

September 2023

- Mark the beginning of the school year e.g. **Assembly/ Prayer Service**
 - *Grow in Love* 1st Class, p.43
- See attached Prayer Service for the Beginning of the School Year**



- Create a **Prayer Space** reflecting the beginning of the academic year. Ideas available in *Grow in Love* (Theme 1). Each theme in *Grow in Love* provides suggestions for the class Prayer Space. Please include the colour that denotes the liturgical season.

- Theme: **Belonging/Family**
 - *Grow in Love* J Inf p. 21, S Inf p.53, 1st Class p. 25, 2nd Class p. 25
- 8th September - **The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary**
 - Prayers may include Hail Mary, Hail Holy Queen, Prayer to Mary
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- September 14th: **Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross:** The Feast commemorates the finding of the True Cross of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ, by Saint Helen, the mother of the Emperor Constantine.

- 27th September - **St Vincent de Paul**
 - *GIL* 2nd Class, p.283
 - *GIL* 3rd Class, p.191
- 29th September – **Feast of the Archangels: St Michael, St Gabriel, St Raphael**
 - *Grow in Love* 2nd Class, p. 105



- Theme: **Jesus**
 - *Grow in Love* J Inf p. 123, S Inf p.155, 1st Class p.49, 2nd Class p. 53, 3rd Class p.85, 4th Class p.89
 - Theme: **God**
 - *Grow in Love* 3rd Class p.27, 4th Class p. 27
- Prayers e.g. Morning and Night prayers, Glory Be to the Father