

Corpus Christi Catholic Primary School

Book of Prayers





Our School Prayer

Heavenly Father,
You sent Your Son,
to be the Way, the Truth and the Life.

Teach us to walk with You,
to live by Your Truth,
and to grow in Your love,

that we may be the Body of Christ,
Corpus Christi.

Amen.



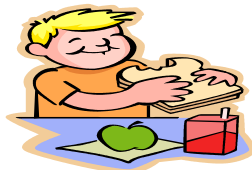
Sign of the Cross

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

Morning Prayer



Father in Heaven, I give you today
All that I think and do and say.
I offer it up with what was done
by Jesus Christ your loving Son.
Amen



Prayer before meals

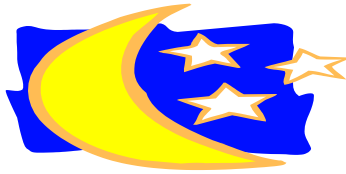
Bless us O Lord as we sit together,
Bless the food we eat today,
Bless the hands that made the food
Bless us O Lord.
Amen



Prayer after meals

Thank you Lord for the food we have eaten,
Thank you Lord for all our friends,
Thank you Lord for everything.

Amen

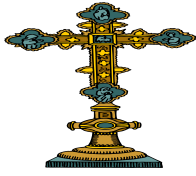


Evening Prayer

God our Father we come to say,
Thank you for your love today,
Thank you for my family, and all the friends you
give to me.

Guard me in the dark of night
And in the morning send your light.

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.



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.

I Confess

I confess to almighty God
and to you, my brothers and sisters,
that I have greatly sinned
in my thoughts and in my words,
in what I have done and in what I have failed to do,
through my fault, through my fault,
through my most grievous fault;

therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin,
all the Angels and saints,
and you, my brothers and sisters,
to pray for me to the Lord our God.

The Gloria

Glory to God in the highest
and on earth peace to people of good will.
we praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King.
O God, almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.
The word of the Lord
Response: Thanks be to God

The Creed

I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.
I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
and became man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day
in accordance with the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no end.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the son is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come.
Amen.

The Holy Holy

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

The Lamb of God

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
Have mercy on us.

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Have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
grant us peace.

Before Communion:

Blessed are those called to the supper of the lamb

Lord I am not worthy
that you should enter under my roof,
but only say the word
And my soul shall be healed.

At Communion The Body of Christ

Response: 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 Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended to into hell;
on the third day he rose again from the dead.
he ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father
almighty;
from there he will come to judge the living 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 life everlasting.

Amen.

Act of faith



O my God, I firmly believe that you are one God in three divine Persons, 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 which the Holy Catholic Church teaches because you have revealed them, who can neither deceive or be deceived.

Amen.

Act of contrition



O my God, because you are so good,
I am very sorry that I have sinned against you,
and by the help of your grace,
I will not sin again.

Hail Holy Queen

Hail, holy Queen, Mother of mercy, hail, our life,
our sweetness and our hope. To thee do we cry,
poor banished children of Eve: to thee do we send
up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this vale of
tears. Turn then, most gracious Advocate, thine
eyes of mercy toward us, and after this our exile,
show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus,
O merciful, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary!
Amen.



Fatima Prayer

O my Jesus, forgive us of our sins.
Save us from the fires of hell;
Lead all souls into heaven,
especially those in most need of thy mercy.



The Rosary

All prayers of the Rosary are meditative prayers. This means you need to think about the prayers and the meaning of the stories behind the mysteries as you say them.

* Joyful Mysteries *

The Annunciation

The Angel Gabriel tells Mary she is going to be the mother of Jesus

The Visitation

Mary visits her cousin Elizabeth to tell her how happy she is that she is going to have a baby

The Birth of Jesus

Jesus is born in Bethlehem

The Presentation in the Temple

Mary and Joseph take Jesus to the temple to offer him to God

The Finding in the Temple

Jesus was lost and was found listening to the leaders in the temple

* The Mysteries of Light *

Jesus is baptised in the Jordan

Jesus is baptised by John the Baptist

The Wedding of Cana

Jesus reveals his glory and turns water into wine

Jesus proclaims the Kingdom of God

Jesus proclaims the good news. The light of his love shines on everyone.

The Transfiguration

The disciples saw Jesus shining in light. God said 'This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased'.

The Last Supper and Institution of the Eucharist

Jesus said 'This is my body', 'This is my blood'

*** The Sorrowful Mysteries ***

The Agony in the Garden

Jesus was afraid and prayed for God's help because he knew what was going to happen to him.

The Scourging at the Pillar

The soldiers beat Jesus with whips.

The Crowning with Thorns

The soldiers put a crown of thorns on Jesus' head and made fun of him.

The Carrying of the Cross

Jesus was made to carry a heavy cross on his back.

The Crucifixion and Death of Jesus

Jesus dies on the cross.

*** The Glorious Mysteries ***

The Resurrection

His grave is empty; Jesus has risen from the dead.

The Ascension

Jesus returns to his Father in heaven. He promises to prepare a place for his friends there.

The Decent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles

Jesus sends the Holy Spirit to his disciples.

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin into Heaven

Mary goes to heaven to be with her Son.

The Crowning of the Blessed Virgin as Queen of Heaven

Mary is crowned by Jesus as queen of the angels and saints in heaven.

A Simple Rosary

Begin by holding the crucifix and saying and making the 'Sign of the Cross', then say the 'Apostles Creed'.

On the single bead above the cross say the 'Our Father'



The next set has 3 beads. The 'Hail Mary' prayer is said on each of these beads.

On the chain or cord after the three beads say the 'Glory Be'.

On the next bead, which is a single bead, you say the name of the first divine mystery you are going to think about. For example, you might say 'The Annunciation' from the Joyful Mysteries, then you say the 'Our Father'.

This will bring you to the decade or group of 10 beads. You say 10 'Hail Marys' while thinking about the first mystery.

After the ten beads you say the 'Glory Be' and the 'Fatima Prayer'.

On the single bead between the decades of beads you say the 'Our Father'

You will now come to the second group of 10 beads, you announce the next mystery in the set and say the 'Hail Mary' while thinking about the mystery.

You continue to pray the rosary the same way throughout. When you want to end you say the 'Glory Be', the 'Fatima Prayer', the 'Our Father' and end the rosary with the 'Hail Holy Queen' and the sign of the cross.

