



# HOLY FAMILY - HOLY NAME SCHOOL

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Pre-3 Class  
Miss Kelly and Mrs. Britton  
SUMMER PACKET  
2019-2020



Jesus Loves the Little Children

*"Holy Family-Holy Name School  
is a Christ-centered academic community instilling Catholic beliefs and  
gospel values and nurturing students' gifts of faith and intellect by  
surrounding them with a family of faculty, staff, and volunteers whose  
vocation it is to serve."*

Dear Parents,

We hope you are enjoying your summer! This is surely a time that your child is exploring and learning all kinds of new things. In the midst of all of this, we have some things that may help your child get ready for preschool. In this packet please find:

- A list of **Prayers** which we use on a daily basis.  
(Please review these with your child)
- A list of **LETTERS, NUMBERS, SHAPES and COLORS** for your child to practice identifying, writing or drawing.
- **REQUIRED** Summer Reading Books as well as a list of suggested books to read!! (Great for summer library trips!)
- A list of Suggested Websites to check out.
- Some ways to help prepare your child for Pre-3.

We can't wait to get to know your child! We hope you enjoy your summer. Have fun and we will see you soon!

God Bless,  
The Pre-3 Staff



## HFHN Prayer List

Here is a list of prayers that we say daily in our classroom. Please say them with your child over the summer. Thank you for your cooperation & support at home!



The Sign of the Cross (while blessing themselves): In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.



The School Promise Prayer (school-wide): Today I promise to keep Jesus in my mind, on my lips and in my heart. I promise to always do my best and treat everyone with respect and kindness. I promise to take good care of everything God has given me and to always have the courage to do what Jesus wants me to do. Today I promise to live what Holy Family-Holy Name School teaches. Amen.



Morning Offering (school-wide): O Jesus, through the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I offer you all my prayers, works, and sufferings of this day. For all the intentions of your Sacred Heart. In union with the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass throughout the world. In reparation for all my sins. For the intentions of all our families, friends, and benefactors, and in particular, for the intentions of our Holy Father for this month. Amen.



Our Father (Preschool & up): 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 (Preschool & up): 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.



Glory Be (Preschool & up): 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.



Prayer to Your Guardian Angel (Preschool & up): Angel of God my Guardian dear, to whom God's love commits me here. Ever this day be at my side, to light and guard, to rule and guide. Amen.

End of the Day Prayer (Preschool): Father, Thank you for the night. Thank you for the day for the chance to do some work and for the chance to play. Thank you, for my family, father, mother too, and for all my playmates. But most of all for you. Amen.



Grace Before Meals (Preschool & up): God is great; God is good, let us thank Him for our food. Amen.

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

OR: Thank you God for the food I eat. Vegetables, fruit, milk and meat. Food tastes good and helps me grow. From my head down to my toes. Thank you God for helping me grow. Amen.



# Letters and Numbers

A B C D E F G H

I J K L M N O P

Q R S T U V W X

Y Z

0 1 2 3 4 5

6 7 8 9 10





## Required Summer Reading Books Preschool-3 2019-2020

\***The Very Hungry Caterpillar - Eric Carle**

\***Jesus Loves me - Laura Logan**

(Please label books with child's name in Permanent Marker)



## Highly Suggested Reading

- Nelson, Tommy. My Little Bible (Bible Stories)
- Brown, Margaret W. Goodnight Moon
- Ketes, Ezra Jack. Over in The Meadow
- McCloskey, Robert. Make Way for Ducklings
- Jonathan Allen- I'm Not Ready!
- Shane Derolf -The Crayon Box That Talked.
- Shane Derolf & Oliver Jeffers-The Day the Crayons Quit
- Natasha Wing - The Night Before Preschool.
- Paige Britt -Why Am I Me?
- Maria Dismondy- Spaghetti in a Hot Dog Bun
- Dr. Seuss Books
- Todd Parr Books
- Eric Carle Books
- Pete The Cat Series
- Any Fairy Tales, Folk Tales or Nursery Rhymes

- Books that reinforce/introduce: letter, number, shape, color recognition
  - Books that reinforce: Manners, Friendship, Sharing
- There are SO MANY more wonderful books out there! :)

Here are some suggested WEBSITES for Parents.  
You may find them helpful.

- <http://www.seussville.com/>
- <http://pbskids.org>
- [www.abcteach.com](http://www.abcteach.com)
- [www.starfall.com](http://www.starfall.com)
- [www.nickjr.com](http://www.nickjr.com)
- <https://www.funbrain.com/>
- <https://www.scholastic.com/parents/kids-activities-and-printables.html> (activities and helpful to pick out age appropriate books )
- <http://disneyjunior.disney.com.au/games>
- [www.abcmouse.com](http://www.abcmouse.com)
- [www.jumpstart.com](http://www.jumpstart.com)
- <http://www.eric-carle.com/home.html>
- <https://www.commonensemedia.org/app-reviews/hungry-caterpillar-play-school> (for an app)

I-pad Apps.

**\*AlphaTots Alphabet**

**\*Beck and Bo**

**\*Monkey Preschool Lunchbox**

**\*Park Math - by Duck Duck Moose**

**\* Kahn Academy Kids: free educational games & books**