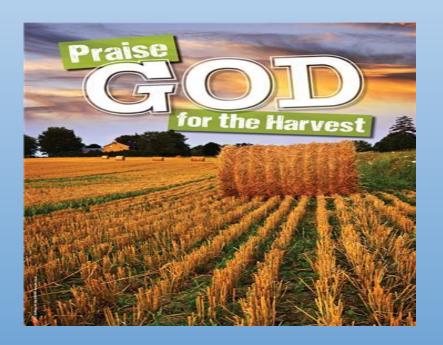


## St Barnabas

### Thursday 17th October 2024



# Church of England Primary Academy A member of CDARI







**The Trinity** 

In the name of the Father
In the name of the Son
In the name of the Holy Spirit

We are so fortunate in this country because the majority of us have plenty of food to eat and have access to a good education.

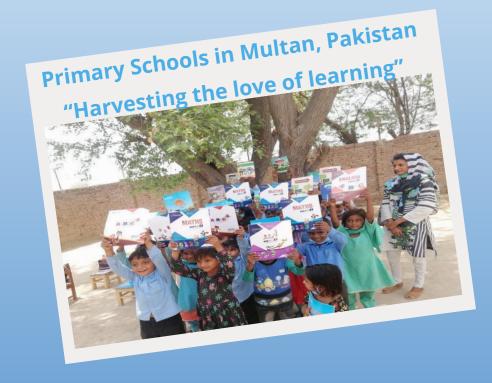
Today, we would like to celebrate Harvest with our infant classes sharing what they have been learning about in RE.

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 also think of the children in Multan, Pakistan, who aren't able to learn to read due to a lack of resources.

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 for Harvest:







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.

#### On behalf of DARE, we would like to say:







The Diocese of Multan in Pakistan helps to provide teacher training, hand washing facilities in schools, free books, solar power systems, furniture and water filtration buckets so that children can learn, but it is desperately in need of funds.

As a school, we have decided to take part in Bishop Philip's Harvest Heptathlon to raise some money for this worthwhile cause. Each child will complete a seven-part obstacle course in school. This will take place after the holidays. Sponsors can be donated on parent pay.



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# Reception: Thank you for the Harvest



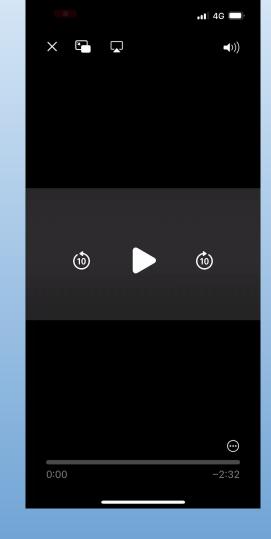


## Year 2: Harvest Poems & Prayers



#### MAKE A DIFFERENCE





#### Year 1: Fairtrade





#### Reflection

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 and the sun.

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

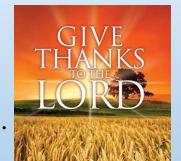
Thank you for all the people who work in factories and shops who make sure there is food to buy.

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

Thank you that we are able to attend school and learn.

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** 















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