



## READY RESPECTFUL ENGAGED

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> September 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

On Thursday 2nd of October, the KSI (Year 1 and 2) children will be visiting St John's Church, Mickleover to celebrate Harvest Festival. The children have been learning songs about Harvest time and will be singing them during the morning.

We would like to invite KSI parents to join us at the church to watch your child/children perform. We would love to see as many of you there as possible. Please note that Nursery (FS1) and FS2 Reception will **not** be attending the Church service and will be having their own Harvest celebrations in class.

Year 1 and 2 children will aim to leave school at approximately 9:15am, with the celebration beginning at 9:30am.

If you are able to walk with your child's class to the church, please return to the classroom door just before their scheduled departure time. Where possible, please inform your class teacher in advance if you are able to help walk with the group.

Harvest Festival is a traditional British celebration, a time to give thanks for the food and crops that have been harvested and to share these with those who are in greater need.

This year, we will be supporting the Padley Centre, which helps homeless people in our community. Monetary donations should be sent directly to the Padley Centre using the link on the attached poster or by scanning the QR code. *Please do not send cash into school.*

We would like to receive as many food donations as people feel able to contribute. A list of suggested items is attached. If you would like to donate, please hand your items to your child's class teacher/TA between 29<sup>th</sup> of September and 3<sup>rd</sup> of October. Please check all use by dates.

Many thanks for your ongoing support.

Mrs Marshall  
Class Teacher

