



ST. AIDAN'S

CHURCH OF ENGLAND HIGH SCHOOL

September 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

Harvest Festival – Wednesday 11th October 2023 – 7.30 pm

It is my pleasure to invite you to share in St Aidan's Celebration of Harvest in Constance Green Hall on Wednesday 11th October at 7.30 pm. This will be an informal act of Christian worship featuring music, dance and drama. All parents are very welcome to join us but we would particularly like to extend a welcome to the parents of new students to the school.

St Aidan's school vision centres upon Jesus' words to his disciples in John 10 v10: 'I have come that you might have life – life in all its fullness.' Consequently, we view our Harvest Festival as an opportunity to give thanks for our many gifts and to serve others locally and overseas. As a regular collection point for Harrogate Foodbank our Harvest Festival will mark the start of this year's appeal and we invite all students and their families if they are able to donate non-perishable foods and household items to our collection point. We would ask that Harvest donations be brought into the School Reception from **Monday 2nd October to Thursday 12th October**. You can find out more about the Foodbank's most urgently needed items by following this link to their Facebook page:
<https://www.facebook.com/HarrogateFoodbank>

We will also be taking up a collection for Christian Aid. If you would like to make a donation up to or on the night of the Harvest Festival, you can do so in person at the service or via ParentPay from Monday 2nd October.

We very much look forward to seeing you on the 11th October and thank you for your support at this Harvest time.

Yours faithfully

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