



ATTENDANCE

R Mozart- 91.4%	R O'Connor- 93.6%	Y1 Mistral- 96%	Y1 Stein- 95.7%
Y2 Pasteur- 91.7%	Y2 More – 97%	Y3 Hildegard – 91%	Y3 Seacole – 94.3%
Y4 Bonifacio –98%	Y4 Michelangelo- 99%	Y5 Agnesi- 97.3%	Y5 Teresa- 96.3%
Y6 Shakespeare-94%	Y6 Tolkien- 95%		

Well done to Y4 Michelangelo with 99% ATTENDANCE this week!

This week's prayer was composed by Y1 Mistral class

Dearest Jesus

We adore you.

Help us to live like you.

Thank you for giving us the Holy Spirit

to remind us to be the hands and face of Jesus.

Please teach us how we can show others your ways.

Amen



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

For several weeks, the pupils in year three had been taking their First Holy Communion lessons. They worked very well in these classes and by the end, had become ready to make their First Holy Communion. On Sunday 19th and Sunday 26th May, the children made their First Holy Communion at St. Joseph's Church. Those were two exciting days for the young children. They were beaming and were delighted that their special day had finally arrived. The boys looked wonderful in their smart trousers and waistcoats as the girls looked beautiful in their lovely dresses. Their Going Forth was celebrated the following weekend (2nd June) at the 12.15 Mass. The same day, the first group of children who attend St Hilda's Church received the sacrament for the first time, followed by the second group on 9th June. Children from the Transfiguration Church are to make their First Communion this Sunday (16th) and next week (23rd).

Here is how some of the children felt about their radiant day:

"I felt excited and happy. Both my parents, both grandmas, one grandad, two aunts and uncles came. It was special because everyone else in my family had made it and I really wanted to do it. I took the gifts to the altar. We learnt Bible stories and how to say "Amen" after the priest says, "Body of Christ" and before drinking the blood of Christ. I had a white dress, white gloves, a little white bag and white shoes with flowers on. My favourite part was when I received Jesus"

"I was so nervous; I didn't know what it would taste like. I read the "Alleluia" before the Gospel. In preparation classes I learnt to be respectful to God and we learnt some new prayers. Afterwards I had a barbecue at my house for mum and dad's family and friends and my brother."



"I wore a home-made dress, tiara and a veil that my aunt got me. I was both nervous and excited, but I would have been more nervous if I had not had the lessons. I read the second reading and lots of my family came – my great uncle, second cousin and grandparents."

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