



SHARJAH MARTHOMA SUNDAY SCHOOL
MEMORY VERSE COMPETITION – 2017

PRIMARY 1

General Instructions:

- *Memory Verse Competition is scheduled to be held on 7th April 2017 during the Sunday school time.*
- *The duration of the oral test will be 5 minutes for each participant.*
- *Repetition of verses should be avoided. References for memory verses are not compulsory.*
- *Psalm 1 and Psalm 103 should be recited completely in sequence as given.*
- *Only the first three positions will be eligible for prizes and only those who secure 50% or more will be considered for prizes.*

1. The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective. *(James 5:16b)*
2. I have hidden your word in my heart that I might not sin against you. *(Psalm 119:11)*
3. The fear of the LORD is the beginning of knowledge, but fools despise wisdom and discipline *(Proverbs 1:7)*
4. I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. *(John 10:11)*
5. Show me your ways, O Lord teach me your paths. *(Psalm 25:4)*
6. “Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved-you and your household” *(Acts 16:31)*
7. He must become greater, I must become less. *(John 3:30)*
8. I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you. *(John 13:15)*
9. Whoever loves God must also love his brother. *(1 John 4 : 21b)*
10. Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light for my path. *(Psalm 119:105)*

Psalm 1

11. Blessed is the man who does not walk in the counsel of the wicked or stand in the way of sinners or sit in the seat of mockers,
12. But his delight is in the law of the LORD and on his law he meditates day and night.
13. He is like a tree planted by streams of water, which yields its fruit in season and whose leaf does not wither—Whatever he does prospers.
14. Not so the wicked! They are like chaff that the wind blows away.
15. Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the assembly of the righteous.
16. For the LORD watches over the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish.

Psalm 103

17. Praise the Lord, O my soul; all my inmost being, praise his holy name.
18. Praise the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits-
19. Who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases,
20. Who redeems your life from the pit and crowns you with love and compassion,
21. Who satisfies your desires with good things so that your youth is renewed like the eagles?
22. The Lord works righteousness and justice for all the oppressed.
23. He made known his ways to Moses, his deeds to the people of Israel.
24. The Lord is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger, abounding in love.
25. He will not always accuse, nor will he harbor his anger forever.
26. He does not treat us as our sins deserve or repay us according to our iniquities.
27. For as high as the heavens are above the earth so great is his love for those who fear him.
28. As far the east is from the west, so far has he removed our transgressions from us.
29. As a father has compassion on his children, so the Lord has compassion on those who fear him.
30. For he knows how we are formed, he remembers that we are dust.
31. As for man, his days are like grass, he flourishes like a flower of the field.
32. The wind blows over it and it is gone, and its place remembers it no more.
33. But from everlasting to everlasting the Lord's love is with those who fear him and his righteousness with their children's children-with those who keep his covenant and remember to obey his precepts.
34. The Lord has established his throne in heaven, and his kingdom rules over all.
35. Praise the Lord, you his angels, you mighty ones who do his bidding, who obey his word.
36. Praise the Lord, all his heavenly host, you his servants who do his will.
37. Praise the Lord, all his works everywhere in his dominion. Praise the Lord, O my soul.

(Matthew 5: 3-10)

38. Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
39. Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted,
40. Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.
41. Blessed those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.
42. Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy.
43. Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.
44. Blessed are the peacemaker, for they will be called sons of God.
45. Blessed are those who are persecuted because of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
