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Tuesday, 13 September 2022

Dear Families,

State Funeral / Bank holiday

Following the announcement from Buckingham Palace of the death of our sovereign, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, a period of National Mourning has started and will continue until the end of the State Funeral. This is a period of time for reflection in response to the death of the Sovereign.

The official date of the State Funeral is **Monday 19th September 2022.** This day will be a bank holiday and all schools and colleges, including St Joseph the Worker RC Primary School, will be closed.

In school, we will be reflecting on the life of the Queen and her example. The children will be given an opportunity to sign a book of condolence. This will be made available to parents and parishioners from Thursday 15th September. If you would like to sign the book it will be located in the main Reception area.

Best wishes

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