

9th June 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

Year 10 Feast Day for St Mother Teresa – Wednesday 8th July 2026.

I am delighted to share that our Year 10 pupils continue to uphold exemplary standards and truly embody the St Thomas More value of *"Aspire not to have more, but to be more."* It has been a pleasure to return to Year 10 this academic year as their Head of Learning, and I have every confidence that this positive attitude will continue throughout their time at STM.

As part of our Catholic Social Teaching programme, each year group has adopted a saint to learn from and emulate. For Year 10, we have chosen St Mother Teresa, who dedicated her life to serving others and showed great compassion in the face of adversity.

To honour St Mother Teresa, we invite Year 10 pupils to celebrate her Feast Day on Wednesday 8th July. Pupils may wear non-uniform on this day in exchange for a voluntary donation of £1.

In addition, the Year 10 cohort will raise funds through sponsored sporting activities during lunchtime. Highlights will include a staff vs student volleyball match and a form-time breakfast with Mrs Doherty.

If you have any questions or would like to discuss this further, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,



Mrs Doherty-Perkins
Head of Learning for Year 7 and 10

