

Newsletter Insert and Web Text for the Education Sunday

Sunday 10th September 2017

This text is an outline of this year's Education Sunday and its theme to be used in parish newsletters and websites.

Text

Next Sunday, 10 September is this year's Education Sunday. The theme of this year's Education Sunday is 'Gathered in my name', from next Sunday's Gospel reading. On Education Sunday, Catholics are encouraged to pray for all those involved in Catholic education, including, teachers, school staff, parents, governors and volunteers, and all those who contribute in some way.

The Catholic Education Service (CES) is the agency of the Catholic Bishops of England and Wales charged with safeguarding and promoting Catholic education. The CES regularly negotiates on behalf of schools and dioceses with the Department for Education and Ofsted, to ensure Catholic schools are well represented.

The second collection on Education Sunday will be for the diocese's education work, and the Catholic Education Service.