Christ the King
Religious Education Newsletter
Spring 2025



In 2025 our school and community will be celebrating
The Year of Jubilee, Pilgrims of Hope,
as declared by Pope Francis.
Together, we will reflect on this theme throughout the year in prayer, learning and action.

Prayer and Liturgy

Liturgical dates

March 5th - Ash Wednesday
March 25th - The Annunciation
April 13th - Palm Sunday
April 20th - Easter Sunday



First Friday Prayer

This will take place at 8.20 - 8.30 in school. We invite all members of our school community to join us as we begin our day with prayer and reflection.

February 7th
March 7th
April 4th

Lenten Charity

Watch this space!
Each year we choose a charity to which we can donate money/ essentials. Pupil voice will be used to choose this charity later in the term.

Curriculum

All year groups are following the new Religious Education Directory which is statutory from 2025.

Branch 3
Galilee to Jerusalem

'God's only Son, who is at the Father's side, has made him known' (Jn 1:18). In this branch, pupils will experience the ministry of Jesus, the Word of God. They will learn about the life of Jesus and his revelation of the Kingdom of God through parables, encounters, miracles, and teachings. They will learn about the call of the disciples and the nature of being a follower of Jesus.

Branch 4
Desert to Garden

'Christ died for our sins in accordance with the scriptures, and that he was buried, and that he was raised on the third day' (1 Cor 15:3). In this branch, pupils will study the season of Lent and its culmination in the events of Holy Week. They will learn about the Paschal Triduum at the heart of the Catholic Church's Liturgy and life. The title of this branch points both to the liturgical journey from the desert of Lent to the garden of Resurrection, but also to the Paschal journey from darkness to light, barrenness to fruitfulness, death to life

Mass dates

Family Mass - 19/1/25 - 9.30am - Christ the King Church

Class Masses

These take place in Christ the King Church at 9.30a.m.

Year 6 - 30/1/25
Year 5 - 6/2/25
Year 4 - 13/2/25



