



5th October 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

Mass to Celebrate the Feast of St Edward Sunday 15 October 2023 at 11.00am

We are delighted to announce that Year 5 & 6 pupils, parents/carers and staff have been invited to Mass to celebrate the Feast of St Edward on Sunday 15th October at the Metropolitan Cathedral of Christ the King. **All** Young Edwardians in Year 5 & 6 are expected to attend this very special occasion in recognition of our unique feeder school status to St Edward's College.

Our Young Edwardians must register with their Class Teacher or Mr Long/Mrs Minogue at the rear of seating **Block M**. Pupils are expected to sit with their class for the duration of the service in the allocated blocks. Parents/carers must then proceed to sit at the rear of Block M for the duration of the service before collecting their child from their class teacher at the end of the service.

Runnymede children will be singing a special song they have prepared with Mr Watson during their weekly singing lesson. They will be accompanied by the choir of St Edward's and Stoneyhurst College.

You are reminded that parking in the vicinity of the Cathedral can be quite difficult, so guests who are travelling by car are urged to arrive by 10.30am. Car parking may be available at the University, Mount Pleasant car park and Mulberry Street. Please allow sufficient time for your journey and approximately ten minutes walking time to reach the Cathedral.

Since this is a high-profile public occasion, all pupils are expected to wear **full school uniform** with school shoes. We are proud of our pupils as ambassadors of Runnymede and expect our high standards to be maintained at all times.

May we also stress that the mass is not ended until the procession has left and people are asked not to leave the Cathedral prior to this.

Mobile phones/cameras/electronic devices or food and drink are not permitted in the Cathedral.

If for any reason your child cannot attend this event you must email admin@runnymede-school.org.uk before Friday 6th October.



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I look forward to seeing you at the Cathedral and to a most enjoyable historic occasion for our schools.

Kind regards,

Miss Peaston

