Curriculum Sept – Dec 2018

**The Theotokos Unit**

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| 16th Sept  | Nativity of Mother of God | Nativity of Mother of God |
| 23th Sept | The Entrance of the Theotokos | The Entrance of the Theotokos |
| 30th Sept | The Annunciation | The Annunciation |
| 7th Oct | The Dormition of the Theotokos | The Dormition of the Theotokos |
| 14th Oct | Icons of the Theotokos | Icons of the Theotokos |

 **Who is God? Following Christ**

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| 21st Oct | God as Creator  | The Bible |
| 28th Oct | God - lover of mankind (1) | Actions |
| 4th Nov | God - lover mankind (2) | Using our Gifts |
| 11th Nov | God sent his son | Hope |
| 18th Nov | Learning about God | Doing God’s Will |

**Nativity Season**

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| 25th Nov | Prepare the Way of the Lord | Prepare the Way of the Lord |
| 2nd Nov  | Showing God’s Love | Showing God’s Love |
| 9th Dec  | The Winter Saints | The Winter Saints |
| 16th Dec | The Ancestors of Christ | The Ancestors of Christ |
| 23rd Dec | God is with us! | God is with us! |
| 30th Dec | CHRISTMAS PARTY - ORGANISERS REQUIRED |

Curriculum Jan – April 2019

**Worship**

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| 6th Jan | The Meaning of Church  | Words and thoughts |
| 13th Jan  | Icons and lighting candles | Songs and Hymns |
| 20th Jan  | Signing the Cross | Colour |
| 27th Jan  | Saying our Prayers | Touch and Smell |
| 3rd Jan  | Holy Communion | Use of our bodies |

 **Friends with God Fasting**

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| 10th Feb  | The Greatest Commandment | What is fasting? |
| 17th Feb | How we Love each other | Aim of fasting |
| 24th Feb  | God and man | Weekly Fasting |
| 3rd Mar  | Becoming a friend of God | Fasting in the Church’s year |
| 10th Mar  | Eternity | ??? |

**Journey to Pascha**

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| 17th Mar | Getting Ready for Pascha | Lazarus Saturday |
| 24th Mar  | Jesus’ Friends | Palm Sunday |
| 31st Mar  | Jesus Comes to Jerusalem | Holy Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday |
| 7th Mar  | Jesus Has Supper with Friends | Holy Thursday |
| 14th April  | Jesus Serves His Friends | Holy Friday |
| 21st April | Christ is Risen | Holy Saturday and Pascha |
| 28th April  | Pascha - children’s game |

Curriculum May – July 2019

 **Church Celebrations Old Testament**

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| 5th May  | Namedays and Birthdays | Abraham and Faith |
| 12th May  | Church Feasts | The Ten Commandments |
| 19th May  | Church Mourning | Joshua and the Promised Land |
| 26th May  | Hope | Samuel the Prophet |
| 2nd May | ??? | David the King |

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| 9th June  | My Home Family |  |
| 16th June | My Church Family |  |
| 23rd June  | The Holy Family |  |
| 30th June  |  |  |

**Our Church and The Future**

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| 7th July | God is our loving Maker | I am growing in many ways |
| 14th July  | We belong to God’s Church | Getting ready for the Church’s future |
| 21st July | END OF YEAR PARTY  |