

Schola Cantorum

Sacrae Eucharistiae

Choir of the Holy Eucharist

Schola Cantorum means
'school of singers', or
choir.

This book tells you all
about what we do at
Schola.



Schola!

At the end of term we have a schola party. You can ask you friends and family to come. Jesus loves parties so we start our party by talking to him. Then we have games and goodies!



We like our parties very much.

When schola is over we go home.



You will be given some music to listen to and practice at home. Practice will make you a very good singer.

Maybe someone at home would like to hear your new music?

People everywhere like to sing.

Do you?



Even little babies love to sing.

Ask some people what their favourite song is. What songs do you like to sing?

Ask someone if they know a song that starts 'Do, a deer, a female deer...' If they know it, see if you can learn to sing it before Schola starts.



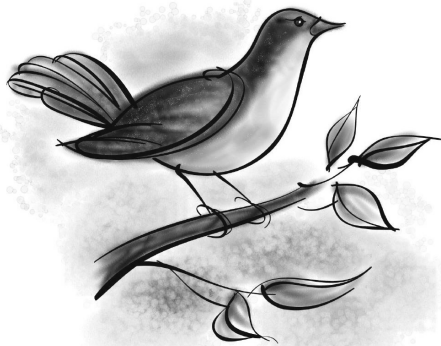


Notice the sounds all around you.

Some are very loud.



Some are very soft,



and some are very musical.

Jesus is very excited that we have come to visit him!



We sing beautiful music to him.

We talk to him quietly in our hearts.

We tell him about the people who need help.

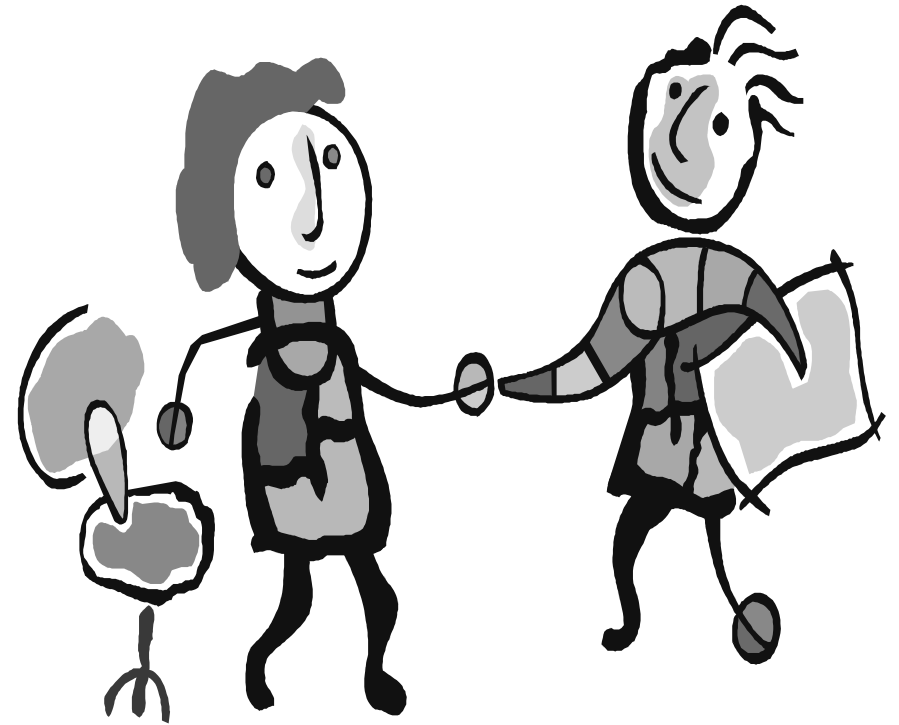
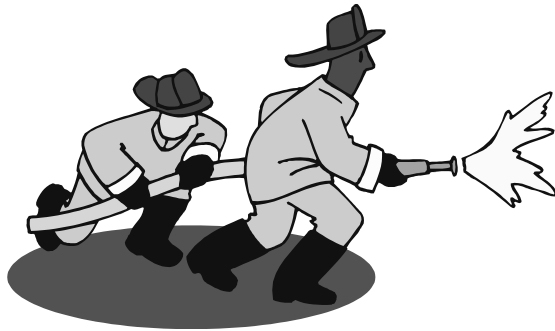
We only have a little time with him, so we focus very hard!

We are good friends to each by not being distracting.



Sometimes we wear
our choir robes for
singing.

Lots of people
have special
clothes to help
them do their
job well.



When you come to Schola, you
will make many friends.

We like to be friendly.

We shake hands,
and sing hello to each other.



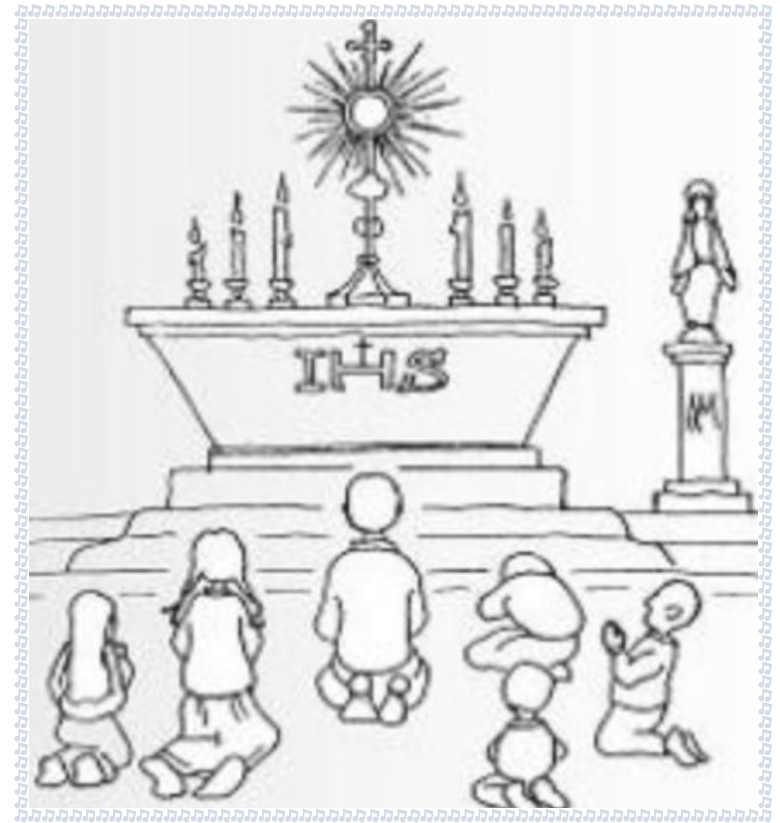
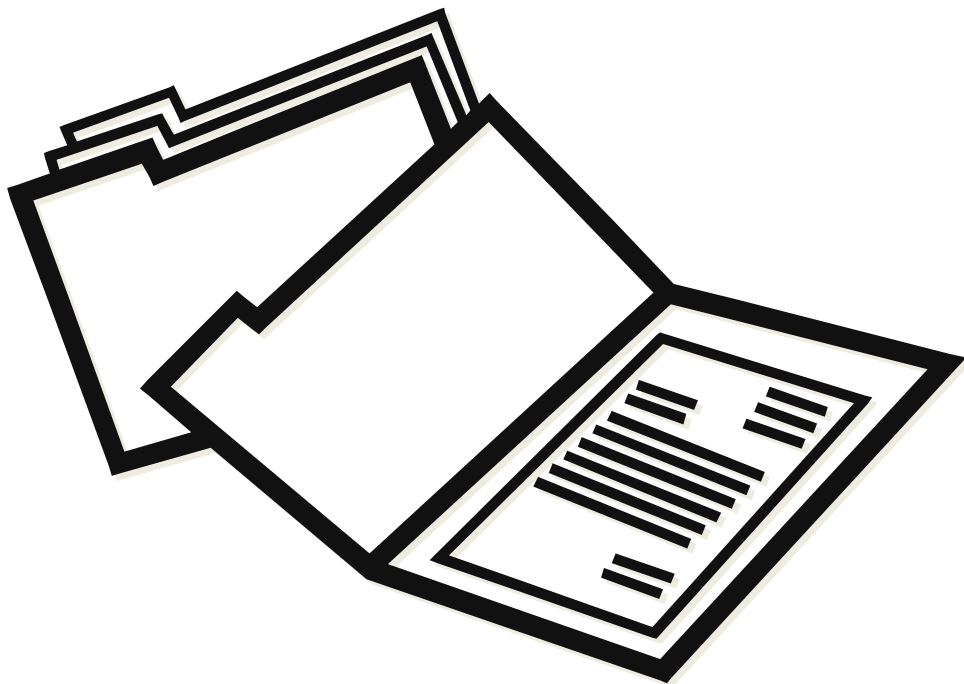
Our choir robes help
us to sing our best,
because we know we
are all together doing
the same job.

You will be given your Schola folder.

It is your special folder, and over the years in Schola you will have lots of beautiful music to keep it in.

You will also be able to decorate it with beautiful artwork.

Always remember to bring your folder with you, so that you can join in.



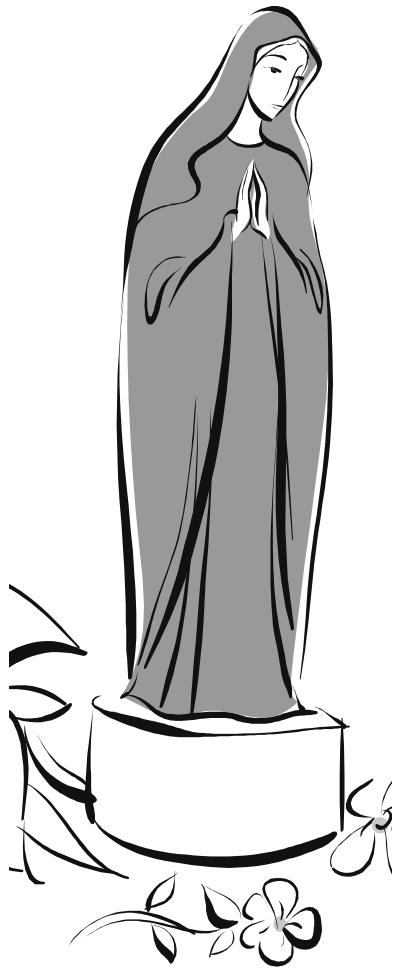
The Boys schola help to get the altar ready for Jesus.

They take turns each week, to light the candles.

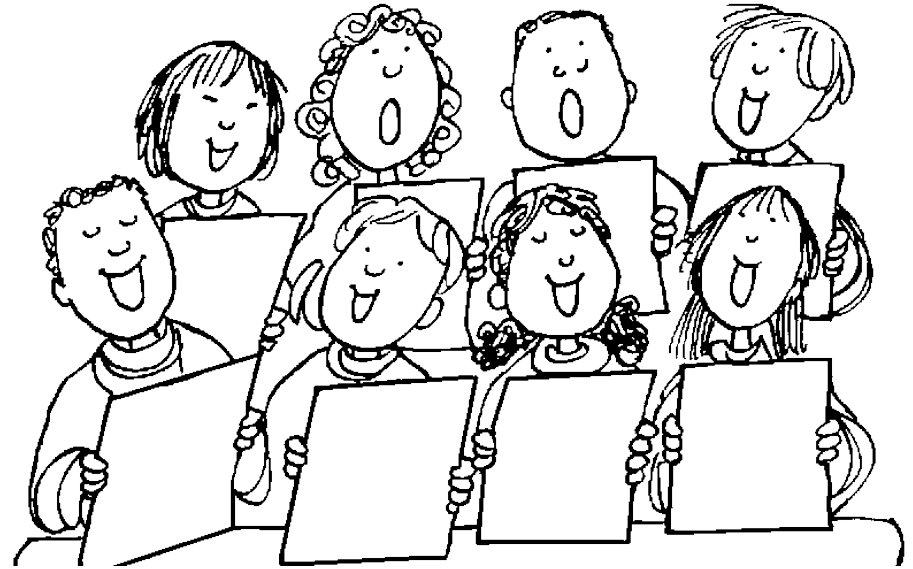
Then we go into the Church.

The Girls Schola has a special job.

Every week they each light a candle
for Our Lady.



They pray for all
sorts of things,
like people who are
sick,
or doing exams,
or places in the
world where there is
war
or not enough food.



In Schola we learn how to sing
beautifully.

We start very simply, and sing
altogether.

You will soon learn lots of new
things about music.

Sometimes we have questions about our music. Sometimes we are worried about something at Schola.



The teacher is always ready to help you. You can ask anything you want.

After we practise our music, we play a game.

Sometimes they are musical games. Sometimes we have races or running games.

Games help you to breathe well, which is important for good singing.

