

3rd grade

HOUSE

How to Pray using The "ACTS" method		Name the 12 Disciples		Baptism: Give all 3 reasons why we do it	
Locate John 3:16	The ABC's of becoming a Christian		Identify themes in key books: Gen. Ex. 1 Sam Psalms, Luke, Revelation		The Lord's Prayer
The Armor of God		20 "Bricks and Mortar" completed		Name and locate 7 continents on a map	
Define Sin	Recite Isaiah 53:3-12		Explain Acts 1:8		Recite Acts 2:42
Define missionary		Name the groupings of the Old and New		Define martyr	
Books of The Bible	TEN COMMANDMENTS		Name and locate the 2 divisions of the Bible		Pray Aloud

Incremental Learning Goals

Level 3

3rd graders should be learning everything from Levels 1 and 2 plus the following:

Bible Skills

1. Know all the Books of the Bible in order.
2. Use the contents page to locate any book they do not know where to find.
3. Read a Bible reference.
4. Find chapter and verses called for in a reference.
5. Recognize and know the basic groupings of the Old and New Testament Books:
 - a. Law
 - b. History
 - c. Poetry
 - d. Major Prophets
 - e. Minor Prophets
 - f. Gospels
 - g. History
 - h. Paul's letters
 - i. General Letters
 - j. Prophecy

Scripture

1. Learn and be able to recite by memory at least 20 key Bible verses/passages of scripture. These are in addition to the 12 learned in 1st grade and the 12 learned in 2nd grade.
2. Learn what the 20 scriptures mean and how they may apply to our lives.

Becoming a Christian

1. Learn the ABC's of becoming a Christian with corresponding scripture.
 - A.-Admit you are a sinner. (Romans 3:23; Romans 6:23)
 - B.-Believe that Jesus is God's Son (John 3:16; Romans 5:8)
 - C-Confess your faith in Jesus as your Savior and Lord (Romans 10:9-10, 13)
2. Practice sharing the ABC's of becoming a Christian with corresponding scripture with your small group.
3. Understand and be able to explain why we are baptized.
 - a. To follow the example of Jesus. (Matthew 3:16-18)
 - b. To obey the commands of Jesus. (Matthew 28:19)
 - c. To commit to the family of God. (Ephesians 4:4-6)

Missions

1. Participate in at least two mission projects.

2. Be able to name and locate the 7 continents on a map.
3. Learn Acts 1:8 and what it means. (What is our Jerusalem, Judea, Samaria?)
4. Define martyr. (Person who witnesses to his faith in Jesus by being willing to even die for it.)
5. Define missionary. (One who tells others about the good news of Jesus Christ.)

Other

1. Learn the 10 Commandments and what they mean.
2. Learn the Lord's Prayer
3. Learn the Armor of God.
4. Name the 12 Disciples.
5. Learn the ACTS way of praying.
 - Adoration
 - Confession
 - Thanksgiving
 - Supplication

Answer Key to the "Houses" (Incremental Learning Goals)
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5. Key Themes:

Genesis

- tells about the creation of the world and the first sin

Exodus

- tells about Moses
- 10 Commandments are in Exodus 20

1 Samuel

- tells the story of David and Goliath

Psalms

- Shows God's people how to talk to him and to worship him.

Luke

- Jesus' birth

Revelation

- tells about the end of earthly life and the beginning of eternal life.
6. Recognize and know the basic groupings of the Old and New Testament Books:

OLD TESTAMENT	BOOK (Chapters)
Law	Genesis (50) Exodus (40) Leviticus (27) Numbers (36) Deuteronomy (34)
History	Joshua (24) Judges (21) Ruth (4) 1 Samuel (31) 2 Samuel (24) 1 Kings (22) 2 Kings (25) 1 Chronicles (29) 2 Chronicles (36) Ezra (10) Nehemiah (13) Esther (10)
Poetry	Job (42) Psalms (150) Proverbs (31) Ecclesiastes (12) Song of Songs (8)
Major	Isaiah (66) Jeremiah (52)

NEW TESTAMENT	Book (Chapters)
The Gospels	Matthew (28) Mark (16) Luke (24) John (21)
The Early Church	Acts (28)
Letters of Paul	Romans (16) 1 Corinthians (16) 2 Corinthians (13) Galatians (6) Ephesians (6) Philippians (4) Colossians (4) 1 Thessalonians (5) 2 Thessalonians (3) 1 Timothy (6) 2 Timothy (4) Titus (3) Philemon (1)
Epistle Letters	Hebrews (13) James (5) 1 Peter (5) 2 Peter (3) 1 John (5) 2 John (1) 3 John (1) Jude (1)
Prophecy	Revelation (22)

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4. Define Sin. Sin is disobeying God. It is being separated from God because of wrong thoughts, attitudes, words or actions. Anything we do that makes God unhappy is a sin. When we sin we have chosen to do things our way instead of God's way.

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North America	Europe
South America	Australia
Europe	Africa
Asia	
3. Learn Acts 1:8 and what it means. (What is our Jerusalem, Judea, Samaria?)
 Jerusalem: Birmingham, neighborhoods, school, park—where we live. Judea: Alabama
 Samaria: North America
 To the ends of the earth: Outside of North America—to all the nations!
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Other

1. Learn the 10 commandments and what they mean.

	Commandment	Meaning	Obey it by:
1	Have no gods before me.	Trust God only.	Pray to God for your needs.
2	Have no idols.	Worship God only.	Thank and praise God.
3	Don't misuse God's name.	Use God's name respectfully.	Do not use God's name to swear.
4	Keep the Sabbath holy.	Rest and think about God.	Pay attention in church.
5	Honor your father and mother.	Respect your parents.	Obey your mom & dad.
6	Do not murder.	Protect human life.	Help other not to get hurt.
7	Do not commit adultery.	Be true to your husband or wife.	Keep promises you make.
8	Do not steal.	Don't take what belongs to others.	Don't take things that aren't yours.
9	Do no give false testimony.	Do not lie.	Be truthful and do not gossip.
10	Do not covet.	Don't want what others have.	Be satisfied with what you have.

2. Learn the Lord's Prayer. Matthew 6:9-13
 "Our Father in Heaven hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our debts (sins) as we also have forgiven our debtors (those who sin against us). And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from the evil one." Ending: For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever, Amen.
3. Name the 12 Disciples.

Simon Peter	Thomas
Andrew	Matthew

James	James
John	Jude
Phillip	Simon
Bartholomew	Judas

4. The Armor of God: Ephesians 6:10-17

Belt of Truth	Shield of Faith
Breastplate of Righteousness	Helmet of Salvation
Gospel Shoes of Peace	Sword of the Spirit (Word of God)

5. Learn the ACTS way of praying.

A - Adoration (Praise God for who He is)

C - Confession of your sins (Telling God what you have done wrong & asking Him to forgive you)

T - Thanksgiving (Thank God for all the things He has given and done for you)

S - Supplication (Petition: praying for yourself Intercession: praying for others)