

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

FIRST CONFESSION, CONFIRMATION AND HOLY COMMUNION

2015-2016

Dear Parents

Your child is due to celebrate these three sacraments in this coming year, a significant stage in their spiritual and religious development.

Children rightly look to us adults (parents, teachers, priest) for example and support but the principal responsibility is yours as parents to introduce them into the life of faith and prayer and to help them develop a healthy relationship with God and with the Church.

The enrolment of all the children by you, their parents, will take place at Parish Mass on the weekend October 24th and 25th. They will be invested with the stole which they will wear every Sunday at Mass until they receive all 3 sacraments and they will give their prayer cards to people they choose to be their "prayer companions. Archbishop Leo Cushley will confer the Sacrament of Confirmation at Mass on 19th May 2016.

Please return the letter attached detailing at which Mass you will present your child and return via the school office no later than Wednesday 30th September.

I am committed to the spiritual welfare of your child and will be happy to help you in any way I can.

Yours sincerely

Father Allan Ocdenaria