

AN ORDER OF SERVICE

FOR PRIMARY CLASSES OR THE HOME LESSON

First Quarter, 1910

I. RECITE IN CONCERT.

Heavenly Father, good and kind
Guide our thoughts to-day.

Help us keep Thee in our mind,
In all we do and say. Amen.

II. SINGING. Hymn 558, Book of Praise.

III. PRAYER, in which let the babies on the Cradle Roll be remembered.

IV. SINGING. Hymn 583, Book of Praise, vs. 1, 2. (These are the first two verses of the Supplemental Hymn for the Half Year. The verses should be learned one by one. As the little ones sing them Sunday after Sunday, they will soon come to know them by heart.)

Whither, pilgrims, are you going,
Going each with staff in hand ?
We are going on a journey,
Going at our King's command ;
Over hills and plains and valleys,
We are going to His palace,
Going to the better land.

Fear ye not the way so lonely,
You a little, feeble band ?
No ; for friends unseen are near us,
Holy angels round us stand ;
Christ, our Leader, walks beside us,
He will guard, and He will guide us,
Guide us to the better land.

V. REPEAT IN CONCERT the Golden Text for the Quarter. (This should be taught one clause at a time until thoroughly known, and may be referred to frequently during the entire year.)

VI. OFFERING. Sing:

We give Thee of Thine own,
Whate'er the gift may be ;
All that we have is Thine alone

A trust, O Lord, from Thee.—Hymn 424, Book of Praise

VII. SUPPLEMENTAL LESSON. Learn and repeat Scripture Memory Passage. For those under six, The Good Shepherd, Psalm 23. For those under eleven, The Child Wonderful, Isa 9 : 6. (A pretty Certificate in colors is awarded for the correct recitation of all the verses in the List of Passages For Those Under Six ; and a larger Certificate for the correct recitation of the complete List of Passages For Those Under Eleven.)

VIII. RECOGNITION EXERCISE (special hymn or prayer), should any child have had a birthday since last Sunday, or returned to School after absence, or a Cradle Roll member be present.

IX. THE QUESTION ON MISSIONS FOR THE DAY. (See each Lesson.) The very little ones will not be expected to learn this by heart, but it may be repeated several times over, and any needed explanation given.

X. SINGING. Vs. 2 and 7 of Hymn 97, Book of Praise.

XI. LESSON FOR THE DAY.

XII. SINGING. Lesson Hymn. (See each Lesson.)

XIII. CLOSING PRAYER.