

# St. Joseph's Catholic Primary School

## R.E. Newsletter for Reception Class Parents

(Autumn term, first half 2024)

Dear Parents,

Welcome back to the new academic year. Below you will find information about what your children will be learning in their Religious Education this half term.

**This half term your child will be studying the topic of  
God's World:**

**"Creation is the first and universal revelation of God's love"**

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### Key Learning Objectives

**In this unit the children will have the opportunity to:**

- Know that God made the world.  
Think about all the things God has made for us.
- Know that God has asked us to care for the world.  
Think of ways in which we can help to do it.
- Know that God loves and cares for each one of us.  
Reflect on what this means for us.
- Know that God made each one of us different and special.  
Reflect on how we can thank God for everything.



### At home

You could help your children by:

- looking at pictures of animals and plants and talking about how special creation is
- encourage them to notice different parts of God's wonderful creation and think of ways to care for the world.

Dates from the Church's calendar:

8 <sup>th</sup> September	Our Lady's Birthday	1 <sup>st</sup> October	St. Theresa of Lisieux
14 <sup>th</sup> September	Exaltation of the Cross	4 <sup>th</sup> October	St. Francis of Assisi
21 <sup>st</sup> September	St. Matthew, Apostle	7 <sup>th</sup> October	Our Lady of the Rosary
24 <sup>th</sup> September	Our Lady of Walsingham	10 <sup>th</sup> October	St Paulinus
27 <sup>th</sup> September	St. Vincent de Paul	13 <sup>th</sup> October	St Edward the Confessor
29 <sup>th</sup> September	Ss Michael, Gabriel & Raphael Archangels	15 <sup>th</sup> October	St. Teresa of Avila
30 <sup>th</sup> September	St. Jerome	17 <sup>th</sup> October	St Ignacio of Antioch
		18 <sup>th</sup> October	St. Luke, Evangelist