

First Holy Communion 2021

Dear parents,

We are very hopeful that as a community, we will be able to offer our Year 3 pupils the opportunity to prepare for and to receive the Sacrament of First Holy Communion this term. This sacrament focusses on the Eucharist which nourishes our life of faith. The Eucharist is the heart of the Church and it is Jesus Christ himself really present among us today to fill us with his own life - his Body and Blood.

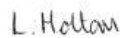
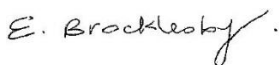
All being well, this year, First Holy Communion will be celebrated on **Saturday, 26th June at 12.00 pm**, slightly later than usual in the hope that further restrictions may be lifted so more of our family members can be part of the day.

Father Lamb will be holding a Zoom Information Parents session outlining the importance of this sacrament and the role you play in supporting your child to be a practising Catholic. Father Lamb will also stress the importance of your commitment and support of this programme of preparation. If you would like your child to register to complete sacramental preparations and are committed to supporting your child, please complete the slip below and return to the office no later than **Wednesday 28th April 2021**. Details of the date and time of Father Lamb's session will be given out nearer the time.

This year, due to COV-id restrictions, preparations will take place in school with Miss Ballard, Ms Baylie, Miss Holtom and Mrs Brocklesby and the programme book 'Jesus Comes To Me' can be purchased from school for £8. This is a fantastic resource that will help prepare your child for both their First Confession and First Holy Communion. This book can be paid for via ParentPay from Wednesday 28th April and lessons will begin Week Commencing 3rd May 2021.

We are very much looking forward to helping support your child with this important moment in their lives.

Yours faithfully,



Mrs E Brocklesby
Principal

Miss L Holtom
Vice Principal

PARENT'S NAMES:

COMMITMENT AND SUPPORT OF THE PROGRAMME OF PREPARATION:

I agree to take part in the preparation of my child for First Confession and First Holy Communion. I will ensure that my child attends all sessions with the Catechists, attends Sunday Mass -limited spaces due to COV-ID restrictions, and completes the preparation book, 'JESUS COMES TO ME'.

CHILD'S NAME:

PARENT'S SIGNATURE(S):

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