



# Crigglestone St James CE Primary Academy

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Dear Parents,

## **Harvest Festival - Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> October & Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2018**

This year, we will be supporting St Catherine's Church Food Bank. In Wakefield there are many people living on the edge of poverty. All it takes is a sudden, unexpected event – a bereavement, illness, redundancy or theft to throw people into genuine crisis. National statistics show that some areas of Wakefield are amongst the most deprived areas in England. St Catherine's Food Bank provides local families and individuals with essential food supplies at a time when they need them most, covering the days before other parts of the social care infrastructure can come into play.

We would be grateful if each child could bring a donation into school on the day of your child's Harvest Festival. We have included a shopping list sent to us by St Catherine's food bank of items that they regularly need.

SHOPPING LIST		
High Demand Items		
UHT Milk	Tinned Fruit	Tinned Meat
Tinned Fish	Rice Pudding	Tinned Potatoes
Coffee	Pasta Sauce	Instant Mash
General Items		
Tinned Beans	Tinned pasta	Tinned Soup
Dried Pasta	Rice	Cereal
Teabags	Sugar	

The children will be walking to Church on each day straight after morning registration and the service will start when all the children have arrived. Please can you ensure your child/children come to school wearing a warm waterproof coat and sensible walking shoes.

Yours sincerely

Mr Denton  
Headteacher