

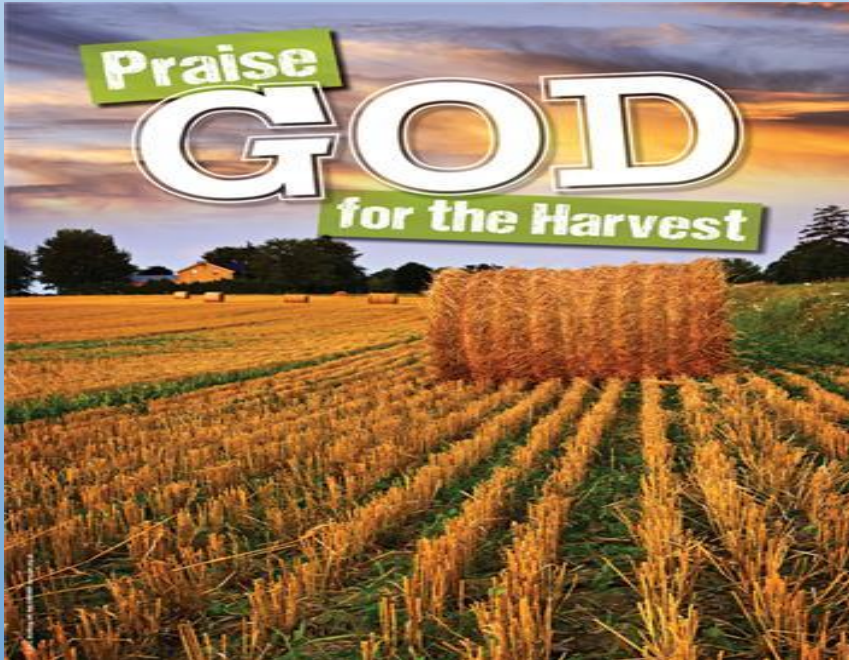


Thursday 20th October 2022

St Barnabas

Church of England Primary Academy

A member of **C**DARI





The Trinity

God the Father

God the Son

God the Holy Spirit

The Harvest of Love

An empty bowl, a crying child,
A mother filled with dread.
An empty cup, a scorching sun,
A dried up river bed.

An empty sack, a crying child,
A father filled with fear.
A barren field, an empty store,
The crops have failed this year.



*We must be aware and show that we care,
So let's work together in this world we share.
Let's learn how to give, to help others live,
And reap the harvest of love*

A bowl of maize, a smiling child,
A lorry bringing aid,
A brimming cup, a sheltered home,
A difference has been made



A sack of maize, a smiling child,
A lorry bringing seed,
A planted field, a waiting store,
Hope for those in need.

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care,
So let's work together in this world we
share.*

*Let's learn how to give, to help others live,
And reap the harvest of love*



to our Harvest Worship 2022

We are so fortunate in this country because the majority of us have plenty of food to eat.

Today, we would like to celebrate Harvest with our infant classes sharing what they have been learning about in RE.

But first, let's think about those people who live in, or have fled from, countries where many are starving because of famine and war.

Let us hope that they can live in peace and that the richer countries of the world will unite to send them help.

At St Barnabas this year we have chosen to support two very worthy causes:





DARE is a local charity that supports asylum seekers and refugees in the area, offering advice, food and clothing, as well as help with health, housing, employment and learning English.

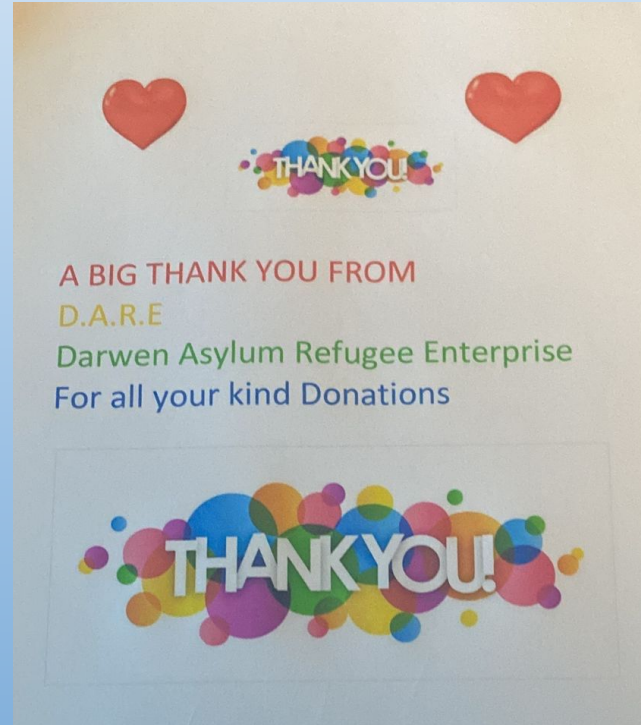
We asked you for donations of food, toiletries and clothing that we can pass on to DARE. Your kind donations will be invaluable in helping our local asylum seekers and refugees to feel safe, welcomed and more settled in Darwen.



Mothers' Union is a Christian charity that has been supporting families worldwide for over 140 years.

To support this charity, we were all set the challenge of doing 3 kind acts at home in exchange for £1.50. Your kind donations, resulting from the children's hard work at home, will go specifically to supporting women in Burundi, in east-central Africa. The money raised will help them to receive education that will equip them to work and earn more money for their families, who are currently living on just £1.50 per day!

On behalf of DARE and Mothers' Union, we would like to say a huge...



for your kindness and compassion in donating to these worthwhile causes.

Reception: The Job of a Farmer



SING A SONG FOR HARVEST

Sing a song for harvest, sing it loud and clear,

Sing a song for harvest at this time of year.

Praise the One who made the stars and the sun,

Praise the One that gave his gifts to everyone.

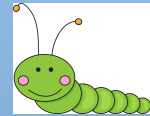
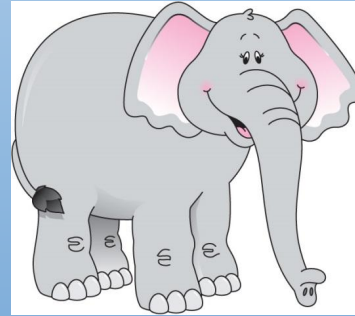
Praise our God, let's give!

Praise our God, let's live!



Sing a song for harvest, sing it loud and clear,
Sing a song for harvest at this time of year.
Praise the One who made the creatures great and
small,
Praise the One that gave his gifts to one and all.

Praise our God, let's give!
Praise our God, let's live!



Sing a song for harvest, sing it loud and clear,
Sing a song for harvest at this time of year.
Praise the One who made us every plant and
tree,
Praise the One that gave his gifts to you and me.

Praise our God, let's give!
Praise our God, let's live!



Sing a song for harvest, sing it loud and clear,
Sing a song for harvest at this time of year.
Praise the One who gave us gifts so we can live,
Praise the One who taught us TO GIVE.

Praise our God, let's give!
Praise our God, let's live!

Praise our God, let's give!
Praise our God, let's LIVE!!



Year 2: The Feeding of the 5000



THE BUTTERFLY SONG

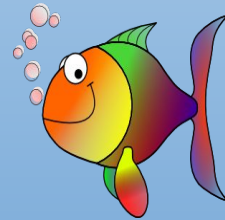
If I were a butterfly
I'd thank you Lord for giving me
wings



If I were a robin in a tree
I'd thank you Lord that I could sing



If I were a fish in the sea
I'd wiggle my tail and I'd giggle with
glee



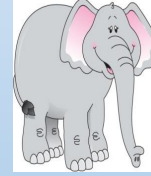
But I just thank you Father for making
me, me

For you gave me a heart and you
gave me a smile

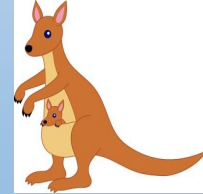
You gave me Jesus and you
made me your child

And I just thank you Father for
making me, me

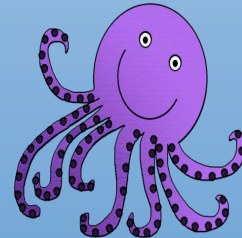
If I were an elephant
I'd thank you Lord by raising my
trunk



If I were a kangaroo
You know I'd hop right up to you
If I were an octopus



I'd thank you Lord for my fine looks
But I just thank you Father for
making me, me

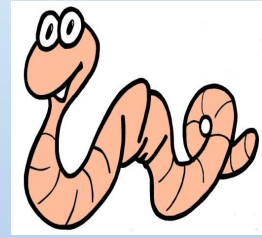


For you gave me a heart and
you gave me a smile

You gave me Jesus and you
made me your child

And I just thank you Father for
making me, me

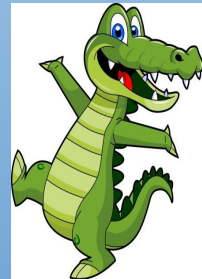
If I were a wiggly worm
I'd thank you Lord that I could
squirm



If I were a fuzzy, wuzzy bear
I'd thank you Lord for my fuzzy,
wuzzy hair



If I were a crocodile
I'd thank you Lord for my great smile
But I just thank you Father for
making me, me



For you gave me a heart and
you gave me a smile

You gave me Jesus and you
made me your child

And I just thank you Father for
making me, me

For you gave me a heart and
you gave me a smile

You gave me Jesus and you
made me your child

And I just thank you Father for
making me, me

Year 1: The Thoughts of a Farmer



MAKE A DIFFERENCE

I can make a difference

You can make a difference

We can make a difference in this world of ours

I can make a difference

You can make a difference

We can make a difference in this world of ours

**I've got the power to do some good,
I've got the power to change my attitude,
I've got the power to say if I don't agree,
I've got the power to dream what I'd like
to be**

I can make a difference

You can make a difference

We can make a difference in this world of ours

I can make a difference

You can make a difference

We can make a difference in this world of ours

**You've got the power to go the extra mile,
You've got the power to listen for a while
You've got the power to lend a helping
hand,**

**You've got the power to try and
understand**

I can make a difference

You can make a difference

We can make a difference in this world of ours

I can make a difference

You can make a difference

We can make a difference in this world of ours

**We've got the power to choose between right
or wrong,**

**We've got the power to sing along with this
song,**

We've got the power to show a little grace,

**We've got the power to make this a better
place**

I can make a difference

You can make a difference

We can make a difference in this world of ours

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I can make a difference

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We can make a difference in this world of ours

Reflection

How can we follow Jesus' example to make a difference to others?

How can we share what we have?

How can we show our thanks to God for all of the wonderful things we have?



**How can you show our
Christian Values this
Harvest?**



**What action could you
take to help others?**



Dear God,

Thank you for the celebration of harvest.

Thank you for all the delicious and nutritious food we have.

Thank you for the rain, the soil, the sun.

Thank you for the farmers who work so hard all year round to make sure we have food to eat.


Thank you for all the people who work in factories and shops who make sure there is food to buy.

Thank you for the grown ups who cook us our meals at home and at school.

Help us always to remember to say thank you.

Please help us always to think about the needs of others and to help others who don't have as much as we do.

Amen

A photograph of a long, straight asphalt road with white lane markings, receding into the distance. The road is flanked by dry, golden-brown grassy fields. In the far distance, a bright sun is low on the horizon, creating a strong lens flare and illuminating the clouds above. The sky is filled with large, dark, textured clouds, with some lighter patches where the sun's light breaks through. The overall mood is one of hope and journey.

Each one of us can make a difference.
Together we can make change.