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SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION PROGRAMME 2022 - 23

Dear Parent/Guardian

As you were aware there was a Parent's Information Evening last Thursday 10th November in St. Benet's meeting room with the teachers from school and the catechists from St. Benet's church to explain the Parish Sacramental Programme offered to all Year 4 pupils who live in the parish but predominantly those who attend St. Benedict's Primary school.

This programme involves St. Benedict's School, St. Benet's church and the child's family working together over the next 6 months leading up to the children receiving the Sacrament of Reconciliation next Easter and their First Holy Communion in May 2023.

We are aware that you did not attend this preliminary meeting and recognise that there may be a variety of reasons for this.

If you wish your child to take part in this programme it is important that the child attends the **ENROLMENT MASS this Sunday 20**th **November at 11am Mass** to be enrolled on the programme.

If you prefer to leave it for this year or would like to discuss it further please have a word with one of the teachers or ring Maureen in the parish office who will pass on the message to myself or Pat who run the Parish Programme and we can arrange for us to meet or for you to speak to Fr. Bruce if that would be helpful.

Yours sincerely

Margaret Bridson Parish Catechist