



*St. Gabriel the Archangel Multi-Academy Trust*

## St. John the Evangelist Catholic Academy

*"Lord be thy word my rule."*

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Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2026

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Dear Parents and Carers,

### **First Reconciliation: Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> March at 6:00pm**

A reminder that the Sacrament of Reconciliation will take place on **Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2026 at 6.00pm at St Joseph's Church.**

There will be a Mass at 6pm followed by reconciliation (starting at 6.30pm). There will be a short service before the children are invited to come forward to make their first Confession individually. The sacrament will be led by Fr Julian and will be supported by other local priests. The children from St Joseph's, St John's and Our Lady of Grace will receive the Sacrament at the same time.

Children have completed their preparation for the Sacrament in their after-school sessions with Mr Smith and we will spend some time in school practising what happens during the Sacrament with the children so that they are confident in this.

Children should dress smartly in either their own smart clothes or their school uniform and may be accompanied by a small number of other people (e.g. Family members).

I look forward to celebrating this special occasion in your child's faith journey with them.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact myself, Mr Turner or Mr Smith.

Yours sincerely

Mrs H Rigby  
Principal

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