ST MARY'S RC PRIMARY SCHOOL R.E. NEWSLETTER

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Summer 2 2025

SUMMER TERM

Dear Parents and Carers

A warm welcome to our half termly RE Newsletter in which you will find lots of information about what will happen throughout the summer term.

We would like to congratulate all our pupils who received the Eucharist for the first time as they made their First Holy Communion. This was a truly joyful and memorable occasion for all.



WHAT WILL MY CHILD BE LEARNING THIS TERM

Below is an outline of what RE topics your child will be leaning this half term.

Nursery and Reception- Friends and Our World

- Year 1- Being sorry and Neighbours
- Year 2 Rules and Treasures
- Year 3 Choices and Special places
- Year 4 Buildings Bridges and God's people
- Year 5- Freedom and Responsibility and Stewardship
- Year 6 Healing, Common Good.

Please refer to your child's parents overview for more details about what your child will learning this term.

GOSPEL VALUES

This half term the children will be learning about the Gospel Value of respect. During our collective worship and assemblies we will reflect on scripture and engage in discussions and debates as to how and why we show respect to others.



OUR NEW POPE - POPE LEO XIV



The children have learnt about the election process for a new Pope. Below is a prayer we have shared together.

Faithful God,

You guide us on the path of life and your goodness is our constant companion.

Be with our new Shepherd, Pope Leo XIV, in his service of the Church.

Fill him with the power of your Spirit, the peace of your presence and the compassion of Christ.

May he walk with you, in wisdom and humility, and lead us, together with all God's people, to embody your love for the world.

Amen.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

12th June - Year 2 Mass at OLMC. Mass starts at **10am**.

15th July - End of year Mass at OLMC. Mass starts at **2pm**.

OTHER FAITHS

We will be studying Islam in the Summer Term at St Mary's as part of our Religious Education. Each year group will learn about different aspects of the Islamic faith.

DATES TO NOTE

8th June Pentecost
22nd June Corpus Christi
24th June Nativity of St John the Baptist
27th June Sacred Heart of Jesus
29th June Ss Peter and Paul, Apostles
16th July Our Lady of Mount Carmel

MIZEN FOUNDATION

The Sparkle Award Winner will be revealed at the end of term. This shines spotlight on an extraordinary young individual in our school, whose kindness and generosity make a real difference in our schools and communities.

FESTIVAL OF HOPE 2025

On the **25**th **June**, children from St Mary's and Sacred Heart Battersea will attend the Festival of Hope at Aylesford Priory. This a a special event to mark the Jubilee year. Children from all across the Southwark diocese will attend and have an opportunity to engage in prayer, worship, songs and fun and games.