

2017-18 3rd Grade Curriculum Schedule



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OPEN HOUSE - Sept 24, 2017		LESSONS FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER				
FIRST QUARTER BEGINS (First day of lessons)	10/1/2017	Week 1: Pharaoh's Opposition And The Ten Plagues	Showing the power of God and His care for His people.	ACCEPTANCE	The Trisagion (Holy God, Holy Mighty...)	1- Amen Allulia Doxapatri & 2- First Gospel Response for Kiahk
	10/8/2017	Week 2: Passover	To understand the love and care of God towards us and towards those who have faith in Him.	ACCEPTANCE	The Trisagion (Holy God, Holy Mighty...)	1- Amen Allulia Doxapatri & 2- First Gospel Response for Kiahk
	10/15/2017	Week 3: Crossing The Red Sea	Show the children that God can do the impossible.	COMPASSION	The Trisagion (Holy God, Holy Mighty...)	1- Amen Allulia Doxapatri & 2- First Gospel Response for Kiahk
	10/22/2017	Week 4: The Cloud And The Pillar Of Light	Showing that God guides His children along the way.	COMPASSION	The Trisagion (Holy God, Holy Mighty...)	1- Amen Allulia Doxapatri & 2- First Gospel Response for Kiahk
Monthly Birthday Celebration	10/29/2017	Filler lesson 1 - Communion	the great gift of communion	COURAGE	The Trisagion (Holy God, Holy Mighty...)	1- Amen Allulia Doxapatri & 2- First Gospel Response for Kiahk
		LESSONS FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER				
	11/5/2017	Week 1: The Manna And The Quails	To show the children that God can provide for us	COURAGE	The Trisagion (Holy God, Holy Mighty...)	1- Amen Allulia Doxapatri & 2- First Gospel Response for Kiahk
Rewards Day	11/12/2017	Week 2: Water From The Rocks	Showing the Lord's care for His people.	GENEROSITY	The Trisagion (Holy God, Holy Mighty...)	1- Amen Allulia Doxapatri & 2- First Gospel Response for Kiahk
	11/19/2017	Week 3: Moses at the Mountain Receiving the Ten Commandments	To teach the children that keeping the commandments of the Lord is the only way to make	GENEROSITY	The Trisagion (Holy God, Holy Mighty...)	1- Amen Allulia Doxapatri & 2- First Gospel Response for Kiahk
Monthly Birthday Celebration	11/26/2017	Week 4: The Murmuring Of The Jews And Their Punishment	The outcome of sin.	HONESTY	The Trisagion (Holy God, Holy Mighty...)	1- Amen Allulia Doxapatri & 2- First Gospel Response for Kiahk
		LESSONS FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER				
REVIEW Hymns & Memorization for First Quarter	12/3/2017	Week 1: Project (The Ark Of Covenant)	To know the contents of the Holy of Holies	HONESTY	The Trisagion (Holy God, Holy Mighty...)	1- Amen Allulia Doxapatri & 2- First Gospel Response for Kiahk
TESTING Hymns & Memorization for First Quarter	12/10/2017	Week 2: The Lord Cares For His People Before The Walls Of Jericho	Obedying the word of the Lord is the only way to victory.	KINDNESS	The Trisagion (Holy God, Holy Mighty...)	1- Amen Allulia Doxapatri & 2- First Gospel Response for Kiahk
TESTING Hymns & Memorization for First Quarter	12/17/2017	Week 3: A Memorable Day - The Sun Stood Still For Joshua	To show the children the power of God and His authority over the universe.	KINDNESS	The Trisagion (Holy God, Holy Mighty...)	1- Amen Allulia Doxapatri & 2- First Gospel Response for Kiahk

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1- Rewards Day & 2- SECOND QUARTER BEGINS	12/24/2017	Week 4: Adam Is Sent Out Of The Garden of Eden (An Angel Guards The Garden)	The Lord hates sin but He loves man.	PERSERVERANCE	Psalm 66	1- (weekend) Gospel Response Great Lent & 2- Thok te ti gom (Coptic)
Monthly Birthday Celebration	12/31/2017	(January) Week 1: Christ Was Born In A Manger	To show the children the love of God that He became a baby like us to know how we feel.	PERSERVERANCE	Psalm 66	1- (weekend) Gospel Response Great Lent & 2- Thok te ti gom (Coptic)
		LESSONS FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY				
	1/7/2018	Week 2: John The Baptist Baptizes Jesus Christ	To teach the children that Jesus Christ was baptized like us.	SELF-CONTROL	Psalm 66	1- (weekend) Gospel Response Great Lent & 2- Thok te ti gom (Coptic)
Rewards Day	1/14/2018	Week 3: The First Disciples	to teach the children that God can do the things we cannot do.	SELF-CONTROL	Psalm 66	1- (weekend) Gospel Response Great Lent & 2- Thok te ti gom (Coptic)
	1/21/2018	Week 4: St. Maximus And St. Domatius	To learn from the love and kindness those brothers offered to the people they healed.	CONFIDENCE	Psalm 66	1- (weekend) Gospel Response Great Lent & 2- Thok te ti gom (Coptic)
Monthly Birthday Celebration	1/28/2018	Week Before Fast: The Tower Of Babylon	Teach the children that God loves simple and humble people.	CONFIDENCE	Psalm 66	1- (weekend) Gospel Response Great Lent & 2- Thok te ti gom (Coptic)
		LESSONS FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY				
	2/4/2018	Week After Jonah's Fast: The Parable Of The Net - Good And Evil People	To teach that the good people will go to heaven.	CONTENTEDNESS	Psalm 66	1- (weekend) Gospel Response Great Lent & 2- Thok te ti gom (Coptic)
Rewards Day	2/11/2018	Week 0: Pope Kyrillos VI (Pope Cyril the Sixth)	To show the greatness of Pope Kyrillos VI	CONTENTEDNESS	Psalm 66	1- (weekend) Gospel Response Great Lent & 2- Thok te ti gom (Coptic)
Monthly Birthday Celebration	2/18/2018	Week 1: The Widow's Two Coins	Anything we give to God and others should be combined with love.	COURTEOUS COMMUNICATION	Psalm 66	1- (weekend) Gospel Response Great Lent & 2- Thok te ti gom (Coptic)
REVIEW Hymns & Memorization for Second Quarter	2/25/2018	Week 2: Abraham Finds A Wife To Isaac	God leads us and chooses what is good for us.	COURTEOUS COMMUNICATION	Psalm 66	1- (weekend) Gospel Response Great Lent & 2- Thok te ti gom (Coptic)
		LESSONS FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH				
TESTING Hymns & Memorization for Second Quarter	3/4/2018	Week 3: Confirmation	To teach the children about one of the seven sacraments of the church.	FAITHFULNESS	Psalm 66	1- (weekend) Gospel Response Great Lent & 2- Thok te ti gom (Coptic)
TESTING Hymns & Memorization for Second Quarter	3/11/2018	Week 4: Washing Of The Feet	To learn how to be humble.	FAITHFULNESS	Psalm 66	1- (weekend) Gospel Response Great Lent & 2- Thok te ti gom (Coptic)
1- Rewards Day & 2- THIRD QUARTER BEGINS	3/18/2018	Week 5: Jesus Heals A Blind Man At Bethsaida	The Lord heals our diseases.	GENTLENESS	Come Let us Kneel Down... (Prime Prayer)	1- Ton Sina (Resurrection) & 2- Acts Response Resurrection

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Monthly Birthday Celebration	3/25/2018	Week 6: The Power Of Christ When Crucified Revealed	To teach the children that Jesus was strong and mighty even when He was on the cross.	GENTLENESS	Come Let us Kneel Down... (Prime Prayer)	1- Ton Sina (Resurrection) & 2- Acts Response Resurrection
		LESSONS FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL				
PALM SUNDAY - no classes	4/1/2018	NO SUNDAY SCHOOL	n/a	n/a	Come Let us Kneel Down... (Prime Prayer)	1- Ton Sina (Resurrection) & 2- Acts Response Resurrection
EASTER SUNDAY - no classes	4/8/2018	NO SUNDAY SCHOOL	n/a	n/a	Come Let us Kneel Down... (Prime Prayer)	1- Ton Sina (Resurrection) & 2- Acts Response Resurrection
Rewards Day	4/15/2018	Week 1: Jesus Appears To Mary Magdalene	The child should feel the joy and know the events around the resurrection.	HUMILITY	Come Let us Kneel Down... (Prime Prayer)	1- Ton Sina (Resurrection) & 2- Acts Response Resurrection
Monthly Birthday Celebration	4/22/2018	Week 2: Jesus Christ Appears To His Disciples	Lord Jesus Christ overcomes death.	HUMILITY	Come Let us Kneel Down... (Prime Prayer)	1- Ton Sina (Resurrection) & 2- Acts Response Resurrection
	4/29/2018	Week 3: Almsgiving - Anba Abraam	How to show our love for others.	OBEDIENCE	Come Let us Kneel Down... (Prime Prayer)	1- Ton Sina (Resurrection) & 2- Acts Response Resurrection
		LESSONS FOR THE MONTH OF MAY				
	5/6/2018	Week 4: Lights Inside The Church	Love of the church.	OBEDIENCE	Come Let us Kneel Down... (Prime Prayer)	1- Ton Sina (Resurrection) & 2- Acts Response Resurrection
1- Rewards Day & 2- Monthly Birthday Celebration	5/13/2018	Week 5: Ascension	To understand what is the meaning of ascension.	RESPECT	Come Let us Kneel Down... (Prime Prayer)	1- Ton Sina (Resurrection) & 2- Acts Response Resurrection
REVIEW Hymns & Memorization for Third Quarter	5/20/2018	Week 6: Abraham Is Visited By God	To learn to share meals with visitors.	RESPECT	Come Let us Kneel Down... (Prime Prayer)	1- Ton Sina (Resurrection) & 2- Acts Response Resurrection
TESTING Hymns & Memorization for Third Quarter	5/27/2018	Week 7: The Pentecost	The children should feel the great love and care of God	THANKSGIVING	Come Let us Kneel Down... (Prime Prayer)	1- Ton Sina (Resurrection) & 2- Acts Response Resurrection
		LESSONS FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE				
TESTING Hymns & Memorization for Third Quarter	6/3/2018	Filler lesson 2 - Simeon the Elder	To teach the children that everything that God tells us is true	THANKSGIVING	Come Let us Kneel Down... (Prime Prayer)	1- Ton Sina (Resurrection) & 2- Acts Response Resurrection
1- Rewards Day & 2- ST. MARK'S FESTIVAL (MAHRAGAN) BEGINS	6/10/2018	Filler lesson 3 - The Angels, Their Praises And Their Services To The People	To feel the presence of the angels.	COOPERATION	Mahragan Memorization	Mahragan Hymns
	6/17/2018	Filler lesson 4 - The Angel That Appeared To Gideon	The Lord sends His angels to the Saints, and fights for us.	COOPERATION	Mahragan Memorization	Mahragan Hymns
Monthly Birthday Celebration	6/24/2018	Filler lesson 5 - The Angel That Appeared To Manoah	To be kind and welcome strangers to our homes and church.	FORGIVENESS	Mahragan Memorization	Mahragan Hymns

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		LESSONS FOR THE MONTH OF JULY				
	7/1/2018	Filler lesson 6 - Acts of Charity: Tabitha	To learn how to help the poor.	FORGIVENESS	Mahragan Memorization	Mahragan Hymns
Rewards Day	7/8/2018	Week 2: The Apostles Feast	To know that Christ loves sinners in the same way He loves the righteous.	HARMONY	Mahragan Memorization	Mahragan Hymns
	7/15/2018	Week 3: Jesus Heals A Centurion's Servant	God can perform miracles. He can do anything.	HARMONY	Mahragan Memorization	Mahragan Hymns
	7/22/2018	Week 4: Showing Respect For Priesthood - Korah And Dathan	We must show respect for our fathers the priests.	JOY	Mahragan Memorization	Mahragan Hymns
Monthly Birthday Celebration	7/29/2018	Filler lesson 7- Heavenly Hosts (Cherubim, Seraphim, and the Four Incorporeal Creatures)	To learn about the service of the angels.	JOY	Mahragan Memorization	Mahragan Hymns
		LESSONS FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST				
	8/5/2018	Week 1: Repentance And Confession	To understand that God cares for him and wants to forgive sins	PATIENCE	Mahragan Memorization	Mahragan Hymns
Rewards Day	8/12/2018	Week 2: St. Youstina	The children will learn through this lesson the power of the saints and their prayers.	PATIENCE	Mahragan Memorization	Mahragan Hymns
	8/19/2018	Week 3: The Feast Of The Virgin - The Appearance In Zeiton	To learn the story of St. Mary	RIGHTEOUSNESS	Mahragan Memorization	Mahragan Hymns
Monthly Birthday Celebration	8/26/2018	Week 4: Intercession	The children should realize that the great saints don't die. They just move from our world	RIGHTEOUSNESS	Mahragan Memorization	Mahragan Hymns
		LESSONS FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER				
Rewards Day	9/2/2018	Week 1: Thankful Leper	Always remember the good things that God gives us and thank Him for it.	RIGHTEOUSNESS	Mahragan Memorization	Mahragan Hymns