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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are very excited that we have been invited to join the Jubilee celebrations with the Parish on Friday June 14th 2024 at 18.30 in the church.

Bishop Paul is visiting Windermere and will be leading the celebrations. This is very exciting and is a fantastic opportunity for the children to meet the Bishop and celebrate this momentous occasion.

The below information is from the Parish newsletter:

'Friday 14th June 2024 marks the 60th anniversary of the dedication of Our Lady of Windermere & St Herbert's!

To celebrate our Jubilee, there will be a special Mass at 6.30pm that day, followed by refreshments after Mass in the form of a Jacob's Join in the church hall, at approximately 7.30pm.

So, put that date, Friday 14th June in your diary.

All parishioners of Our Lady of Windermere and Mater Amabilis in Ambleside, are most welcome to the Mass, as are visitors and all who love our church.

The Bishop will be concelebrating Mass with Fr Ajish and former parish priests.

But before we get to this auspicious date, some work needs to be done so as to make this very special oneoff event a wonderful experience for all.

Some jobs need to take place well in advance, and some near to, or on the day itself. A special insert for the newsletter with more details about arrangements and how you can help will appear in the next couple of weeks.'

I would love to have as many children from school at mass as possible. Their behaviour in church is impeccable and I would be very proud for Bishop Paul to see how amazing they are.

You can either leave your child / children with us during the celebrations or you would also be welcome to join us, sitting close by.

Details of the event are as follows:

- Children should be in full uniform.
- Meet on the school playground between 18.00-18.10, where we will walk from school to church and join the Bishop, Father Ajish and the Parishioners for this joyful occasion. (If you arrive after 18.10, you can join us in church, no problem)
- After Mass (approx. 19.30) we are invited to join everyone for refreshments in the Parish Hall.
 We will not be able to supervise children in the hall, but you are encouraged to join in the celebrations as a family. Children should be collected from us at 19.30 from Church.

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There is a consent form below, as we will need a rough idea of numbers so we know how many benches to reserve.

I am also very privileged that we have also been invited to read the bidding prayers and do the offertory, so I would like to allocate these roles out in advance so we can rehearse. (Please could you return the slip below and let us know whether your child can or cannot attend)

I appreciate that this is an evening event and that some children will have prior commitments. However, I would be very grateful if you were able to support school and send your children to celebrate this milestone occasion for our Parish community.

Thank you for your support, Yours Sincerely, Mrs Bone

Bishop Paul visit Friday June 14th 2024

My child/ren _____ can / cannot attend the Jubilee celebrations at Our Lady of Windermere and St. Herbert's on Friday June 14th.

If your child/ren can attend, please complete/ tick the below:

- I will bring my child to the school playground between 18.00 and 18.10 on Friday 14th June
- I will collect my child from church at 19.30
- I will ensure my child is wearing full uniform
- I am happy for my child to take an active part in the mass (either reading a bidding prayer or carrying the offertory)

Signed _____ Dated ____













