



# Sacred Heart Catholic Primary School

## Religious Education Newsletter

### Spring Term 2026

#### **CLASSROOM RE:**

##### **Our RE topic for Spring 1 is Branch Three: Galilee to Jerusalem**

**EYFS:** Pupils learn that the Magi visited Jesus with gifts and that Jesus is God's son and he came for everyone.

**Year 1:** Pupils explore that through Jesus' ministry, some people recognized him as the Son of God.

**Year 2:** Pupils will learn how Jesus teaches about God through parables and miracles.

**Year 3:** Pupils will learn about parables and miracles in the Book of Matthew.

**Year 4:** Pupils will consider Jesus' question to Peter, 'Who do you say I am?'

**Year 5:** Pupils will explore the 'new law' given by Jesus.

**Year 6:** Pupils will explore the seven signs of John's Gospel.

##### **Our RE topic for Spring 2 is Branch Four: Desert to Garden**

**EYFS:** Pupils will learn about the seasons of Lent and Easter.

**Year 1:** Pupils will learn about the season of Lent and the last week of Jesus' life, his death and resurrection.

**Year 2:** Pupils will learn about the events of Holy Week and how Lent is a time for forgiveness.

**Year 3:** Pupils will focus on the second part of the Mass, the Liturgy of the Eucharist.

**Year 4:** Pupils will explore Lent's theme of forgiveness and reconciliation.

**Year 5:** Pupils will explore what it means to sin and how this links to God's plan for salvation.

**Year 6:** Pupils will look at St John's account of the end of Jesus' earthly life.

#### **PRAYER AND LITURGY**

- Year 6 Mass (21<sup>st</sup> January, 9:15am, Sacred Heart Church)
- Year 5 Mass (28<sup>th</sup> January, 9:15am, Sacred Heart Church)
- Year 4 Mass (4<sup>th</sup> February, 9:15am, Sacred Heart Church)
- Year 3 Mass (11<sup>th</sup> February, 9:15am, Sacred Heart Church)
- **Ash Wednesday (18<sup>th</sup> February – during half term) LENT BEGINS**
- Year 6 Sacrament of Reconciliation (Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March)
- Year 5 Sacrament of Reconciliation (Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March)
- Year 4 Sacrament of Reconciliation (Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> March)

**All children will be visiting the Church for Stations of the Cross during Lent.**

#### **CATHOLIC LIFE AND MISSION**

This Lent, we will be fundraising for the Catholic Children's Society campaign:  
Small Deeds, Big Difference

Each year group will be deciding on their Spring term 'Action Focus' for Catholic Social Teaching. Further information will be in the school newsletter.