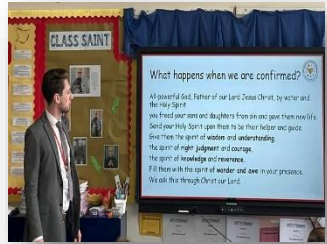


Inspire Mornings

The Inspire mornings have continued to be a success. Recently, Year Three looked more deeply at the Eucharist and how this links to the Last Supper. Year Four's morning was based on St. Peter & St. Paul. Thank you to all of the parents who have supported these events.



Sacramental Preparation

Mr Corrigan, the Lay Chaplain from SMW, led retreats for Year Three and Six as part of their sacramental preparation. He explained the meaning of the sacraments and led the children in prayerful reflection.

The Lasallians

Some of our former pupils came to speak to us about their work as Lasallians. They make it their mission to continue the work of Saint John Baptiste De La Salle and encouraged our children to do the same.



Rosary Club

Our Rosary club has gone from strength to strength this term. The children have asked that this takes place each week from now on. Thank you to the children who have attended and particularly our Rosary Club for planning and leading these times of prayer.



'In the prayer of the Rosary, we turn to Mary so that she may bring us ever closer to her son Jesus.'



St. George & St. Martin's Catholic Life Newsletter



Summer 2024

It has been another busy term at St. George & St. Martin's and the children have continued to play an active role in growing the Catholic life of our school.

First Holy Communion & Confirmation

We had two wonderful celebrations for Year 3 and 6 to celebrate their First Holy Communion and Confirmation. They have prepared well throughout the year through their sacramental programme and we look forward to the continuation of their faith journey.



'The sacraments are God's way of reaching down to us and offering us a lifelong gift.'



Jesuit Refugee Service Appeal

Our chosen collegiate charity this term was the Jesuit Refugee Service. This charity works to support refugees and forced migrants. Our Catholic Life leaders arranged a sweet sale to raise money for this fantastic charity. Thank you for your support.



May Crowning



Thank you to parents and parishioners who joined us for the crowning of Mary. Following Mass, we processed to our prayer garden carrying flowers and singing some of our favourite Marian hymns.

Altar Servers

Following their First Holy Communion, two of our children in Year Three have decided to enrol as altar servers. If your child would like to serve, we will be running training classes next academic year.



Good Shepherd Mass

Some of our Catholic Life leaders attended the Good Shepherd Mass. This was to celebrate the work of Father Hudson's and all of our fundraising efforts over the last twelve months.



Prayer & Liturgy

Our children have continued to play a leading role in planning and leading Prayer & Liturgy. Thank you to those parents who attended our final Stay & Pray mornings earlier in the term.



Catholic Life Leaders

Our Catholic Life leaders have continued their good work. They recently planned and led an assembly about the introduction of Catholic Life Pledges next year. Each class will commit to one of these each term, linked to our Catholic Social Teaching principles. This will help us to raise money, support the environment and work for equality in our world.



Eco Retreat

Some members of our Eco Club were invited to take part in an eco-retreat with the Columbans. They looked at the Laudato Si letter and took part in some activities based on supporting our environment and caring for God's creation.



Other Faiths

Throughout the year, each class has been learning about another faith. In recent weeks, many of our classes have visited a place of worship linked to this faith. These visits included a Hindu Temple, a Gurdwara and a Mosque. Thank you to those who hosted us and talked about their faith.

