

Liturgical Plan 2023/24

Here is a plan for Masses, Liturgies and Retreat Days for 2023/24.

Our aim is for at least one year or group of children from Years 1 to 6 to visit Holy Rood Church once a month.

Children will attend Mass at least twice over the school year.

Our Early Years children will experience Mass in school at least twice over the course of the year.

Retreat Days take place over the course of the year. Each year group will experience one retreat.

Date	Event	Leading Staff/ Year Group	Participants	Venue
September	Staff Mass	All Staff	Staff	Hall
	Welcome Assembly	Year 6 to lead	Families invited	Hall
	Retreat Day Masses	Year 6	Y6 and Parishioners	Holy Rood Church
	Official Opening of our new chapel tbc	tbc	Bishop Paul McAleenan	School
October	Masses for October	Teaching Staff Y1 & Y2	Families invited	Hall
	Rosary Liturgy	Chaplaincy Teams	Whole School	School
	One World Festival	Year 6 and Staff	Deanery Schools	St. Michael's Catholic School
	Harvest Liturgy	Year 6 to Lead	Whole school	Hall
	Community Afternoon	Whole school	Local community invited	Hall
November	All Saints Liturgies	Year 5	Children and local community	Hall
	All Souls Mass	RE Leads and Year 6	Year 3 and Year 4	Hall
	Mini Vinnie Mass	RE Leads	Mini Vinnies and parishioners	Holy Rood Church
December	Advent Retreats	Staff with Years 1 and 2	Years 1 and 2	School
	Year 5 Mass	Staff with Year 5	Year 5 and Parishioners	Holy Rood Church
	Advent Reflections	Chaplaincy Teams	Whole School	Hall
	Carol Concert	Staff/ Year 6	Families invited	Key Stage 2 Playground
January	Epiphany Mass	Years 6	Families invited	Hall / Holy Rood Church TBC
	House Mass tbc	Staff and House	House and Parishioners	Holy Rood Church
	EYFS Mass	Chaplaincy Teams EYFS	Families Invited	Hall

February	Candlemass Liturgies	Chaplaincy Teams	Whole School	Hall/ Activity Studio
	Ash Wednesday Liturgies	Chaplaincy Team/ Whole School	Whole School/ Families invited	Hall
	Lenten Reflections	Chaplaincy Teams	Whole School	Hall / Activity Studio
March	Lenten Reflections	Chaplaincy Teams	Whole School	Hall / Activity Studio
	House Mass tbc	House tbc	Parishioners	Holy Rood Church
	Year 5 Retreat Day	Staff and Year 5	Year 5	St. Michael's and All Angels Church
	Stations of the Cross Liturgy	Year 5	Year 6 and Families invited	Hall
April	Easter Liturgies	Chaplaincy Teams	Whole School	Hall
	House Mass tbc	House tbc	Parishioners	Holy Rood Church
May	House Mass tbc	House tbc	Parishioners	Holy Rood Church
	Crowning of Mary	Chaplaincy Teams	Whole School and families	School
	EYFS Mass	Staff and EYFS	Families Invited	EYFS Garden
June	Year 1 Mass	Staff and Year 1	Year 1 and Parishioners	Holy Rood Church
	Year 6 Mass	Staff and Year 6	Year 6	Isle of Wight
	St. Anthony's Feast Day Mass	Staff and Years 4 and 5	Families Invited	Hall
	SS Peter and Paul Feast Day Mass	Staff and Year 3	Parents Invited	School
	Year 2 Mass	Staff and Year 2	Parishioners	Holy Rood Church
July	Leavers' Mass	Staff and Year 6	Families Invited	School
	Leavers' Assembly	Staff and whole school	Year 6 Parents Invited	Hall