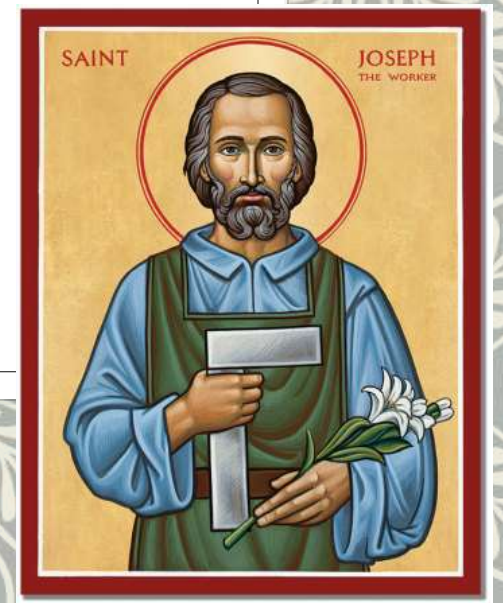


THE YEAR OF ST JOSEPH

December 2020- 2021



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In an Apostolic Letter entitled '**With a Father's Heart**', the Pope has proclaimed a special '**Year of St Joseph**', which will run until 8 December 2021.

It is written against the backdrop of the Covid-19 pandemic, which, he says, has helped us see more clearly the importance of “ordinary” people who, though far from the limelight, exercise patience and offer hope every day.

In this, they resemble St Joseph, “the man who goes unnoticed, a daily, discreet and hidden presence,” who nonetheless played “an incomparable role in the history of salvation.”

We will be honouring our school patron throughout this special year.

Let us pray...

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with you Christ became man. Blessed Joseph, to us too,

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With a Father's Heart

Design a 2D heart (use A4 paper), make it colourful, you could use paint, felt tips, colouring pencils or materials to create a collage, etc.

Easter Power Project:

St. Joseph



Bring your 2 completed art pieces to school on Monday 19th April 2021 so it can be presented to your class.

Art work will also be displayed in the Prayer Hut.

This Easter, take time to research about our school patron saint...

St. Joseph

Explore the reasons of what he is known for, does he represent anything, why he is important to you?

We will celebrate the Year of St Joseph' by creating and designing two Art pieces. Be creative and imaginative!

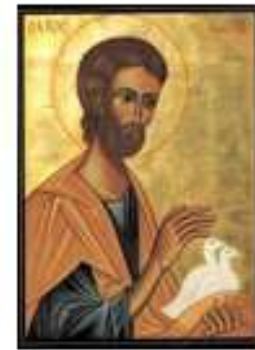
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