

Blessing and Opening of the The Examen Garden 4th April 2019

In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen

Let us pray,

Loving God,
we thank you for the many gifts in our lives
and for the primary school here in Holsworthy.
We thank you for the people whose vision and dedication
has made this Examen Garden possible.
We pray that the blessing of this area
will help us to serve all the people who come here.
May the teamwork we carry out here
help us build community everywhere.
May our prayers and self examen help us to flourish
May giving our best efforts here,
help us be generous everywhere.
We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

BLESSING OF THE AREA

Loving God,
from the dawn of time you have delighted in your people,
You have supported them in their work,
inspired them in their dreams
and taken pleasure in their recreation.
You have run with us when we are confident
and walked with us when we are weary.

We thank you for this garden which we ask your blessing on today.

May it always be a place where people learn to love one another, a place where people can spend time with you our loving God and a place where people can relax and enjoy each other's company.

+ Bless this trail and all who use it

+ Bless all who come here and who have made this possible.

Loving God we praise you and ask your blessing
through Christ our Lord. Amen

The priest will now sprinkle the building and people with Holy Water.

Our Father

May almighty God bless us and keep us.
Amen