



# BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN SCHOOL

## *Snapshot Curriculum – Grade 3*

### **Religion/Memory**

- God Creates the World
- God Leads His People
- Jesus comes for us.
- Jesus heals and teaches
- Jesus saves His people & sends out the Church
- Memory work (Ten Commandments & their meanings, Apostle's Creed, Bible passages, books of the Bible, hymns)

### **ELA (Reading, Grammar, Spelling)**

- Sentence structure with capitalization and punctuation
- Grammar
- Writing components and organization
- Knowledge of spelling patterns & strategies
- Categorizing of words
- Spelling of basic and challenge words
- Use of correct spelling in writing
- Phonics & decoding strategies
- Reading fluency
- Comprehension
- Sequence
- Drawing conclusions
- Cause & effect

### **Math**

- Addition & Subtraction
- Multiplication & Division
- Data & Measurement
- Time & Money
- Patterns & Probability
- Fractions, decimals & geometry

### **Science w/Lab Activities**

- Botany
- Physics
- Chemistry
- Zoology

- Meteorology
- Earth/Geology

### **Social Studies**

- Communities around us
- Our country's history/geography
- Citizenship/Government
- Culture in the America & around the world
- Working in communities
- Geography

### **Spanish**

- Greetings, questions & expanded conversations
- Explore topics: animals, community places, days of the week, school classroom objects
- Gender of nouns & articles, infinitive verbs, cognates
- Understand various cultural holidays

### **Physical Education**

- Increase movement, endurance and fitness through a variety of activities
- Work on good sportsmanship and teamwork

### **Choir/Music**

- Music appreciation and singing development
- Prepare anthems for worship & pleasure
- Basic voice and choral singing development
- Study of basic components of music (beat, rhythm, pitch, tempo, counting, note reading)

### **Art**

- Elements of line, shape, color and texture
- Explore basic skills and knowledge of mediums & artists
- Eye-hand coordination, construction and imagination
- Produce images and objects that communicate and express ideas unique to the artist