## STMARY'S RC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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## The Pope Francis FAITH AWARD

**Dear Parents and Carers** 



I am delighted to inform you that this year we are enrolling pupils for this prestigious new award which recognises young people putting faith into action and showing "signs of love" to others. It is named in honour of Pope Francis because of the good example he gives to everyone.

Starting this term, our Primary 6 pupils will be involved. The award is accessible to all pupils regardless of faith background. They will learn about the Gifts of the Holy Spirit and how they can use these in good ways. They will promise to do some good deeds at home, in school and in their parish (if they are Catholic). They will gather evidence of their good deeds in a FAITH Journal.

During their P7 year, when they have gathered evidence of their actions, this will be assessed and the Scottish Catholic Education Service will award them a certificate and a badge to mark their achievement.

You will find more information in the Pope Francis Faith Award leaflet.

Yours sincerely

Liz Laird Head Teacher