# CRE NOTES GRADE THREE

CARE FOR THE PLANTS	
I. God created the	and everything in it
2. He created the dry land	and called it
3. The water that came to	gether God called it
4. On the third day God cr	eated all
5. God send	from the sky which makes plants to grow
6. Man uses plants for	
7. God created everything	in days
8. He rested on	day
CARING FOR ANIMALS (G	GEN 1:20-24) (PSALMS 148: 7-10)
I. All animals were create	ed by
2. Some animals live in th	e while others live on land
3. Animals that live at hor	ne are called

4. Name four domestic animals	
5. Animals that are live in the forest are called	
6. Name four wild animals	
7. Sea animals and birds were created on	day
8. Man was created on the day	
9. Write three ways you can care for animals at hom	ne
I0. Atreat sick animals	
HOW GOD CARES FOR HIS CREATION (MATHEW 6:	24-34)
I. Birds in the air are fed by	
2. God askedto take care of His crea	ition
3. God cares for His creation by providing	and
4. We should notabout what we shall	eat tomorrow

- 5. God makes the flowers \_\_\_\_\_(ugly, beautiful)
- 6. God takes care of \_\_\_\_\_ beings
- 7. God provides \_\_\_\_\_\_ for the birds
- 8. God want us to take care of His \_\_\_\_\_
- 9. Draw two things that God created

# THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY

# WORSHIPPING GOD AT HOME (PSALMS 92:1-2, DEUT 6:4-9)

I We worship God at home when we \_\_\_\_\_(sleep, pray, rest)

- 2. We should worship God \_\_\_\_\_\_ (all the times, when we need)
- 3. God want us to worship God by

4. At home we can pray for

5. We should worship god always

Worshiping God in church (I Sam I:21-28, Luke 2:4	-42)
I. God wants us to worship Him in the	
2. We worship God in church by	
The femily of Elikensh werehinsed Cod in	(Shilah Emmaua)
3. The family of Elikanah worshipped God in	(Shilon, Emmaus)
4. The wife of Elikanah was	
6. God gave her a boy called	
7. Hannah dedicated Samuel to	_(church, temple)
8. Samuel served in the temple with priest	(Elikanah, Eli)
OBSERVING THE SABBATH/ LORDS DAY	
GEN 2:1-3, Exodus 20:8-1 I	
I. The lords' day is also called	
2. God created everything in days	
3. On the seventh day God	
4. God blessed the seventh day and made it	
5. We keep the Sabbath day holy by	
6. Christians worship God in a	

7. Muslims worship God in a \_\_\_\_\_

# TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

Africans names of God

I in Africa there are \_\_\_\_\_ communities (one, many)

2. Every community has a \_\_\_\_\_\_ name for God (different, same)

Community	God's name	
Nandi		
Luo		
Luhya		
Kamba		
Kikuyu		
Turkana		
Maasai		
Giriama		

4. In Jews traditional Jesus means \_\_\_\_\_

5. God told Moses His name was \_\_\_\_\_

- 6. Emmanuel means\_\_\_\_\_
- 7. Enkai means provider of \_\_\_\_\_
- 8. God is called \_\_\_\_\_ in my community

WORSHIPING GOD IN TRADITIONAL AFRICAN SOCIETY (EXO 23:14-19 NUMBER 15:17-21)

I Long ago people worshipped God in \_\_\_\_\_ places (same, different)

2. Some worshiped God

3. Write different times when people in tra-	ditional African society pray to God
4. When worshiping God we should also gi	
5. We should worship God in o	ccasions (same, different)
SIMILARITIES AND DIFFERENCES OF WOR CHRISTIANITY	SHIP IN TRADITIONAL AFRICAN SOCIETY AND
SIMILARITIES IN WAYS OF WORSHIP	
I. They all worshipped	
2. They both r_sp_ct_d God	
3. They prayed during special	(occasions, pray)
4. They sing when w_shi_ing	
DIFFERENCES IN WAYS OF WORSHIP TRADITIONAL SOCIETY	CHRISTIANITY
They offered an_m_ls	No animal is s_cr_f_ced
No b_pt_sm	There is b
Priest did not know how to read and	Priest can read and

	Worship the living
Worshipped God through a_c_st_rs	Christians worship in
They wershipped in and	They believe God and
They worshipped in and	
Worshiping was done facing the s_n or	
mntn	

## THE BIBLE STORIES (MATHEW 1:16-18

The patriarchs Hebrews 11:17-24

I. The forefathers of Israel were called \_\_\_\_\_

2. They are great men of \_\_\_\_\_(love, fear)

3. Name six patriarchs of Israel

4. \_\_\_\_\_ offered his son as sacrifice

5. God promised Abraham that he would make him the father pf a \_\_\_\_\_\_ nation

6. The two sons of Isaac were \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

7. Joseph became a governor in the land of \_\_\_\_\_\_ (Israel, Egypt)

8. Moses was hidden by his parents for \_\_\_\_\_ months

9. With the help of God \_\_\_\_\_\_ freed the Israelites from Egypt

# THE STORY OF DAVID AND GOLIATH (I SAM17:41-54)

- I. The philistines decided to fight the \_\_\_\_\_(Israelites, Egyptian)
- 2. The philistines were led by a giant called \_\_\_\_\_(David, Goliath)
- 3. David was the youngest son of \_\_\_\_\_ (Jesse, Solomon)
- 4. David killed Goliath with a \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. David defeated the giant because he \_\_\_\_\_\_ in God (loved, trusted)
- 6. When we are faced with a problem we should \_\_\_\_\_ in God (fear, trust)

THE STORY OF LYDIA (ACTS 16:11-15)

- I. Lydia was a \_\_\_\_\_ woman
- 2. Lydia came from \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. She used to make purple \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. She listened to the word of God from \_\_\_\_\_ (peter, Paul)
- 5. Lydia was baptized by \_\_\_\_\_
- 6. She welcomed the \_\_\_\_\_\_to her home (neighbors, apostles)
- 7. God is happy when we welcome visitors

THE BIRTH OF JESUS CHRIST (MATHEW 1:18-23, HEB1:1-2, JOHN 3:16)

I The birth of Jesus Christ was foretold many years ago by \_\_\_\_\_ (prophet, angel)

- 2. It was foretold by prophet \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Jesus Christ was the only son of \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. The parents of Jesus were \_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. He was born to save us from \_\_\_\_\_
- 6. Prophet Isaiah said he would be called \_\_\_\_\_
- 7. Emmanuel means \_\_\_\_\_

8.	God showed H	lis great love to us	s through

9. Jesus suffered so that we could be \_\_\_\_\_ our sins

THE BIRTH OF JESUS CHRIST

# MEANING OF ADVENT

I The day we were born is called\_\_\_\_\_

2. Christians celebrate the \_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus in the month of December

3. Time taken to prepare for Christmas is called \_\_\_\_\_\_

4. Christians should prepare for Christmas by

5. All preparations done should glorify Jesus Christ

GETTING READY FOR ADVENT (LUKE 3:4-6)

- I. The coming of Emmanuel was prepared by -----
- 2. The parents of John the Baptist were \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. John came \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus Christ (after, before)
- 4. John was preaching in the desert of \_\_\_\_\_(Jordan, Judea)
- 5. He told people to prepare for the coming of Jesus by \_\_\_\_\_\_ (repenting, forgetting)
- 6. John the Baptist was a \_\_\_\_\_ to Jesus (brother, cousin)
- 7. When we repent our sins we shall see God's \_\_\_\_\_\_ (salvation, peace)

# SHARING THE JOY OF CHRISTMASS (LUKE 2:10)

I The birth of Jesus brought \_\_\_\_\_\_ to the people (joy, sorrow)

- 2. The good news about Jesus' birth was brought to the shepherds by \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. The shepherds were taking care of their \_\_\_\_\_ during the night

4. When the angel appeared to the shepherd he told them not to be \_\_\_\_\_\_(jealous, afraid)

5. Jesus was born in the town of \_\_\_\_\_\_

6. The first people to see baby Jesus were \_\_\_\_\_

THE STORY OF THE BIRTH OF JESUS CHRIST (LUKE 2:1-20 MATHEW 1:18-24)

I. The parents of Jesus were \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

- 2. Mary was told by the \_\_\_\_\_ that he was going to have a baby
- 3. The angel told Joseph to call the baby \_\_\_\_\_ (Jehovah, Jesus)
- 4. Jesus means \_\_\_\_\_ of the world
- 5. Mary and joseph had gone to \_\_\_\_\_\_to be counted
- 6. Baby Jesus was born in a \_\_\_\_\_
- 7. The second group to visit baby Jesus were the \_\_\_\_\_ (shepherds, wise men)
- 8. The wise men came from the \_\_\_\_\_
- 9. They were led by a \_\_\_\_\_
- 10. Name the gifts they brought to Jesus

WHAT WE SHARE DURING CHRISTMASS

I The act of giving out what you have to others is \_\_\_\_\_

- 2. People should share as a sign of \_\_\_\_\_ (joy, hatred, love)
- 3. Giving to the \_\_\_\_\_\_ is a way of welcoming Jesus during Christmas (rich, poor)
- 4. God shares His ----rerended with us (love, money)

5. He gave us His son \_\_\_\_\_ to die for us

6. We should learn to s\_\_\_\_\_

# THE WORSHIPPING COMMUNITY

This is a community of Christians who love and praise God together

Ways of worshipping (1stthessolonian5:18 psalms100:4)

I there is \_\_\_\_\_ ways of worshiping God (one, many)

- 2. Giving thanks and \_\_\_\_\_ God are some of them (praising, fighting)
- 3. Write four things that we thank God for

4. King \_\_\_\_\_\_wrote a hymn for thanksgiving to the Lord (Saul, David)

5. We should enter the temple gate with \_\_\_\_\_ (thanksgiving, worry)

6. We should go in to His courts with \_\_\_\_\_(sorrow, praise)

PRAISINGHIM (EXODUS15:1-18,2SAM 6:14)

I Praising is a way of \_\_\_\_\_ God (worshipping, praise)

2. Name three ways of praising God

6. Good actions include

<sup>3.</sup> King David led people into \_\_\_\_\_\_ for the Lord (crying, dancing)

<sup>4.</sup> We should be thankful to God in \_\_\_\_\_\_ circumstances (some, all)

<sup>5.</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ led the Israelites into dancing and praising God (Moses, Joshua)

7. We should be \_\_\_\_\_ to others

DOING GOOD ACTION (MATHEW 7:9-12, 1 KING 17:8-24)

I. Doing \_\_\_\_\_\_ action is a way of worshipping God (bad, good)

2. Name same of the good action

- 3. God sent Elijah to town at \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. The widow of zarephath lived with her \_\_\_\_\_ (son, daughter)
- 5. Two things Elijah asked from the widow (milk, bread, water, meat)
- 6. Elijah raised the \_\_\_\_\_ of the widow (daughter, son)
- 7. God want us to do good actions \_\_\_\_\_ (sometimes, always)

# FORGIVING OTHERS (MATH6:14-15, PSALMS 32)

- I \_\_\_\_\_means to stop feeling angry with those who have annoyed you
- 2. When we hurt other people we should ask for \_\_\_\_\_ (love, forgiveness)

- 3. God forgives us when we \_\_\_\_\_ others (hate, forgive)
- 4. When we forgive we live in \_\_\_\_\_ (peace, piece)
- 5. We should learn to forgive

# PRAYING PSALMS 4:8 DAN 6:11-24

- I. Praying is a way of \_\_\_\_\_ God (worshipping, forgiving)
- 2. We talk to God through \_\_\_\_\_\_ (bible, prayer)
- 3. Daniel was a man of \_\_\_\_\_ (Satan, God)
- 4. He prayed Yahweh \_\_\_\_\_\_ times a day (four, three)
- 5. Daniel was thrown in the den of lions by king \_\_\_\_\_(David, Darius)
- 6. The lion did not eat Daniel
- 7. Daniel trusted in \_\_\_\_\_(Darius, God)
- 8. We should trust in \_\_\_\_\_

WORSHIPPING GOD AT HOME AND AT CHURCH (PSALMS34:18 MATH28:20)

- I At home we can worship God by \_\_\_\_\_
- Reading the \_\_\_\_\_
- Singing\_\_\_\_\_
- Praying before\_\_\_\_\_
- Praying for the\_\_\_\_\_
- 2. God want us to work for \_\_\_\_\_days
- 3. We worship God\_\_\_\_\_(once, always)
- 4. God want us to worship Him by
- Clapping our \_\_\_\_\_
- Shouting with \_\_\_\_\_(fear, joy)

Blowing \_\_\_\_\_(trumpet, drums)

# UNIT 7

## **RENSPOSIBILITIES AND SERVICES**

God given abilities (Mathew 25:14 - 28)

- I. An \_\_\_\_\_\_ is what one can do very well
- 2. Abilities are given by \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Abilities are also called special \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. The master called \_\_\_\_\_\_ servants and gave them different amount of money to trade
- 5. Each servant was given money according to their \_\_\_\_\_
- 6. The first servant got \_\_\_\_\_thousand coins
- 7. The second servant got \_\_\_\_\_thousand coins
- 8. The third servant got \_\_\_\_\_thousand coins
- 9. The master was unhappy with the \_\_\_\_\_\_servant

Responsibilities of children, teachers and parents

- I. Children should \_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ their parents
- 2. It is the responsibility of parents to provide their children with \_\_\_\_\_\_needs
- 3. Parents should teach children the ways of the
- 4. From the teacher the learners can learn to be
- 5. \_\_\_\_\_

Qualities of a good leader

Helper and wiling toserve (Mathew 24: 45-50, mark10: 17-22, luke17:7-10)

- I. Jesus was a good leader faithful and \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. A good leader follows Jesus\_\_\_\_\_
- 3. A good leader is always willing to share with the \_\_\_\_\_people (rich, poor)
- 4. A good leader is dedicated to work for \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. State five qualities of a good leader
- 6. \_\_\_\_\_

A good leader should not steal (mark10:19)

Stealing is not good

A good leader does not steal

God commands us not to

Commit murder Commit adultery Not steal Not accuse anyone falsely Do not cheat Respect your father and mother God commands us to obey his commandments There are 10 commandments

A good leader is not afraid to tell the truth (luke15:11-24)

- I. Telling the truth is being honest
- 2. Telling lies is against God's commandments
- 3. A good leader should always tell the truth
- 4. In the story of the prodigal son the father had \_\_\_\_\_\_sons
- 5. The younger son asked for hisshare of property
- 6. The son sold his property and went to a far country
- 7. He spent his money \_\_\_\_\_ (wisely, badly)
- 8. His father welcomed him back and forgave him
- 9. The prodigal son fed with the pigs

10. A good leader does not cheat

- II. \_\_\_\_\_is making someone believe what is not true (respect, cheating)
- 12. In the town of \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus forgave the sick

#### **UNIT 8**

## SPIRIT FILLED PEOPLE

The promise of Holy Spirit by Jesus

The Holy Spirit is the helper

The Holy Spirit helps us to understand God's teaching

The Holy Spirit lives in us

It is good to keep a promise

Jesus promised the disciples the Holy Spirit

The Holy Spirit is the spirit of God in us

I will thank God for the Holy Spirit

Memorize john 14:16

How the disciples prepared for the coming of the Holy Spirit

The Holy Spirit is our helper

The disciples waited for the Holy Spirit in a town called Jerusalem

They waited for the Holy Spirit by being patient and praying together

We should pray with other people

I will wait for the Holy Spirit patiently

We prepare for the Holy Spirit by

Praying

Repenting

# DAY OF PENTECOST (ACTS2:1-4)

These is the day the helper came

The Holy Spirit came in form of \_\_\_\_\_\_ of fire (river, tongue)

The disciples spoke in different language but they understood each other

The Holy Spirit came on the day f Pentecost

The Holy Spirit gives us power

The Israelites celebrated Pentecost once a year

A strong wind and tongues of fire were signs of the Holy Spirit touched them

Peter stood up and preached to the many people when the helper came

THE WORK OF THE HOLY SPRIT

The Holy Spirit gives us courage

The Holy Spirit removes fear and gives us courage

He helps us to perform miracles

Holy Spirit changed peter from a coward to a brave apostle

Prophet Joel had said that God would send his holy spirit to all people

The Holy Spirit gave the disciple strength to

Heal the sick

Preach the good news

Strike out demons

Perform miracles

The Holy Spirit gives us ability to share (Acts2:44-47)

Sharing is giving some of what you have to somebody else

We are supposed to share what we have

It is our Christian duty to share

There is happiness in giving than in receiving

The Holy Spirit gives us ability to work hard

TOLERANCE AND FORGIVENESS

How it feels to be unforgiven

When one is not forgiven he feels

Rejected

Hurt

Sad

Hated

Humiliated

God lives us and merciful

God judges those who sin against Him

When God forgives us we feel happy and free

God will forgive us our mistakes if we confess

When we sin against God we feel guilty and sad

HOW GOD JUDGES THE UNFORGIVING

- I. We should forgive those who wrong us
- 2. When we do not forgive others they suffer
- 3. We should forgive and forget
- 4. When we forgive we are at peace with God and others

- 5. Jesus taught that we should forgive \_\_\_\_\_times \_\_\_\_\_times
- 6. Forgiving seven times seventy means forgiving all times
- 7. It feels good to be forgiven
- 8. When we forgive other people God is happy with us
- 9. It is our Christian duty to forgive others
- 10. Complete happy are those whose \_\_\_\_\_are forgiven, whose wrongs are\_\_\_\_\_

Ways people were forgiven In TAS

Elders met helped the two parties and sacrificed a goat

People ate together

They shook hands in the presence of the elders

Person in the wrong was

Fined

Punished

Asked to apologize

The two parties could also take oaths to show forgiveness

#### **UNIT 9**

THOSE WHO ARE FORGIVEN BY GOD

- I. Jesus forgives those who ask for forgiveness
- 2. When we make mistakes we must ask for forgiveness
- 3. Two people went to pray, a Pharisee and a tax collector
- 4. The Pharisee beat his chest and told God how \_\_\_\_\_he was
- 5. He told God that he was \_\_\_\_\_than everybody else
- 6. He said he gives to the\_\_\_\_\_and he fasts
- 7. The \_\_\_\_\_was very humble before God
- 8. He asked God for \_\_\_\_\_
- 9. God listened to the prayers of the \_\_\_\_\_but did not to the Pharisee
- (Tax, collector, poor, better, good, pray, forgiveness)

## Meaning of tolerance

It means coping with others the way they are

Do not judge others so that God does not judge you

Tolerance helps us to keep our friends

When we are able to tolerate each other we are able to live in

Humility

Peace

Good relationship

Importance of tolerance (romans5:3-4)

Tolerance is being patient in difficult times

We respect others

Creates hope

Help us to forgive

Leads to good relationship at home, in the school and at home

## UNIT 10

FAIR DEALING

The meaning of fairness (micah6:8

Being\_\_\_\_\_is treating everyone equally

To be fair we must treat people the same way

God treats people fairly

We are all equal in the eyes of God

We should treat each another the same way or fairly

God expects us to do what is just

Doing what is just is being fair

# FAIR DEALING

# Ways of acting fair

## Fairness means treating other equally

Doing well to others is an act of fairness

We should treat people the same way whether they are

Rich or poor

Sick or healthy

Boys or girls

Young or old

Disabled or not

People can act fairly by

Showing love

Helping others

Being kind

Being polite

Sharing what we have

Reasons why people act unfairly (| king21 1-9)

Ahab was a king in Israel

Ahab's wife was s jezebel

King Ahab wanted Jabot's vineyard

Naboth told King Ahab that land belonged to his ancestors

Jezebel planned Nabboth's death

King Ahab and Jezebel were unfair to Jabot

They were punished by God

King Ahab was

Selfish

Cruel

Greedy

It is not good to be unfair to other people

How unfairness can be corrected

By treating others badly we are unfair

Unfairness can be corrected by

Obeying God's commandments

Being polite

Respecting other people

Being loving

Being kind

Helpful to the needy

We should be willing to act fairly

Reasons why people cheat

Cheating is telling a lie or giving false information

People cheat

To avoid punishment

Fear

Selfishness

To win a game

For revenge

Jabot died because Jezebel cheated about him

Abraham and Sara had gone to Egypt

Abram told Sarah to cheat to the Egyptian that she was his sister

He feared to be treated unfairly

We should tell the truth all the time

Joseph and his brothers

Why his brothers acted unfairly

Joseph had 11 brothers

His father was Jacob Jacob loved Joseph most

The brothers of Joseph were jealous of him

They treated him unfairly

They threw him in a dry well

Joseph was later sold to the traders

The brothers of **J**oseph acted unfairly

God wants us to treat others fairly

How Joseph behaved as a slave in Egypt (gen40:1-23)

Famine is a long period of time without food and water
Joseph as put in prison by Potiphar's wife
In prison, he interpreted dreams for the two prisoners
God was with Joseph in Egypt
God made Joseph a ruler
Joseph acted fairly in giving the meaning of dreams
We should treat others fairly
We should be kind, helpful and faithful to others

How Joseph behaved his brothers came inEgypt (gen42:1-24)

Joseph did not take revenge against his brothers He showed love and kindness to his brother His brothers came to buy food in Egypt His family came to Egypt and settled in Goshen Joseph did not blame his brothers for selling him to slavery We should be willing to forgive those who wrong us

How we should behave towards people who are fair and unfair to us

We should love and respect those who treat us fairly

We should love, forgive and pray for those who treat us unfairly

God wants us to be fair and show love to others

God is unhappy when we are unfair to others\we should be willing to treat others fairly

#### THE DEATH AND RESSURECTION OF JESUS

Joy and sorrow in life (philipians4:4-6)

Some things make us happy and others sad

We are happy when

We obey our parents

We receive gifts

We are sad when

We fail exam

Are sick

Our friends wrong us

The disciples were sad when Jesus told them he would die

They were happy when Jesus told them he would rise

God want us to be joyful all the time

He wants us to pray for things the make us sad

God will answer our prayers

# Judas Iscariot betrays Jesus

Judas was one of the disciples of Jesus Christ He was given money so the he could betray Jesus He betrayed Jesus with a kiss He was paid 30 silver coins God is not happy when we betray other people We should avoid betraying others The people who condemned **J**esus Christ

(mathew27:15-26)

To condemn is to blame others for something you think they have done wrong
Jesus was accused falsely by
Chief priest
Elders
The crowd
The Pilate
Jesus was innocent
He was condemned to death
Barabbas a prisoner was set free instead of Jesus
Jesus was crucified for our sins
God is unhappy when we condemn innocent people
Simon of Cyrene helps Jesus carry the cross
Jesus was crucified at a place called Golgotha or Calvary
Solders led Jesus to be crucified
He was crucified with two thieves
One of the thieves asked for forgiveness
Jesus asked God to forgive those who wronged him
We should thank God for the death and resurrection of Jesus
The meaning of resurrection of Jesus

Resurrection means to come back to life after death

Jesus rose after three days

He appeared to clops and another disciple on their way to Emmaus

He appeared to His 11 disciples

He showed them the scars in his hands and feet

He also ate a piece of cooked fish

The disciples were full of joy

Christians celebrate Jesus' resurrection during

Easter by

Going to church

Visiting the needy

Cooking special food

We should thank God for the resurrection