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Year 3 and 2 Mass of Thanksgiving for First Holy Communion
followed by a special 'Corpus Christi' procession

Wednesday 26th June 2019 at 9.30am.

Dear Parents/Carers,

As you will be aware, from the school diary of events, we will be having a Year 3 and 2 Mass of Thanksgiving for the children's First Holy Communion. This will take place at Our Lady of Dolours' Catholic Church, next Wednesday 26th June at 9.30am. It is our custom to invite Year 2 pupils, so that we can pray for them, as they begin their own preparations for First Holy Communion, in their respective parishes.

Year 3 pupils are invited to wear their **First Holy Communion outfits** for this special Mass but they must bring their school uniform (in a bag labelled with their name) to change into, after the Mass. If your child has not made their First Holy Communion they are allowed to wear very smart, 'special occasion' clothes. However, they must also bring in their school uniform, for when they return to school.

Year 2 pupils must wear their normal school uniform.

As part of our focus on 'Adoremus', we are delighted to inform you that the Thanksgiving Mass, this year, will be followed by a Corpus Christi procession, led by Fr Tim Edgar, from the Church to the school grounds.

All parents of Year 2 and Year 3 children are invited to join us on this procession.

As we must leave the church promptly, we would ask you to take your photos, after the procession is finished. Please be aware that the procession is likely to last around 45 minutes, as we will be stopping at various points for Fr Tim to offer a short Benediction.

Please do come along, if you are able to. This is a unique opportunity to be involved in a Eucharistic procession and to witness the true presence of Christ in the Eucharist, within our community.

Kind regards,

Mrs McDonnell
RE Leader