Our Lady of the Annunciation

Communion News

14th October 2025

Welcome...

To the beginning of your child's journey towards Reconciliation and First Holy Communion.

Please take time over the coming weeks to talk to your child and reflect as a family on the beginning of this special year for them, and how their faith journey began with their Baptism.

YOU ARE YOUR CHILD'S FIRST CATECHIST.

An introduction to the programme

We will be holding an activity morning for all the children on Saturday 18th October, from 10am until 12pm.

The morning will be filled with activities based around the Holy Communion programme.

Please collect your child from the Hall at 12pm.

Photo request

As part of the activity, we will be creating a collage of the children to be displayed in the church throughout the coming year. Please ensure your child brings in a passport-sized photo of themselves, with their name written on the back, on the day of the session.

The consent form must also be completed and returned that morning if it has not already been submitted.



PRAYER

Thank you, Lord, for Our world- for the sun and the moon;

For the seas and the trees and for all the animals, birds and bees.

Mostly, Lord, thank you for us, and for all the people who love us.

Thank you that we are alive and that we have such a beautiful world to live in.

Amen.

Other news

Classes for the children begin on Monday/Tuesday 12th/13th January 2026.

The next parents' meeting will be on **Tuesday 10th February 2026.**

Please remind your child to collect and return their sash to the church foyer at the beginning and end of mass.

An early reminder

The First Reconciliation Services will take place on Saturday, 28th February 2026, at 2.30pm and 4pm.

Nearer the time, we will ask you to sign up for the service that best suits you and your child.

After the Sacrament of Reconciliation, the children will be one step closer in their journey towards their First Holy Communion.

If your child is unable to attend the scheduled Reconciliation Services, please arrange a separate time to receive the sacrament with Fr Keith.

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