



Dear Parent(s)/Carer(s),

The children will explore this term's theme 'to the ends of the earth' through their different class topics.

'Go, therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptising them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit' Mt 28:19

In this branch, pupils will learn about the events that flowed from Jesus' resurrection, on Easter Sunday to his ascension in to Heaven and explore what happened when the Holy Spirit visited the disciples at Pentecost. They will learn how our Catholic Church today is an apostolic Church, with liturgies and structures that have been shaped and flow from the important work of Jesus' disciples and the early Church.

TERM 5 THEME: To the Ends of the Earth...

Hear

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will have explored the following key Bible texts:

- Jesus appears to the apostles and the Ascension (Lk 24:36-53)
- Pentecost and Peter talks to the crowd (Acts 2:1-9, 12-13)
- Conversion of Saul (Acts 9:1-19)
- Fruits of the Holy Spirit (Gal 5:22-23)

Believe

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the Church teaches:

- God is love and love is God's first gift that is poured into our hearts by the Holy Spirit
- the fruits of the Spirit are the visible signs that a person is led by the Holy Spirit
- the fruits of the Spirit are **love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control**

Celebrate

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that:

- in all prayers, Christians welcome the Holy Spirit and open their hearts to God
- Christians pray to the Holy Spirit for help ('Come Holy Spirit')

Live

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:

- that different symbols are used to depict the Holy Spirit in art, including, wind, fire, and a dove
 - e.g. Marlene Scholz's 'Blessed Trinity'
- examples of saints who showed examples of peace-building in their lives, for example,
 - St Catherine of Siena, St Bernardine of Siena (IHS), St Rita of Cascia, St John Henry Newman, Pope St Pius X, St Francis of Assisi
- examples of saints and holy people who *lived* the fruits of the Holy Spirit in their lives, for example,
 - St Oscar Romero, St Teresa of Avila



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IMPORTANT DATES IN TERM 5

- **PALM SUNDAY** (13th April)
- **MAUNDY THURSDAY** (17th April)
- **COMMUNITY PASSION PLAY** YEARS 3 TO 5 (17th April)
- **GOOD FRIDAY** (18th April)
- **HOLY SATURDAY** (19th April)
- **EASTER SUNDAY** (20th April)
- **ST GEORGE, MARTYR, PATRON OF ENGLAND** (23rd April)
- **ANNUAL RESURRECTION MASS** 10AM, OLOL (25th April)
- **THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD** (29th May)
- **ST GEORGE'S HOUSE 'RED DAY'** (28th April)

OUR FOCUS PRAYERS OF THE MONTH/SEASON

- **THE CONFITEOR** (April – Holy Week)
- **THE SANCTUS** (April)
- **THE ANGELUS** (May)

SJF VIRTUES TO LIVE BY

- Week commencing **14-04-25** **PERSEVERENCE**
- Week commencing **12-05-25** **KINDNESS**


SJF ACTS OF FAITH

| MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
|--|---|--------------------|--|----------------------------|
| Citizenship Statement of Belief Assembly | 'Virtues to Live By' Story Circle (FS2) | Themed Assembly | Weekly Celebration of the Word | Celebration Assembly |
| 'Virtues to Live By' Class Assemblies (Y2 to Y6) | | | 'Virtues to Live By' Class Assembly (Y1) | Chaplains' Celebrations |

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JUBILEE 2025
PILGRIMS OF HOPE

Pope Francis, our Holy Father has decided that 2025 will be a year of Jubilee, something special that happens every twenty-five years.

The theme is 'Pilgrims of Hope'.

It is a year of hope for a world suffering the ongoing impacts of war, COVID and a climate crisis
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