

## St Bernadette's Catholic Primary School 'Doing our best for God'

Dear Parents/carers,

## Harvest Service of Thanksgiving: Thursday 20th October at 10.15 am - St Bernadette's School Hall led by Year 2

We would like to invite you to our Harvest Service of Thanksgiving which will be led by our Y2 pupils. We aim to thank God for his goodness and to share with our community the good things that God has given us. We therefore wish to provide for many in our parish community, especially the elderly and the housebound, with a Harvest Gift. We require gifts of attractive quality biscuits/chocolates or small house plants. For the homeless, we require donations of tins, fruit and vegetables. We have chosen the following options for delivery of the above from our classes:

Years 3 & 4: Gifts of chocolates/ small chocolate bars or a small house plant.

Years 2 & 5: Gifts of special biscuits/small house plant

**Year R, 1 & 6**: Gifts of tins, e.g. tinned potatoes, beans and stew, tinned fruit, tinned rice pudding, etc.

Please send the gifts into school no later than **Monday 17th October**. We appreciate that we are always dependent upon your generosity. This is a very important gesture to our wider community, taking the love and care of our school children and their families into the lives of others. It is fundamental to our Christianity. The children have also designed a card with their message of kindness and care and these will be used to accompany your gifts.

If anyone has any spare time on Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> October from 11.30 am, we would appreciate your help to distribute the gifts after the service; please contact Mrs Duke.

We distribute out harvest gifts to Street Life, Community Grocery and the Ashley Foundation. If you know anyone else who would welcome a box of food or a small gift, then please email Mrs Duke. denise.duke@st-bernadette.blackpool.sch.uk

Yours sincerely, Mrs Alexis Satterthwaite Head Teacher



















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