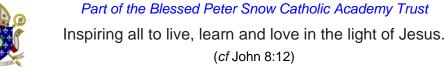


St. Paulinus Catholic Primary Academy

Part of the Blessed Peter Snow Catholic Academy Trust







2nd October 2023

Dear Parents,

Part of being a Catholic school means we are part of our Parish community. Each class already goes to join in the Parish mass on Friday morning at 10:00 on a rota. The children choose the hymns to be sung, prepare the readings and write some bidding prayers. The parishioners really enjoy them being part of their worship celebration. Fr. Jonathan would really welcome parents of any children at our school to attend these masses - especially when their child's class will be there.

In order to enhance our Parish links even further we are reintroducing our School Family Masses once a term. The first one will take place on Sunday 15th October at 11:00. Some children from school will do the readings, the bidding prayers and the offertory and it is hoped we will be joined by many of our staff, children and families at this celebration.

October is a special month in our Liturgical calendar – we celebrate Mary, The Mother of Jesus by praying the rosary every day. The rosary is a set of prayers dedicated to Mary and we use rosary beads to help us say these special prayers. During the month of October, we are asking all families to join us in our rosary challenge set by the Mark 10 Mission team. Each class will have a rosary bag that each child will take home for one night. When you have the bag at home, please use the resources in the bag to pray a decade of the rosary as a family and celebrate how important Mary is for us all.

Yours sincerely

Miss H. Regan **RE** Coordinator

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