



## Religious Education

Following our Easter break, children in Early Years to Year 3 will be exploring the topic 'Dialogue & Encounter', whilst Year 4 – Year 6 will be exploring Universal Church.

For more information, please see our RE Newsletters, the school website and Seesaw/ Class Dojo.

## A Heartfelt Thank You and Farewell to Mrs. Radford

It is with immense gratitude and great sadness that we bid farewell to our truly amazing Executive Headteacher, Mrs. Radford as she embarks on a well-deserved retirement.

Mrs. Radford's dedication to Catholic education spans an incredible 51 years, a testament to her unwavering commitment and passion. For over a decade, she has been the guiding light and an inspirational leader at Our Lady and St. Philomena's Catholic Primary School, shaping countless young lives and fostering a vibrant, nurturing environment.

Her vision, leadership, and tireless efforts have left an indelible mark on our school community. She has not only overseen the academic and spiritual growth of our pupils but has also been a steadfast support for staff, parents and the wider parish. Her legacy of faith, excellence and compassion will continue to inspire us for many years to come.

Mrs. Radford, we thank you from the bottom of our hearts for every single moment of your dedicated service, for your wisdom, your kindness and for all that you have done to make Our Lady and St. Philomena's the special place it is today. You have truly been a blessing to us all.

We wish you all the very best for a future filled with joy, relaxation and new adventures. May your retirement be as fulfilling and rewarding as your remarkable career. You will be greatly missed, but never forgotten.

With deepest gratitude and warmest wishes,

The Staff, Pupils, Parents, and Governors of Our Lady and St. Philomena's Catholic Primary School.



## Goodbye & Good Luck

We also bid a fond farewell to two further dedicated members of our school family: Miss Weaver, our Assistant Headteacher, and Miss Keogh, our wonderful Year 6 teacher.

Both Miss Weaver and Miss Keogh have contributed massively to the life and spirit of Our Lady and St. Philomena's Catholic Primary School. Their hard work, commitment and passion for education have touched the lives of countless children, and their presence will be greatly missed by pupils, staff, and parents alike.

We are incredibly grateful for their service and for all they have given to our school community. We wish them both every success and happiness as they embark on new beginnings in their respective schools. May their new ventures be filled with exciting opportunities.



### Dates for the diary:

Date	Time	Event
Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	All day	Transition Day
Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> July	All day	Year 6 Careers Carousel
Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	All day	SATs Results
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	All day	Year 4/5 Chess Tournament @ St George's Hall
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	4pm – 6pm	Year 6 Prom
Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> July	9am	Year 6 Leavers' Assembly
Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	2pm	Whole School End of Year Mass @ Church
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	All day	Year 6 Gulliver's World Trip
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	9am	Year 6 Parent Breakfast Morning
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> July	1.15pm	End of School Year!

Another year has passed, and we are all that much wiser.

We say goodbye to our Year 6 pupils and wish them well as they embark on a new chapter in their lives.

We prepare to meet some new faces who are to join our family at Our Lady & St Philomena's in September.

We thank God that staff, governors, parents, and carers work so well for the sake of our children. Thank you for your continued support.

Have a wonderful summer. May the sun shine on us all, wherever you may be!