

We've just had our annual Coffee Morning in aid of Macmillan and I can honestly say I'm staggered at announce that we have raised **£307** for this most worthy charity. The response has been frankly amazing and a real mark of what kind of community we are and what we share as our common values: thank you and I'm so very proud of each and every one in our school family. Last year we raised £125 so this year's total speaks for itself: what a gesture of love and care you have offered to those who are really suffering and in need of love: medics, families, carers and especially the sick and suffering.

Monday is our Harvest Festival in Central Methodist Church at 9am and please send in some food gifts (pre-packed and tins are also useful) – these will be donated to a local foodbank. We hope you are able to come along to this too as all children in school will be taking part. IT IS IMPORTANT THAT ALL DONATIONS ARE TAKEN TO THE CHURCH FROM 8.30 ONWARDS AND PLACED ON THE TABLE IN CHURCH AND THEN CHILDREN ARE BROUGHT TO SCHOOL. WE WILL LEAVE SCHOOL AT 9.50 SO ANY LATE ARRIVALS WILL FIND A LOCKED DOOR AS WE WILL HAVE LEFT FOR CHURCH. There will also be a plate out for collection if anyone prefers to leave money – this will be donated to the Rare Breeds Survival Trust. Every child in school will perform in this service, so we hope to see as many of you as possible able to come and share this lovely celebration.

Kind regards

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