# School Prayers St Vincent de Paul Catholic Primary School



# **MISSION STATEMENT**

'We are called to be the hands and face of Jesus, as we learn, love and grow together.

Amen'

Age Phase	EYFS	KS1	Lower KS2	Upper KS2
Prayers	<ul> <li>The Sign of the Cross</li> <li>Morning Prayer</li> <li>Grace before meals</li> <li>Home time prayer</li> </ul>	•The Lord's Prayer •Hail Mary •Glory Be	<ul> <li>The Apostles' Creed</li> <li>Act of Contrition</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The Rosary</li> <li>Act of Faith</li> <li>Act of Hope</li> <li>Act of Love</li> <li>The Magnificat</li> </ul>

# The Sign of the Cross

In the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

#### Amen

# **Nursery morning prayer**

**Good morning, Lord** 

We praise your Holy name

And thank you for giving us this lovely new day.

# Reception/Year 1 morning prayer

Jesus loves me

This is true,

Wherever I am

And whatever I do,

**Guide me Jesus** 

Through this day,

In all I think

And do and say.

Amen

#### **Year 2-6 morning prayer**

God our Father, may this day be yours.

All that I think and do and say.

My work and enjoyment,

The hard things and the happy things, everything.

May your son Jesus,

My friend and brother,

Be with me throughout this day.

Please help me to work well, to listen and to pay attention.

Please help me to understand all that I am being taught.

Amen.

#### **Lunch prayer**

Bless us O Lord as we sit together,

Bless the food we eat today,

Bless the hands that make the food,

Bless us O Lord, Amen.

**Home time prayer** 

God our Father, I come to say

Thank you for your love today,

Thank you for our family and all the friends you give to me,
Guard me in the dark of night and in the morning, send your light.

#### Amen

#### The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come.

Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us,
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.

# **The Hail Mary**

Hail, Mary, full of grace,

the Lord is with thee.

Blessed art thou among women

and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

Holy Mary, Mother of God,

pray for us sinners,

now and at the hour of our death.

Amen.

# **Glory Be**

Glory be to the Father
and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit,
as it was in the beginning
is now, and ever shall be
world without end.

Amen

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God,

#### the Father almighty

Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
At the words that follow, up to and including the Virgin Mary, all

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into hell;
on the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty;
from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting. Amen

**Act of Contrition** 

O my God,

because you are so good,

I am very sorry that I have sinned against you,
and with the help of your grace

I will not sin again.

# **The Rosary**

For each mystery or decade, one Our Father, ten Hail Marys and the Glory be is recited

# **Act of Faith**

My God, I believe in you and all that your Church teaches, because you have said it, and your word is true.

# **Act of Hope**

My God, I hope in you, for grace and for glory, because of your promises, your mercy and your power.

#### **Act of Love**

My God, because you are so good,

# I love you with all my heart, and for your sake, I love your neighbour as myself

#### **The Magnificat**

My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord,
and my spirit rejoices in God my Saviour,
for he has looked upon his handmaid in her lowliness;
for behold, from this day forward,
all generations will call me blessed.
For the Almighty has done great things for me,
and holy is his name.

His mercy is from age to age for those who fear him.

He has made known the strength of his arm,
and has scattered the proud in their conceit of heart.

He has cast down the mighty from their thrones
and has exalted those who are lowly.

He has filled the hungry with good things,
and has sent the rich away empty.

He has helped his servant Israel,
mindful of his mercy,
even as he promised to our fathers,
to Abraham and his descendants for ever.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit,
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end.

Amen.