

St. John's CE Primary School

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Dear Parent/Carer

HARVEST VISIT TO ST JOHN'S CHURCH FOR RECEPTION / YEAR 1 AND 2 TUESDAY $\mathbf{5}^{\text{TH}}$ OCTOBER

This year Reception/Year 1 and Year 2 will visit St John's Church on Tuesday 5th October. This will take place during the morning so please bring your child to school per usual at the normal time.

Rev Tom Coopey will welcome the children and show them around St John's Church, followed by a short Harvest Celebration. We will need some volunteer helpers, if any parents/carers are available to walk the children to and from church, please get in touch with your child's class teacher.

We will be donating food to The Nest, a not-for-profit community shop in Weymouth. – therefore please can we ask for non- perishable food stuffs (tea/coffee/squash/tins/dried food/pasta/rice/jars and bottles). Please check that these items are in date. The food will be distributed after the Harvest Festival.

ALL CHILDREN WILL WALK TO AND FROM CHURCH using the Weymouth College walkway. Please make sure your child has a waterproof coat (with a hood if possible) in school. If the weather is extremely wet the service at church will be cancelled. We already have your permission to take your child out of school for Church Services. We will return to school in time for lunch.

Apart from volunteer helpers we are not inviting parents/carers to join us in church this time but will be looking forward to hopefully doing so at Christmas.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Amanda Aze Headteacher

