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Dear Parents/Carers,

Harvest Assembly and Harvest Appeal 2024 Tuesday 8th October

I am writing to invite you to our annual harvest celebration Tuesday 8th October at 2.30pm.

We are also asking for your support for this year's harvest appeal, which helps the elderly and less fortunate than ourselves in our parish. Each year the school asks families to support the parish community by providing food donations to our local food bank. The local food bank, which runs from our parish church of English Martyrs, has asked for donations of dry food for example, rice, pasta, packet food, teabags, cereals, tins (tinned meat, tinned vegetables, tinned fruit, beans, soups etc.), long life milk, biscuits and any other non-perishable items.

If you feel able to contribute to this appeal, please send your items for the food bank into school by Friday 4th October.

If you would prefer to make a cash donation, this year to support the work of the St. Vincent de Paul Society, please clearly mark envelopes with "Harvest Donation – SVP".

Thank you sincerely in advance for your support for this appeal.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Rathbone Principal

