

INFORMATION ABOUT THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Monday 10th May 2021

Dear Parents/Guardians,

We are delighted that our pupils will have the opportunity to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation on Wednesday 12th May.

In line with Covid-19 Guidelines, we have had to make some changes to the service.

- Children should come to school on Wednesday morning wearing their full school uniform.
- Only 2 adults per child may attend. Please observe social distancing. Seats will be reserved for you and a plan will be sent home.
- All adults must wear a mask whilst in the church.
- There will be no singing, but Mrs Mc Crystal will supply ambient music during the ceremonies.

• TIMES OF SERVICES:

Mrs Harriott's class and Cranmore pupils will receive the Sacrament at 1pm.

Adults may arrive at 12.50pm and will be directed to their allocated seats.

Miss McKeown's class will receive the Sacrament at 2pm.

Adults may arrive at 1.50pm and will be directed to their allocated seats.

- In order to facilitate cleaning the surfaces of the church after the first service, we respectfully ask that families disperse quickly and do not congregate afterwards on the steps outside the church.
- Pupils will go back to school with their teachers to collect their belongings and they can then be collected at the usual exit location.

Pupils are free to go home to enjoy the rest of their special day.

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The class teacher will invite each child to proceed to a priest with his/her aide memoire – "Times I did not show love" sheet.

After absolution they will give you a wave and return to their seat.

For Child Protection reasons, no photography is permitted inside the church during the Reconciliation service.

We look forward to sharing this lovely event with you on Wednesday. Thank you for your continuing support.

Mr. C Donnelly (Principal) Mrs J Harriott Miss S Mc Keown Mrs L Mc Crystal