

The students of Holy Cross Helensburgh share their knowledge about the Saints.

Saint Fact File for All Saints Day 2025

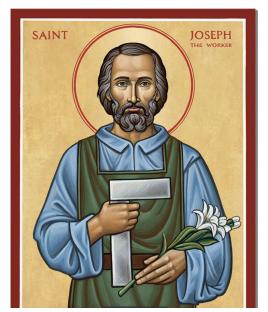


Kindergarten - St. Mary of the Cross MacKillop









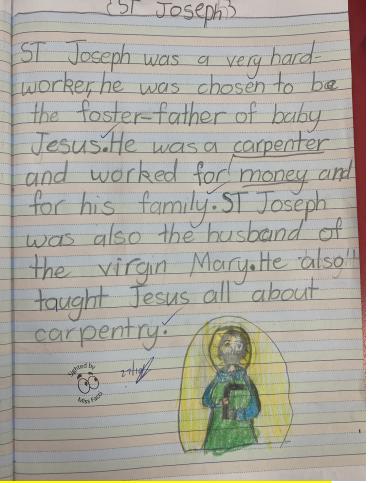
St Joseph Powerpoint

St Joseph informative clip

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Year 1 - St. Joseph









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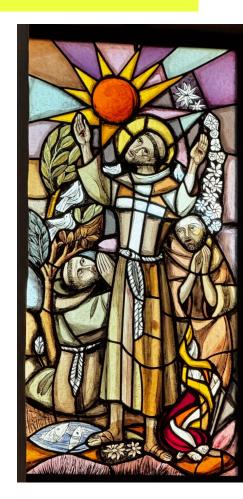
Year 1 - St. Joseph

Year 2 - St. Francis

St Francis of Assisi



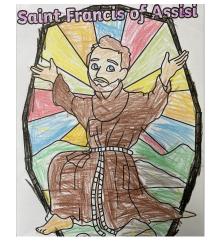
St. Francis of Assisi was a very special saint who lived a long time ago. He taught us how important it is to be kind and caring to everyone, especially people who don't have very much. St. Francis actually came from a wealthy family, but he chose to give away his nice clothes and money so he could live simply, just like the poorest people. He loved God so much that he wanted to help people in need and share what he had. Because of his great love, he showed us that we can all be helpers by sharing our toys, our food, and our time with those who are poor or lonely. He reminds us to care for all God's creatures, both people and animals! By Year 2



















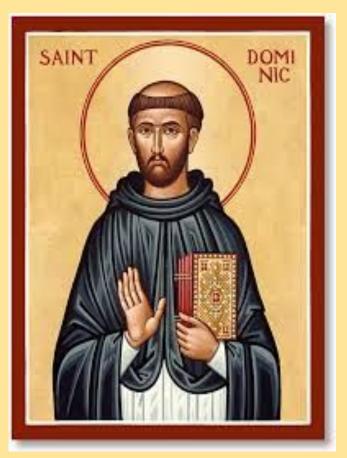
Year 2 - St. Francis



Facts About Saint Dominic

- ~ Dominic was a **Catholic priest**. He loved sharing stories about God and helping people learn the truth.
- ~ **Mary Mother of God** appeared to Saint Dominic, she told Dominic that when people pray the Rosary they will grow closer to Jesus.
- ~ **The Rosary:** Saint Dominic is famous for helping to spread the Rosary, which is a special way of praying to God and Mary. He helped teach people this prayer.
- ~**The Dream:** When Dominic's mother was pregnant, she had a dream about a little dog holding a flaming torch on its mouth. The dog ran around setting the world on fire!

This dream meant Dominic would be a great preacher who would light up the world with the truth of God.



Facts About Saint Dominic

- ~ **Love of Learning:** Dominic knew that if you want to teach, you have to study! He made sure his Order was very focused on reading, studying, and praying so they could share God's message clearly.
- ~ Dominic is the patron of **Astronomers**. He loved to pray under the stars.
- ~ When He Lived: Saint Dominic lived a long time ago, from around **1170 to 1221**. That's over 800 years ago!
- ~ Where He Was Born: He was born in **Spain** 🔀
- ~ When We Remember Him: Saint Dominic's **feast day** is **August 8th** every year.



Year 3 - St. Dominic - Artworks

Mary the Mother of Jesus

-The First Saint

Artwork and reflections by Year 4

Who is Mary?



- Mary was chosen by God to be the Mother of Jesus, the Son of God.
- She is often called "The First Saint" because she said "Yes" to God's plan (the Annunciation).
- She is a powerful example of faith, trust, and obedience for all Catholics.

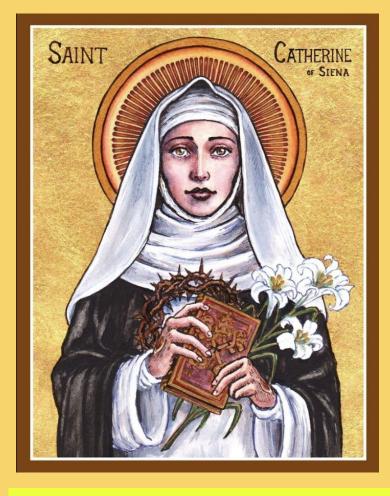
"Mary is special because she always trusted God, even when things were hard."



Mary's Role in Our Faith

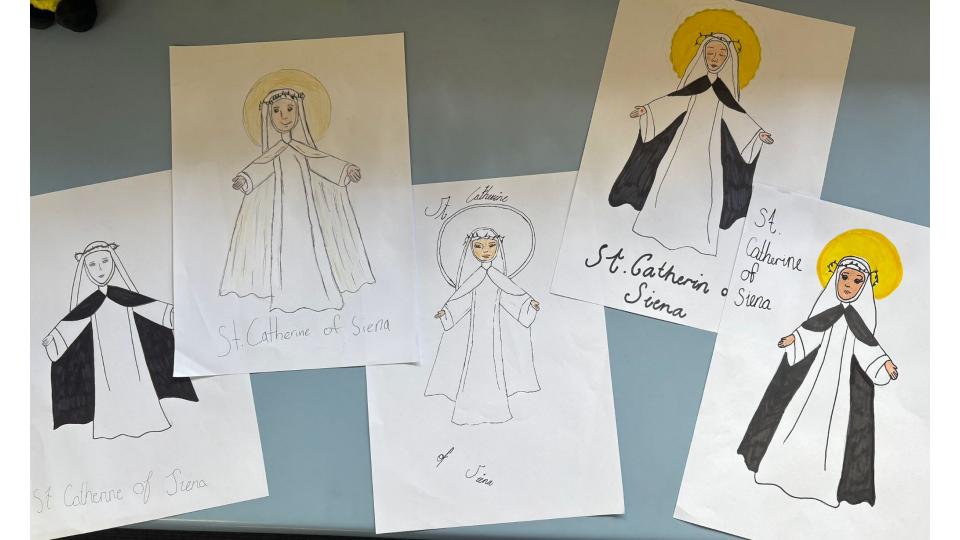


- We honour Mary through prayer, especially the Hail Mary and the Rosary.
- She is a model of discipleship—showing us how to follow Jesus.
- She is our Mother in Heaven and helps us grow closer to God.

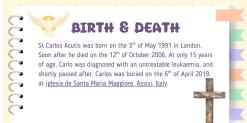


"The world is lost through silence" "Be who you were created to be, and you will set the world on fire"

- St. Catherine regularly visited the sick
- She became involved in Politics and wrote many letters, helping to restore peace in Italy
- She convinced the Pope to leave Avignon in France and return to Rome
- She is one of the most influential and popular saints in the Church
- Her feast day is April 29





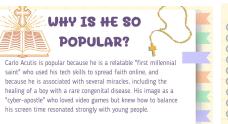






POPULAR?









Chiesa di Santa Maria Maggiore (Tomb of St Carlos Acutis), Assisi



Year 6 St. Carlos Acutis



Saint Carlo Acutis

Saint Carlo Acutis was the first ever Millennial saint, being born on the 3rd of May 1991 in London, to his parents <u>Antonia Salzano</u>. <u>Andrea Acutis</u>. As well as being the first Millennial saint, he is also the patron Saint of the internet because of his love for computers. Carlo sadly past away at the age of 15 on the 12th of October 2006 due to his leukaemia condition.



Cardos parents Andrea Acultis and Antonio Salzano, and his younger siblings, Michele and Francesca were not baptised or in the Catholic community. Carlo managed to convert his whole family to be Catholic leading his family to call him their little saviour' and their great educator in faith'. His father was an executive in the insurance industry and his mother's was working in the publishing industry. His two younger siblings were both born on the fourth anniversary of Cardos passing which his parents thought to be miracle attributed to Carlos intercession.



- 1. Carlo often enjoyed playing Mario, Pokèmon and Halo.
- Despite his love for gaming, Saint Carlo limited his time to 1 hour a week to focus on his faith.
- 3. He enjoyed playing soccer and supported A.C Milan.
- 4. Carlo wanted to become a chef.
- 5.He loved Nutella.
- Saint Carlo enjoyed making funny dog videos with Star Wars soundtracks.
- 7. Carlo taught himself to play the saxophone.
- Saint Carlo Acutis was also famous for making his own
 website about miracles. You can see them here at
 miracolieucaristici.org.



"There are queues in front of a concert, in front of a football match, but i don't see these queues in front of the Blessed Sacrament."

-Saint Carlo Acutis



Miracles

Miracle 1

He healed a Brazilian boy with a malformed pancreas after the boys mother prayed to Carlo to save him.

Miracle 2

He also healed a girl from Costa Rica who had a serious head injury from which the doctors thought she wouldn't recover, but the girls mother went to Carlo's to pray for her daughter from which she recovered.

The miracles Carlo Acutis performed led to his canonisation as a saint on October 7th 2025 by Pope Leo the XIV.