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Dear Parents/Carers,

The month of October each year is dedicated to the Holy Rosary. This is primarily due to the fact that the liturgical feast of Our Lady of the Rosary is celebrated annually on October 7th.

In order to honour the Blessed Virgin Mary throughout this special month, we will be marking this in the following ways at Our Lady Catholic Primary School:

Daily Reflections on the Mysteries (each Monday, Wednesday and Friday morning):



On each Monday, Wednesday and Friday throughout October, we will begin each day in the school hall with a reflection of one of the Mysteries of the Rosary - followed by prayers dedicated to Mary, our Mother. The Mysteries of the Rosary are designed to help focus our prayers on the life, ministry, and Passion of Our Lord. We would like to invite parents, carers and other members of the school community to join the staff and children each morning at **8.40am**.

Lunchtime Rosary Prayer Group:

During lunchtime, staff will lead the children in praying a decade of the rosary. Children will have the opportunity of attending these prayer sessions each day and reflecting further on the Mysteries. We encourage children to bring in a set of rosary beads to assist in their prayer.

Special assembly with Fr. Norbert:

On Monday 2nd October, we will be having a special whole-school assembly about the Rosary. The children will focus on one of the Mysteries of the Rosary in class and then reflect on that mystery in the assembly. We will then pray the Rosary together to honour the Blessed Virgin Mary in gratitude for the protection that she gives the Church.



We would like to encourage all parents and carers to share in these Marian devotions with the school at home, by saying a decade of the rosary together as a family, for example.

Thank you for your continued support.

Richard Curry



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