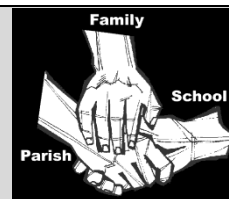


Being a Sacramental People Linking School, Parish and Home



Religious Education

Key Idea: Being a Sacramental People

This unit is intended as the first for the Spring Term in the academic year 2021/2022 and is based on the children knowing and understanding the Sacramental Principle: Bidden or not bidden, God is present.

Unit Content

The pupils develop a greater understand of God as omnipresent. Through the exploration of Bible passages, the children learn that, whether or not we call on God, He is always with us. The children then explore the seven Sacraments of the Catholic Church, with EYFS and KS1 focusing on Baptism, LKS2 focusing on Reconciliation and Holy Communion and UKS2 focusing on Confirmation.

Attitudes and Spiritual Dispositions

It is hoped that pupils will develop:

- A sense of wonder for Creation
- A willingness to learn from Scripture
- An appreciation of the truths contained in Scripture
- A sense of the value of prayer

Activities to try at home

You are the first educator of your child in faith. Your child's learning in religious education will be much higher if you and the school are engaged in talking about the same ideas and beliefs. Help your child by trying one or more of these activities while this unit is being taught:

- Choose a story from the New Testament that shows God's presence.
- Talk to the children about their own Baptism, First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion. Look at photos of those special occasions.

An idea for prayer at home

