

Dear Parents and carers

Welcome to this edition of **ROMERO NEWS**, our half termly newsletter about the **Catholic life and Religious Education** at English Martyrs' School. We hope this will give you a better idea of special days and other celebrations this half term so that our work in school can also be supported at home within the family.

HOLY COMMUNION AND CORPUS CHRISTI



One of the most important days this Half term is the feast of **CORPUS CHRISTI** when we focus on the **Eucharist**, the body and blood of Christ.

A number of children from our Key Stage 2 classes will be making their **First Holy Communion** in different parishes. This is a very special moment in their lives when they receive Jesus in Holy Communion for the first time. We wish them well and pray that they will continue to be friends of Jesus forever.

SPECIAL DAYS THIS HALF TERM

8th June: **PENTECOST SUNDAY**
15th June: **TRINITY SUNDAY**
22nd June: **CORPUS CHRISTI - The Body and Blood of Christ**
27th June: **The SACRED HEART OF JESUS**
29th June: **St Peter and St Paul**
16th July: **Our Lady of MOUNT CARMEL**

ENGLISH MARTYRS' PARISH CHURCH

Our school is part of the ENGLISH MARTYRS' PARISH community. The parish church is right next door to the school.

There are Masses regularly every weekend at **6:00 pm on Saturdays, then at 9.00 am, 11:30 am and 6:00 pm on Sundays.**



In this **JUBILEE YEAR 2025**, children are taking part in a range of activities to mark this special year with a focus on **HOPE**.



A Jubilee year is a special year that is normally held every 25 years. It is meant to be a special year of **forgiveness and reconciliation** in which people are invited to come back into the right relationship with God, with one another, and with all of creation.

CORE VALUE - SUMMER TERM 2

Our Spring 1 core value is **RESPONSIBILITY**. This is about being able to do the things you are expected to do and accept the consequences for your actions. **In what ways can you show you are being a responsible person?**



RE CURRICULUM TOPICS

EYFS	THE CHURCH
YEAR 1	MIRACLES
YEAR 2	BIRTH OF THE CHURCH
YEAR 3	BEING A CHRISTIAN
YEAR 4	BELONGING TO THE CHURCH
YEAR 5	PEOPLE OF OTHER FAITHS
YEAR 6	CALLED TO SERVE

THE WEDNESDAY WORD

Every Wednesday we ask our children to have a look and read through THE WEDNESDAY

WORD. This is a Catholic flyer about the Sunday Mass readings and includes a range of activities for children. Use the link below to share this Sunday's gospel as a family.

<https://www.paperturn-view.com/uk/wednesday-word/prayer?pid=MTA101634&v=17.8>

