

#### ST. Mina CSSC 11th 2013

## St. Mina Coptic Sunday School Carnival – 2013

"Keep Psalms in your Mind, so the Psalms will keep you safe" Pope Shenoda III "My son, give me your heart, and let your eyes observe My ways" Proverbs 23:26 "Remember now your Creator in the days of your youth" Ecclesiastes 12:1

#### GR 9 & Up:

#### First: The prayer of 3rd Hour - Terce Gospel

Holy, Holy, Holy. A passage from the Gospel according to St. John. May his blessings be with us all. Amen.

#### JOHN (CH. 14:26-31 & CH. 15:1-4)

When the Comforter, the Holy Spirit, Whom the Father will send in My name, has come, He shall teach you all things, and bring to your remembrance all things that I have said unto you. My peace I leave with you, My peace I give unto you: not as the world gives do I give unto you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid. You have heard how I said unto you, "I go away, and come again unto you." If you loved Me, you would rejoice, because I said, "I go unto the Father": for My Father is greater than I. And now I have told you before it comes to pass, that, when it comes to pass, you might believe. I will not talk much with you: for the prince of this world comes, and has nothing in Me. But that the world may know that I love the Father; and as the Father gave Me commandment, so I do: arise, let us go from here.

I am the true vine, and My Father is the vinedresser. Every branch in Me that does not bear fruit He takes away: and every branch that bears fruit He prunes, that it may bring forth more fruit. Now you are clean through the word which I have spoken unto you. Abide in Me, and I in you.

Glory be to God forever. Amen.

### Second: 1 of 3 litanies of 3rd Hour Prayer after Gospel the other 2 are credit

We worship You O Christ together with Your Good Father and the Holy Spirit, for You have come and saved us.

1. Your Holy Spirit, O Lord Whom You sent forth upon Your holy disciples and honored apostles in the third hour, do not take away from us, O Good One, but renew Him within us. Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me. Do not cast me away from Your presence. And do not take Your Holy Spirit away from me.

Доза Патрі ке Тіш ке Атіш Ппечматі

Doxa Patri ke Eioa ke Agio Pnevmati

Glory to the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

2. O Lord who sent down Your Holy Spirit upon Your holy disciples and Your honored apostles in the third hour, do not take Him away from us, O Good One, but we ask You to renew Him within us, O Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God, the Word; a steadfast and life giving spirit, a spirit of prophecy and chastity, a spirit of holiness, justice and authority, O the Almighty One, for You are the light of our souls. O Who shines upon every man that comes into the world, have mercy onme.

Ke nyn ke ài ke ic toyc èwnac twn èwnwn. à Mhn. Ke nin ke a ee ke ees toos e onas toan e oa noan ameen. Now and forever and unto the ages of all ages, Amen.

3. O *Theotokos*, you are the true vine who bore the Cluster of Life, we ask you, O full of grace, with the apostles, for the salvation of our souls. Blessed is the Lord our God. Blessed is the Lord day by day. He prepares our way, for He is God of our salvation.

Ke nyn ke ài ke ic toyc èwnac twn èwnwn. à mun. Ke nin ke a ee ke ees toos e onas toan e oa noan ameen. Now and forever and unto the ages of all ages, Amen.

# **Third: Church Study**

You will be asked for the meaning of the following Coptic words

Hoos (εως) = Praise Lobsh = Explanation

Psali (ψαλι) = Song/Hymn Doxa (λοξλ) = Glory

<sup>\*\*</sup> Please note: the recite day will be held On Christmas Holiday.