

01 October 2021

Feast of Saint Therese of Lisieux

October - Month of the Holy Rosary

Dear Parents/Carers,

The Feast of the 'Little Flower' St Therese of Lisieux, which we celebrate today, also marks the start of the month of October, which is traditionally the month of the Holy Rosary. As you know, our school has a strong prayerful devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary, and as such there are several ways in which we mark this month.

Class Rosary

As is our tradition here at Trinity, during the month of October, each student within the school will have the opportunity to pray the Holy Rosary within one of their scheduled Theology lessons. This not only fits within our curriculum and schemes of learning, but also fosters a culture of prayerful devotion. Students will have already received a lesson on the importance of this devotion and form of prayer, and we are blessed to have the opportunity to come together and pray the Rosary for the intentions of our school communities and our families. Your child will be told when their Theology class is scheduled to pray the Rosary, so please could I ask you to encourage your child to bring in their own Rosary to school during this month of October, in order to take part in this time of prayer.

Monday Lunch time Rosary - 12-12:15pm

We will also pray the Rosary during <u>lunchbreak</u> before the Blessed Sacrament each <u>Monday</u> on the lower site. All students and staff are welcome.

Feast of St Francis of Assisi – 04 October 20201

As a school of Franciscan heritage, the Feast of St Francis of Assisi on Monday 4th October 2021 is always a joyful day for us. Holy Mass will be celebrated in the Lower School Hall at 08:20am. All students and staff are warmly invited and encourage to attend.

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Year 7 Rosary Gift

On Thursday 7th October 2021, the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary, our Year 7 students will be gifted with their own set of Rosary beads which have been blessed.

Family Rosary – For our own intentions and those of the school and parish communities

May we take this opportunity to ask you to pray at least part of the Rosary together at home, as family, each evening, for the intentions of our school and parish communities. If we as a community of students, staff and families, could stop and pray for a moment at 6pm each evening, offering 3 Hail Mary's together, this act of prayer alone would be a wonderful opportunity to spiritually support one another.

Yours sincerely,

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