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Dear Parents and Guardians,

As you are all aware, the possibility of restrictions being brought in for Co. Louth is very real.

Your children had anticipated the celebration of their First Penance and First Holy Communion during the last school year and were disappointed when these ceremonies were postponed. Since we reopened on August 26th, your children have begun their preparations again, under the guidance of Mrs Cumiskey and Mr Loughran. We thank them for their work and dedication regarding this and look forward to the celebration of their First Holy Communion.

Should the indications from NPHE and the Government on Thursday suggest that Co. Louth will move to Level 3, we will be prepared to go ahead with our celebration of the sacrament of First Holy Communion on **Friday September 25th at 11am**. While we appreciate this may not suit everyone, we realise the alternative is to wait for an uncertain number of weeks and begin our preparations yet again. A text message will be sent out to you to confirm either way on Thursday.

Le deaghúí,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Donna Kirby'.

Donna Kirby

Principal