

# Sacred Heart Catholic Primary School

Earlsbury Gardens, Birchfield, Birmingham B20 3AE

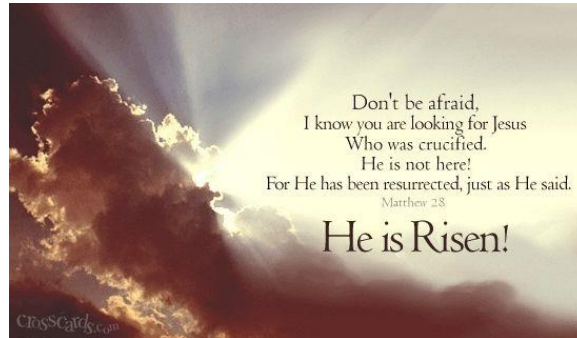
Tel: 0121 356 4721 email: [enquiry@sacredheart-sch.net](mailto:enquiry@sacredheart-sch.net)

Executive Principal: Mr. G M O'Hara

13<sup>th</sup> April 2020

*"Happy Easter! May you bring to all the joy and hope of the Risen Christ!"*

Pope Francis



Dear Parents,

Easter Sunday is the greatest day in the Church's calendar. This day reminds us that Jesus, the Son of God, offers each one of us a share in his everlasting life and eternal happiness. All are warmly invited to come and join with the Church community and celebrate the hope that Jesus' resurrection brings to our lives. As a family, share ideas about what you might also do to celebrate Easter and make it special.

For ideas and lots more about Easter, please see:

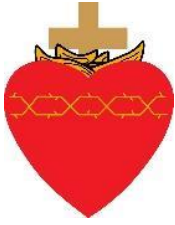
[cbcew.org.uk](http://cbcew.org.uk).

Who can you help to have a happy Easter?



**John 20:1-9**

Before sunrise on Sunday morning, Mary Magdalene went to Jesus' tomb. She saw that the stone had been moved away from the entrance and that the tomb was empty. Mary ran to Peter and another disciple (John) and said, "Someone has taken the Lord out of the tomb and we don't know where they have put him." The disciples ran together to the tomb. But John, running faster than Peter, arrived first and looked into the tomb but did not go in. Peter, however, went into the tomb and he saw Jesus' linen burial cloths lying on the ground. He also saw the cloth that had been over Jesus' head; this was rolled up in a place by itself. Then John also went into the tomb; he saw and he believed. Until this moment they had failed to understand that Jesus must rise from the dead.



# Sacred Heart Catholic Primary School

Earlsbury Gardens, Birchfield, Birmingham B20 3AE

Tel: 0121 356 4721 email: [enquiry@sacredheart-sch.net](mailto:enquiry@sacredheart-sch.net)

Executive Principal: Mr. G M O'Hara

Well done to the children who have been working hard at home either with their home learning packs or their online work. The teachers have been very impressed with your efforts so please keep it up. It was amazing to see that over 60 children completed work on Purple Mash over the Easter Weekend. It has been lovely to see the RE and worship activities that children have done and many children have sent some beautiful poems, prayers and reflections. Please encourage your children to keep sending them.

Here is a direct link to Weekly Worship and Song <https://youtu.be/a5ERfa0YmqM> by Dan and Emily from *One Life Music* who visited school a few months ago.

The following prayers have been written by Gideon in Year 6 and Eliana in Year 4. They will be placed on our school website for all to use during times of prayers in these uncertain days. Well done children!



Dear Lord,  
Keep us under the shadow of your mercy,  
In this time of uncertainty and distress.  
Sustain and support the anxious and fearful,  
And lift all those who are being brought  
low;  
that we may rejoice in your comfort,  
Knowing that nothing can separate us from  
your love.  
In the name of Jesus we pray.  
Amen.

Gideon Year 6

Lord you are my vaccine, no virus can  
touch me.  
If I put my faith, praise and trust in you,  
I'll be protected by your shield of light.  
May no harm be granted to our families and  
friends.  
Bring peace and not grief to those who  
have lost loved ones  
In this war for hope of better times.  
Assure the world that we will be held safely  
within your hands.  
Amen

Eliana Year 4

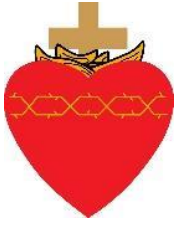
Stay safe. Everyone at Sacred Heart is continuing to keep you all in our prayers.

Yours sincerely

Mr G M O'Hara  
Executive Principal

Mrs G Elliott  
Acting Head of School

Mrs D Cooper  
Acting Vice Principal



# Sacred Heart Catholic Primary School

Earlsbury Gardens, Birchfield, Birmingham B20 3AE

Tel: 0121 356 4721 email: [enquiry@sacredheart-sch.net](mailto:enquiry@sacredheart-sch.net)

Executive Principal: Mr. G M O'Hara

