To love You more dearly

The Prayer & Liturgy Directory

for Catholic Schools, Academies and Colleges in England and Wales

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Progression of prayer 2026-2027

St. Augustine's Catholic Primary School

'We come to school to live and learn, happily together, as Jesus teaches us.'

Trust, Perseverance, Friendship, Respect.

Nursery

The Sign of the Cross

In the name of the Father
and of the Son
and of the Holy Spirit. Amen

Nursery

Morning Prayer

Father in Heaven, you love me. You're with me night and day.

I want to love you always, in all I do and say.

I'll try to please you Father.

Bless me through the day. Amen.

Nursery

End of day Prayer

God our Father, I come to say, thank you for your love today. Thank you for my family and all the friends you give to me.

Guard me in the dark of night and in the morning send your light. Amen.

Reception Class

Grace before meals

Bless us, O Lord and these your gifts which we are about to receive from your bounty.
Through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Reception Class

Grace after meals

We give you thanks, Almighty God,
for all your benefits,
who live and reign, world without end
Amen.

Year One

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come.
Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us,
and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
Amen

Year Two

The Hail Mary

Hail, Mary, full of grace,
the Lord is with thee.
Blessed art thou among women
and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God,
pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death.
Amen.

Year Two

Glory Be to the Father

Glory be to the Father
and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit,
as it was in the beginning
is now, and ever shall be world without end.
Amen.

Year Three

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty
Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into hell;
on the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty;
from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting.
Amen.

Year Three

Act of Contrition

Oh my God,
because you are so good,
I am very sorry that I have sinned against you,
and with the help of your grace
I will not sin again.
Amen.

Year Three

Angel of God

Angel of God,
my guardian dear,
to whom God's love commits me here,
ever this day be at my side,
to light and guard, to rule and guide.
Amen.

Year Four

Come, Holy Spirit

V. Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful.
R. And kindle in them the fire of your love.
V. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created.
R. And you will renew the face of the earth.
Let us pray
O God, who by the light of the Holy Spirit,
did instruct the hearts of your faithful,
grant that by that same Holy Spirit,
we may be truly wise, and ever rejoice in your consolation,
Through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Year Four

Prayer of St. Richard of Chichester

Thanks be to you, my Lord Jesus Christ,
for all the benefits which you have given me,
for all the pains and insults which you have borne for me.
O most merciful Redeemer, friend and brother,
may I know you more clearly,
love you more dearly,
and follow you more nearly, day by day.
Amen.

Year Five

Morning Offering

O Jesus,
through the most pure heart of Mary,
I offer you all my prayers, thoughts,
works and sufferings of this day
for all the intentions of your most
Sacred heart.
Amen.

Year Five

The Rosary

For each mystery or decade, one Our Father, ten Hail Marys and the Glory be is recited.

Follow the days of the week in the forthcoming slides.

Read one each week so each of the readings will be covered once a half term.

Year Five

The Rosary: The Joyful Mysteries – Recited on Mondays

The Annunciation (Luke 1:26–38)

The Visitation (Luke 1:39–45)

The Nativity (Luke 2:1–7)

The Presentation in the Temple (Luke 2:22–35)

The Finding in the Temple (Luke 2:41–52)

Year Five

The Rosary: The Sorrowful Mysteries – Recited on Tuesdays and Fridays

The Agony in the Garden (Mark 14:32–42)

The Scourging at the Pillar (Matthew 27:15–26)

The Crowning with Thorns (Matthew 27:27–31)

The Carrying of the Cross (John 19:15–17; Luke 23:27–32)

The Crucifixion (Luke 23:33–38, 44–46)

Year Five

The Rosary: The Glorious Mysteries – Recited on Wednesdays

The Resurrection (Matthew 28:1–8)

The Ascension (Acts 1:6–11)

The Descent of the Holy Spirit (Acts 2:1–12)

The Assumption (1 Thessalonians 4:13–19)

The Coronation of Mary Queen of Heaven and Earth (Revelation 12:1; 14:1–5; Isaiah 6:1–3)

Year Five

The Rosary: The Mysteries of Light – Recited on Thursdays

The Baptism of Jesus (Matthew 3:13–17)

The Wedding Feast of Cana (John 2:1–12)

The Proclamation of the Kingdom, with the call to Conversion (Mark 1:14–15; 2:3–12)

The Transfiguration (Luke 9:28–36)

The Institution of the Eucharist (Matthew 26:26–29)

Year Five

The Rosary: Prayer concluding the Rosary

V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.

R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray.

O God, whose only-begotten Son,
by his life, death and resurrection,
has purchased for us the rewards of eternal life,
grant, we beseech thee,
that meditating on these mysteries
of the most holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary,
we may imitate what they contain and obtain what they promise,
through the same Christ our Lord.

Amen

Year Six

The Magnificat

My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord,
and my spirit rejoices in God my Saviour,
for he has looked upon his handmaid in her lowliness;
for behold, from this day forward,
all generations will call me blessed.
For the Almighty has done great things for me,
and holy is his name.
His mercy is from age to age
for those who fear him.

Year Six

The Magnificat... continued

He has made known the strength of his arm,
and has scattered the proud in their conceit of heart.
He has cast down the mighty from their thrones
and has exalted those who are lowly.
He has filled the hungry with good things,
and has sent the rich away empty.
He has helped his servant Israel,
mindful of his mercy,
even as he promised to our fathers,
to Abraham and his descendants for ever.
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit,
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end.
Amen

Year Six

Act of Faith

My God,

I believe in you

and all that your Church teaches,

because you have said it,

and your word is true.

Amen.

Year Six

Act of Hope

My God, I hope in you,
for grace and for glory,
because of your promises,
your mercy and your power.
Amen.

Year Six

Act of Love

My God, because you are so good,
I love you with all my heart,
and for your sake,
I love your neighbour as myself.
Amen.