

Our Parish

Unit Focus:

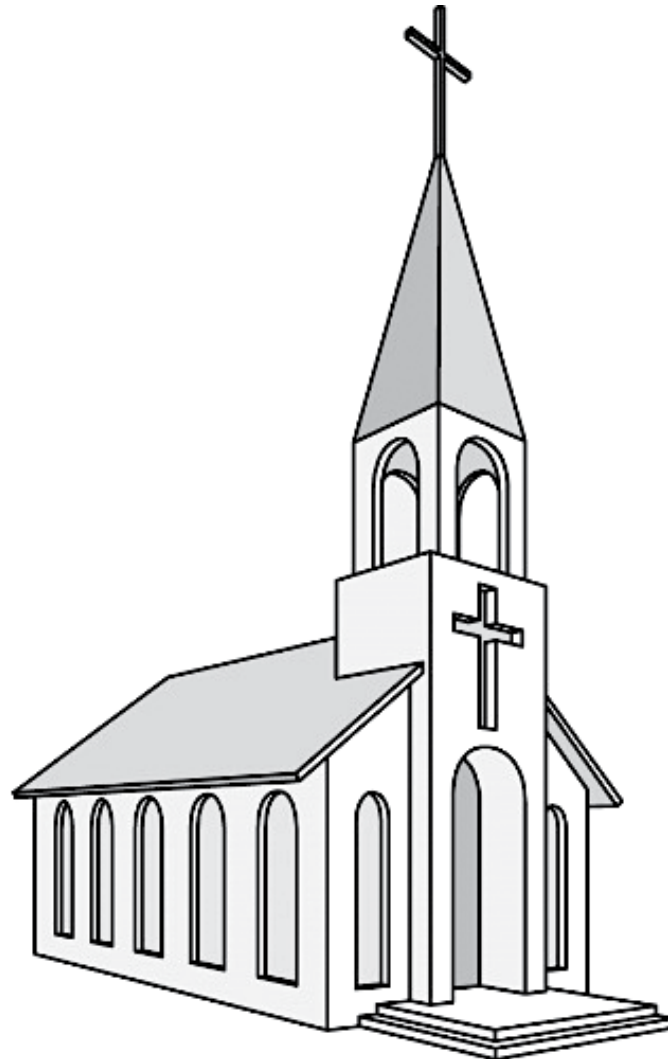
Students explore their own Catholic identity and that of their family. Students also explore the parish as a part of God's family as a community of Christian people, who celebrate, serve and grow in faith and love together.

Students are challenged to:

- Participate in school and parish worship.
- Recognise the implications of Jesus' words and actions.
- Pray in a variety of ways.
- Recognise God's presence in the world.

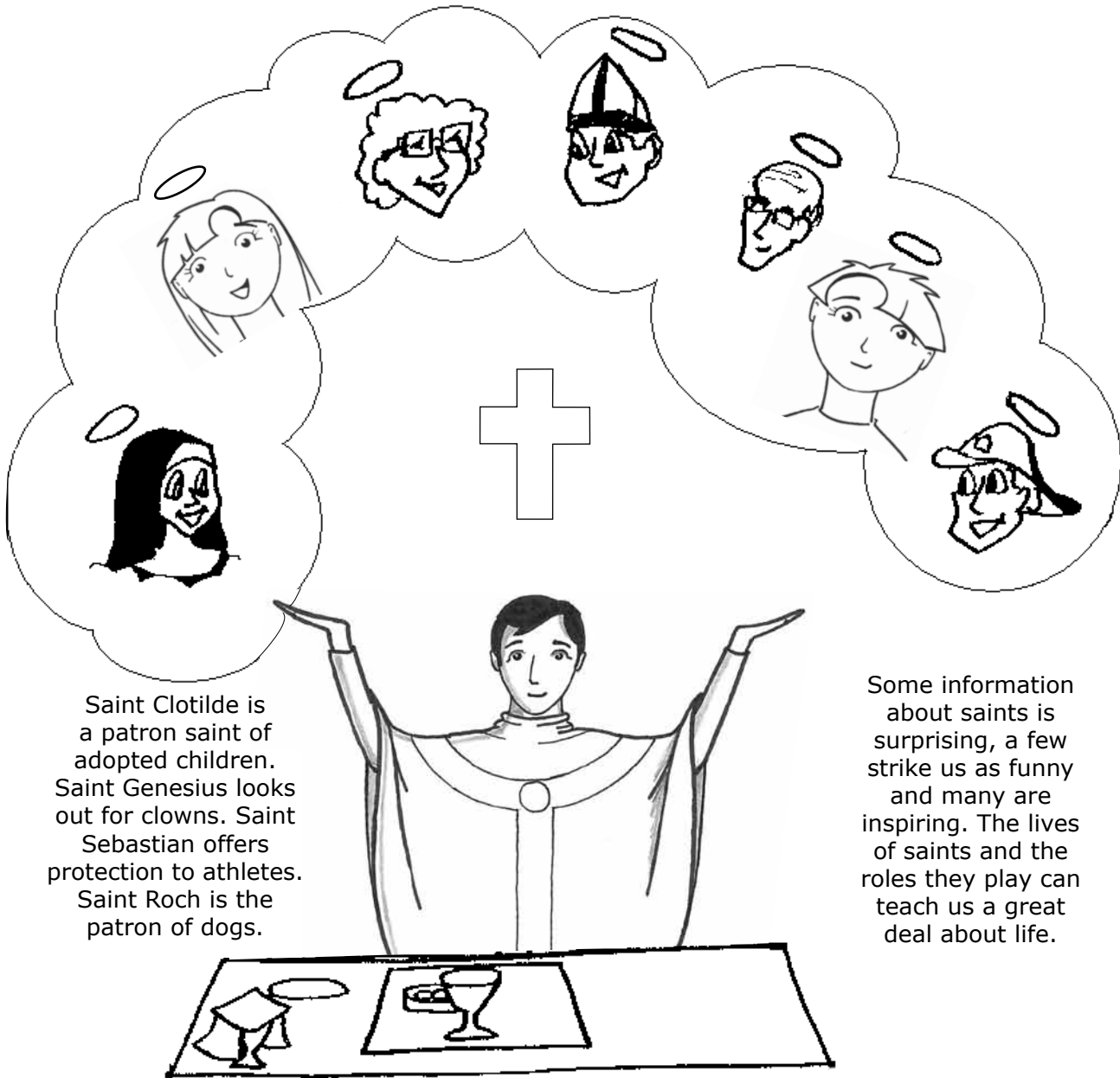
In Class:

Students have created symbols to reflect their understanding of themselves as Catholics. The class has celebrated belonging to the place called Church and the people of God. Students have read the story of the followers of Jesus meeting to break the bread (Acts 2:46-47). In particular they have learnt that whenever two or three people gather in the Lord's name, Jesus is there with them.



Gather in my Name

Aim: Think about the Church as a group of people.



Saint Clotilde is a patron saint of adopted children. Saint Genesius looks out for clowns. Saint Sebastian offers protection to athletes. Saint Roch is the patron of dogs.

Some information about saints is surprising, a few strike us as funny and many are inspiring. The lives of saints and the roles they play can teach us a great deal about life.

Celebrate all the Saints!

All the people in Heaven are saints. They are part of a community of Catholics that we belong to. Discover your child's

'name saint' by searching:
www.all-catholic-saints.info
 or reading 'Saintly Fun Facts'
 by Bernadette McCarver Snyder

