



St. Michael School

Second Grade Prayers

Prayers to be learned by Second Graders

Memorize	Introduced
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Sign of the Cross2. Hail Mary3. Our Father4. Glory Be To the Father5. Angel of God6. Prayers Before and After Meals7. Prayer to Saint Michael8. Act of Contrition9. The Apostles' Creed	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Prayers of Spontaneous of Praise, Sorrow, & Petition2. Responses at Mass

1. The Sign of the Cross

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen

2. Hail Mary

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with you, blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now and at the hour of our death.

Amen

3. 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

4. Glory Be to the Father

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

5. Angel of God

Angel of God, my guardian dear,
To whom God's love entrust me here,
Ever this day be at my side,
To light and guard, to rule and guide.

Amen

6. Prayer Before Meals

Bless us, O Lord, and these Thy gifts which we are about to receive from Thy bounty, through Christ, our Lord.

Amen

Prayer After Meals

We give You thanks for Your benefits, Almighty God who lives and reigns forever; and may the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Amen

7. Prayer to Saint Michael

St. Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle:
Be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil.
May God rebuke him, we humbly pray;
And do Thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host,
By the power of God, cast into hell, Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl
about the world seeking the ruin of souls.

Amen

8. Act of Contrition

O, my God, I am heartily sorry for having offended Thee. I detest all my sins because of Thy just punishment, but most of all because they offend You my God, Who are all good and deserving of all my love. I firmly resolve, with the help of Thy grace, to sin no more and to avoid the near occasion of sin.

Amen

9. The 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 into hell; the third day He arose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, sits at the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; from thence He shall 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

The second graders also study the Ten Commandments. Please memorize these.

The Ten Commandments

I am the Lord your God: you shall not have strange gods before me.
You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain.
Remember to keep holy the Lord's Day.
Honor your father and mother.
You shall not kill.
You shall not commit adultery.
You shall not steal.
You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.
You shall not covet your neighbor's wife.
You shall not covet your neighbor's