



SS Osmund and Andrew's RCP School Liturgical Year

Together in Love, Growing in Faith, A Journey of Hope

The Year of Prayer

AUTUMN

Themes: *Advent*

Local Charity: Kings Church Food Bank,

World Faith: Judaism and Islam

National Charities: CAFOD, Children in Need

Assemblies: whole school assembly Monday and Friday, Hymn practice – Tuesday, Key Stage Assembly – Thursday, Prayers and Liturgy in class daily

SPRING

Themes: *Lent*

National charity: Joseph's Penny, Red Nose Day

Local Charity: Homeless Aid UK

World Faith: Hinduism

Assemblies: whole school assembly Monday and Friday, Hymn practice – Tuesday, Key Stage Assembly – Thursday, Prayers and Liturgy in class daily

SUMMER

Themes: *Pentecost*

International Charity: CAFOD

World Faith: Sikhism

Assemblies: whole school assembly Monday and Friday, Hymn practice – Tuesday, Key Stage Assembly – Thursday, Prayers and Liturgy in class daily

SEPTEMBER – NEW BEGINNINGS

- Opportunities for parents say prayers alongside children in class at the end of the day.
- 8th September – Catholic Education Sunday.
- 21st September - International Day of Peace.
- 24th September – Feast day of Our Lady of Walsingham – England's National Marian Shrine
- 13th October– Beginning of Term Mass.

JANUARY – NEW YEAR PROMISES

- January 6th – Epiphany – Holy Day of Obligation
- Opportunities for parents say prayers alongside children in class at the end of the day.
- St John Bosco Feast day

APRIL – Post EASTER

- Opportunities for parents say prayers alongside children in class at the end of the day.
- Road to Emmaeus
- Ascension



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OCTOBER – MONTH OF THE ROSARY

- Opportunities for parents to say prayers alongside children in class at the end of the day.
- Month of the Rosary- GIFT Team to visit classes and recite the Rosary with children
- Praying the Rosary - lunchtimes in the Little Chapel.
- 1st October - Feast Day of St Therese of Liseux.- children to write their own prayers and showing daily acts of love
- 3rd October - Year 4: St Francis of Assisi Feast Day.
- 24th October – Harvest Festival
- End of term: CARITAS Week

NOVEMBER – REMEMBRANCE MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

- Children to learn the prayer of Eternal Rest and May the Souls of the Faithfull Departed

FEBRUARY – JESUS' TEACHINGS/ LENT

- 2nd February - Presentation
- Opportunities for parents to say prayers alongside children in class at the end of the day.
- Wed 14th February – Ash Wednesday – ashes in school
- 16th February - Year 1 Liturgy Theme: Lent.
- Stations of the Cross. – during Holy Week – all staff and children

MARCH – LENT/EASTER

- Opportunities for parents to say prayers alongside children in class at the end of the day.
- 25th March - Holy Week Mass
- 28th March - Passion of Our Lord Assembly.

MAY – MARY/PENTECOST

- Opportunities for parents to say prayers alongside children in class at the end of the day.
- 1st May - Reception: St Joseph's Feast Day.
- 4th May – Deputy Head pilgrimage to Walsingham with prayers from parents, teachers and children.
- 7th May – Year 5 mass in church.
- Feast Day - Our Lady Queen of Heaven (crowning with flowers).
- 9th May – Feast of the Ascension Mass – Holy Day of Obligation
- Sunday 19th May – Pentecost.
- 24th May – Year 3 Assembly.
- 30th May - St Joan of Arc Feast Day.
- 30th May - Feast of Corpus Christi.

Month of May:
Rosary Club – GIFT Team

JUNE – INTERNATIONAL LINKS

- Opportunities for parents to say prayers alongside children in class at the end of the day.
- 7th June – Sacred Heart of Jesus.



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- Opportunities for parents say prayers alongside children in class at the end of the day.
- Wednesday, 1st November – All Saints Day Holy Day of Obligation
- Thursday, 2nd November – All Souls Day. Prayers for the dead.
- 8th November - Year 4 Assembly: Remembrance Day.
- 1th November - Remembrance (Armistice) Day: Minutes Silence (whole school).
- 10th November- Remembrance Sunday.
- 13th - 17th November: Anti - Bullying Week (whole school).
- Sunday, 24th November - Feast day of Christ the King.
- 30th November – St Andrew's Feast Day.

DECEMBER – ADVENT, PREPARATION

- Opportunities for parents to say prayers alongside children in class at the end of the day.
- Sunday, 1st December – 1st Sunday of Advent
- 4th December – St Osmund's Feast Day
- 7th December - CAFOD Advent Assembly (wear purple).
- 8th December - The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary (HDO).

- 11th March - St Marie Eugenie Feast Day.
- 14th March - Sacrament of Reconciliation in school.
- 17th March – Year 5 Assembly.
- Monday 8th April – Feast of the Annunciation of the Lord.
- 26th & 27th March - Year 3/4 Easter Production.

- Sunday, 24th March - Palm Sunday.
- Thursday, 28th March - Maundy Thursday.
- Friday, 29th March – Good Friday
- Sunday, 31st March - Easter Sunday.

- 8th June – Year 3 First Holy Communion.
- 11th June – Year 3 Holy Communion Party.
- 11th June – Year 4 mass in church.
- 20th June – Reception Assembly.
- Sat 29th June – SS Peter and Paul/ St Paul's Feast Day – Holy Day of Obligation

JULY – TRANSITION AND CHANGE

- Opportunities for parents to say prayers alongside children in class at the end of the day.
- 2nd July – Year 3 Mass (church).
- 16th July Year 6 Leavers' Mass (church).
- 17th July - End of Year Mass - whole school.
- 7th July – Nursery Assembly.
- 10th July – End of Year Mass.



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- December - EYFS Nativity Performance (10am in hall, parents only).
- December - EYFS Nativity Performance (2pm).
- 13th December - Advent Mass.
- December - KS1 Nativity Performance (2pm in hall, parents only).
- December - KS1 Nativity Performance (6pm).
- December - Year 5 & 6 Carol Service (6pm).
- Thursday December - Whole School Christmas Mass:

Wednesday 25th December – Christmas Day

- 18th July – Year 6 Leavers' Assembly.
- 11th August: St Clare Feast Day.
- 14th August: St Maximilian Kolbe.