to have?
- 3. Apart from the above, name any other two gifts that God gave us.

WEEK: 3 Lesson 2

Spellings

- 1. miracles
- 2. healing
- 3. knowledge
- 4. wisdom
- 5. tongues

THE WORSHIPPING COMMUNITY

1. What is worship?

Worship is a way of praying and showing respect to God.

2. Ways of worshipping God

Read;

Psalms 150:1-6

- Offering to God.
- Reading the bible.
- Singing hymns /religious songs.
- Dancing
- Waving hands
- Playing musical instruments.
- Clapping
- Jumping



Learners read Psalms 150:1-6 and sing a worship song for the Lord.

Exercise

- 1. What is worship?
- 2. Give three ways of worshipping God.
- 3. Draw people worshipping God.

WEEK: 3 Lesson 3

Spellings

- 1. singing
- 2. dancing
- 3. waving
- 4. clapping
- 5. worshipping

Why should Christians worship God? Read;

Psalms 100: 1-5

- 1. Christians worship God because;
 - God saved us from sins.
 - He is our creator.
 - God is greater than all gods and people
 - He is the kings of kings.

- He will judge all the people.
- He gives us life, food and other needs.
- He rules over all the people of the world.
- 2. Examples of people who worshiped God are;
- Jacob
- Isaac
- King David
- King Solomon
- Daniel

Learners read Psalms 100: 1-5 and discuss the reasons why we worship God.

Exercise

- 1. Identify any two people in the Bible who worshipped God.
- 2. Give three reasons why we worship God.

WEEK: 4 Lesson 1

Spellings

- 1. Abraham
- 2. Isaac
- 3. Jacob
- 4. Esau
- 5. Joseph

PRAYING TO GOD

Read;

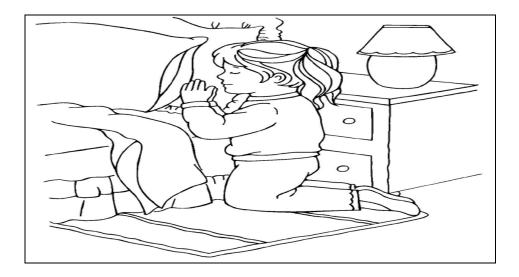
Matthew 6: 5-8

1. What is prayer?

Prayer is a way of talking to God

- 2. What should a Christian do before praying?
- Repenting(ask God for forgiveness)
- Forgive those who anger him /her.

- Humble himself/her self.
- Turn his /her mind towards God.
- Kneel down when praying



3. Reasons why people pray to God

- To ask for forgiveness.
- People ask for protection and wisdom.
- People pray to get blessings.
- To thank God for what he has done for them.
- People pray to get daily needs ;like food, clothes, shelter etc

Activity

Learners read Matthew 6: 5-8 and discuss the reasons why people pray to God.

-Demonstrating how we pray to God.

Exercise

- 1. What is prayer?
- 2. Write two things a Christian should do before praying.
- **3.** Give two reasons why people pray.

4. Draw yourself praying.

WEEK: 4 Lesson 2

Spellings

- 1. kneeling
- 2. praying
- 3. repenting
- 4. forgiving
- 5. forgiveness

PERSONAL PRAYERS

Read;

Matt7: 7 -11

1. What is a personal prayer?

A personal prayer is a prayer said alone / individually.

2. Types of personal prayers

a) Thanks-giving prayer

Is prayer said to thank God for something he has done e.g. healing.

b) Confession prayer

Is a prayer said to ask God to forgiveness.

c) Petition prayer

Is prayer said to ask for daily needs e.g. healing, food, shelter etc.

d) Intercession prayer;

Is a prayer where one prayers for others.

- 3. When do we pray?
 - Before a meal
 - Before sleeping.
 - After bed
 - When in troubles
 - When going for a journey etc.

Activity

Learners read Matt7: 7 -11and and demonstrate how the say different their personal prayers.

Exercise

- 1. Define a personal prayer.
- 2. Name two types of personal prayers.
- 3. Which type of prayer is said to ask for forgiveness?
- 4. Identify any two times when we pray.

WEEK: 4 Lesson 3 Spellings

- 1. person
- 2. confess
- 3. Personal
- 4. Confessional
- 5. Thanks-giving

Matthew 6:6-7

- 1. People who need to be prayed for;
 - children
 - teachers
 - the sick
 - the prisoners
 - the mad

- the leaders
- the war victims
- parents
- the dumb and deaf
- 2. Places where we can pray from:
 - -You can pray from anywhere in case you feel to pray.
 - From the church
 - Classroom
 - Bed room
 - In a vehicle
 - On a mountain or hill etc
- 3. Examples of people who prayed God and were answered:
 - Abraham
 - Jacob
 - Jesus

- King David
- Daniel
- Samson

- Ruth
- Simon Peter

• Jeremiah etc

Activity

Learners read Matthew 6:6-7 and identify groups of people who need to be prayed for.

Exercise

- 1. Name three groups of people who should be prayed for.
- 2. Apart from a church, where else can a Christian pray from?
- 3. What do you know about these people in the Bible?
 - a. Samson
 - b. Daniel

WEEK: 5 Lesson 1

Spellings

- 1. deaf
- 2. blind
- 3. dumb
- 4. churches
- 5. mountains

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Read;

Matthew 6:9-14

1. What is the Lord's Prayer?

This is the prayer Jesus taught his apostles.

2. Requests are made in the Lord's Prayer

- God's kingdom to come.
- God's will to be done.
- To give us our daily food. (bread)
- To forgive our trespasses.
- Not to lead us into temptations.
- To deliver us from evil.

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Learners read Matthew 6:9-14 and recite the Lord's Prayer.

Exercise

- 1. Which prayer did Jesus teach his apostles?
- 2. Identify any two requests made in the Lord's Prayer.
- 3. Why did Jesus teach his disciples this prayer?

WEEK: 5 Lesson 2

Spellings

- 1. feel
- 2. daily
- 3. forgive
- 4. trespasses
- 5. temptations

THE TEACHINGS OF JESUS

Read;

Matt 5:43-48

- 1. Jesus teaches us Christian values.
- 2. What are values?

Values are beliefs about what is right and wrong.

3. Example of Christian values.

- Being honest/ faithful.
- Being responsible.
- Helping others.
- Respecting elders.
- Loving one another.
- Forgiving one another.

4. How Jesus helped others.

- He healed the sick.
- Jesus fed the hungry.
- He raised the dead.
- He healed the deaf and the dumb.

• He healed the blind. etc

Activity

Learners read Matt 5:43-48 and discuss the examples of Christian values.

Exercise

- 1. Name any two Christian values.
- 2. Mention any two needy groups of people.
- 3. Identify four ways you can help the needy.

WEEK: 5 Lesson 3

Spellings

- 1. heal
- 2. healed
- 3. faithful
- 4. helpful
- 5. careful

Parables taught by Jesus

1. What is a parable?

A parable is a short story with hidden meaning.

2. Examples of parables used by Jesus.

- The parable of the sower (Mark 4:1-9)
- Parable of the lost son prodigal son (Luke15:11-31)
- Parable of the Good Samaritan (Luke 10:25-37)
- Parable of the ten virgins(Matt25:1-13)
- Parable of the lost coin(Luke15:8-10)
- Parable of the lost sheep(Luke15:1-7)
- Parable of the talents (Matt25:1-13)
- Parable of the tenants(Luke20:9-16) etc
- 3. Jesus used parables because; (Matt 13:10-14)
- He didn't want others to know what he was saying.
- For the disciples to understand well.

• To fulfill what was said about him.

Activity

Learners read and listen to the parables told by Jesus.

Exercise

- 1. Define a parable.
- 2. Name any two parables in the Bible.
- **3.** Why did Jesus use parables in his teachings?

WEEK: 6 Lesson 1

Spellings

- 1. story
- 2. hidden
- 3. parable
- 4. meaning
- 5. teaching

GOD-GIVEN ABILITIES (TALENTS)

Read;

Matt25:13-30

1. What is a talent?

A talent is a gift from God.

2. Examples of talents:

- singing
- dancing
- drama
- painting
- drawing
- Playing games and sports.
- Good public speaking.
- 3. How to use your talent(s) well:

- Never be proud.
- Use it to help others.
- Use it to glorify God.
- Do not hide your talent.
- Use your talent to make it perfect.
- Use it to earn a living.

Learners read Matthew 25:13-30 and identify some of the talents that God gave us.

Exercise

- 1. What is a talent?
- 2. Name any two talents God gave us?
- 3. What is your talent?
- 4. How can one misuse his/her talent?

WEEK: 6 Lesson 2 Spellings

- 1. singing
- 2. dancing
- 3. painting
- 4. drawing
- 5. speaking

The Characteristics of God found in Jesus Read;

John3:16

- 1. Children adopt some characteristics from their parents.
- 2. Jesus also had characteristics from God, his father.
- Jesus was loving
- He was kind

- Jesus was holy
- He had divine power
- He was eternal
- He knew people's thoughts.
- Jesus knew the past, the present and the future.



Learners discuss some of the features which showed that Jesus was a son of God.

Exercises

- 1. Identify any two things which showed that Jesus was a son of God.
- 2. Name the three persons in the Trinity.
- 3. Why did God send his son on earth?

THE END