



St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

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"For who is the greater, one who reclines at table or one who serves?
Is it not the one who reclines at table? But I am among you as the one who serves."
Luke 22:27

Dear Parents,

Once again, thank you very much for your understanding with the continued changes to the Sacramental Preparation dates. I am pleased to inform you that we now have some revised dates for First Reconciliation.

First Reconciliation will now take place for **Year 3 Oak on Monday 21st June at 5pm** in St Joseph's Church and for **Year 3 Pear on Wednesday 30th June at 5pm** also in St Joseph's Church.

Before half term, we revisited the unit of work that the children had previously completed in the Autumn Term in preparation for their First Reconciliation. We also sent home a copy of the Order of Service for you to share and discuss with your child as well as a sorry card that the children had made in school where they had started to think about a couple of things that they wanted to ask forgiveness for when they make their First Reconciliation. The sorry card also included a copy of the Act of Contrition prayer which the children will say when they make their First Reconciliation. Please continue to spend some time talking to your child about their ideas and helping them to familiarise themselves with the prayer. The children will need to bring their sorry card along with the order of service for their First Reconciliation. If you need extra copies of anything, please email either myself or Miss Malpass.

As previously mentioned, First Holy Communion will take place on **Saturday 18th September** for the children currently in Year 4 (Year 5 in September) and **Saturday 25th September** for the children currently in Year 3 (Year 4 in September). More details will follow.

Thank you for your continued support and understanding. If you have any questions or would like any more information, please do not hesitate to contact us via the class email,

Yours in faith and partnership,

Mrs Nickless (Sacramental Preparation Lead)
Year 3 Oak

Miss Malpass
Year 3 Pear

Please note that due to the current situation, unfortunately dates will continue to be subject to change.

