## **Prayer of Declaration for St Mary's School**

We invite you, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, to bless St Mary's School and every Godly activity that takes place there. We rejoice that you dwell in this school by your Holy Spirit. We proclaim that you are Lord of heaven and earth and this school, every space within and the land without, belongs to you. No weapon forged against the school or its occupants will prevail and we refute every tongue that speaks against it, forgiving the perpetrators and blessing them in the name of Jesus.

We praise you that joy, hope, peace, love and all the fruits of your Holy Spirit abide here.

We pray for a wall of fire around the building and glory within and we declare this school to be a Holy place, sanctified for your glory.

Thank you Father that you have called every adult and child in this school by name. We declare that they are yours and we rejoice that you have a good and perfect plan for each one of them. Pour out your spirit on those in authority, and particularly on the head-teacher and staff and anoint them for all that you have called them to be and to do.

Thank you that you for the faith that you have planted in each adult and child and we pray that you will mature it through their obedience and the love of your Holy Spirit. Thank you for your Holy Spirit-inspired wisdom and discernment with which you bless the head-teacher, staff and children, to make Godly choices and engage in Godly activities and relationships so that every word from their lips will be words of truth and life for the building of your Kingdom in this school. We declare that all who enter this school, for whatever reason, will walk in integrity and righteousness, obeying your commands and doing what is pleasing in your sight so that the beauty of your Holy Spirit is evident and the school and its occupants will reflect the glory of our Lord.

As we pray and intercede for all at St Mary's school, increase our faith to believe for all that you put on our hearts to pray. Thank you that it is your nature always to have mercy and that you are a Father who gives good things to those who ask. We ask, in Jesus name, that you bless St Mary's school and all who work and learn there.