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*Saint Mark's Church
Sunday School*

How great is the prayer] Code: 12/SP/1

1. General Aims of the unit

To explore the means of the spiritual life and how to practice

2. Special aims of the lesson

1. Highlights the greatness of prayer as it is the way to
 - ❖ To share the heavenly in praising and worshipping God (the Holy Trinity)
 - ❖ To be in the presence of the God and glorifying Him
 - ❖ Communicate with the Creator
 - ❖ Ask for my petitions (spiritually and materialistically)
2. It is the channel to receive all the gifts of the Holy Spirit in sacraments
3. Discover all secrets of the world to come (heaven)

3.Outcomes

By the end of this lesson the teens are able to:

1. Appreciate the call of the Lord to them to stand before Him and pray.
2. Honour the time of prayer either in their rooms or in the church during the Liturgy
3. Prepare themselves for the time of meeting the Almighty by repentance , praising , contemplation in the word of God ,.....
4. Accept the fact of the real presence of the Lord in the time of prayer, and slowly , slowly practice this presence as a fact and feel it spiritually (some of the Saints feel this presence physically).
5. Practice the joyful feeling of sharing the angles , the archangels , and all the heavenly hoists in glorifying the Lord

Verses: These events may be used as sources of this lesson

1. Isaiah 6:1-7
2. Daniel 9:20-24
3. Revelation 1:9-20 ;4:2-11
4. James 5:17-18
5. John 16:24
6. Luke 11:9-13

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