

19<sup>th</sup> June 2020

Dear Headteacher

I wrote to last week to share with you that Archbishop Bernard had agreed to celebrate a live streamed Good Shepherd Mass from St Chad's Cathedral on 29 June at 10 o'clock for those in school or for those learning from home, in both senior and primary schools.

Dan Callow and Emily Jordan have confirmed the music for the Mass now and I thought it would be helpful for you, for those who are in school, to have the opportunity to look at the words of the hymns and the Mass setting (all attached) . It may be possible that next week the children and young people would be able to practice this in advance, so as to be able to join in with the music on the day.

Dan has deliberately chosen a couple of hymns that people may not be completely familiar with ( as well as ones they will be very familiar with) in the hope that as a preparatory activity children and young people may be able to find and watch them on YouTube and become familiar with some new music during this time.

The links can easily be found by entering the title of the hymn and the composer which can be found in the attachment.

If your school is intending to participate can you please email [goodshepherd@fatherhudsons.org.uk](mailto:goodshepherd@fatherhudsons.org.uk)

If you have any questions, please ring 01675 434000.

We look forward to joining with you for this Mass.

At the end of Mass we hope that the children and young people may be able to watch a short video which talks about our work during this COVID-19 pandemic in some of our 17 services which continued to run during the period. We hope that this demonstrates what your financial and other support that you give us throughout the year enables. The link for this will be sent to you in the middle of next week. Students might like to look at this beforehand and do a little research.

Best wishes



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