Our Pupil Leadership Team (PLT) gives every child an opportunity to actively develop their own strengths, talents and interests and at the same time, promote our School Virtues, Key Principles (CST) and British Values.

The Pupil Leadership Team work with energy and enthusiasm to promote awareness to others and encourage everyone to have their say and join in with events and activities across school, within the local community and wider life.

By having a voice our pupils help lead, develop and improve areas within school, that are important to them.

They lead by example, in respecting, promoting and celebrating the diversity of our children and adults in school, in our local area and globally too.

***They give their hands to do God’s work!***

**Climate Change Champions**

Our Climate Change Champions are passionate about caring for our common home and ensuring we all take responsibility to look after it. They raise awareness amongst children, staff and parents around issues that are important to them at school, at home and globally. Responsibilities in school include light monitors to save energy, litter picking rotas and leading awareness assemblies for the whole school. They are also responsible for looking after our grounds and gardens too.

Staff Lead: Mrs Box/ Mrs Porter

**Sports Leaders**

Our Sports Leaders are responsible for encouraging and promoting physical activities across the school day. They lead playground games to encourage pupil participation as well as developing skills across a range of outdoor activities. They lead in assemblies and are responsible for selecting weekly awards, linking to our school virtues and often plan and lead warmups within PE lessons. They are responsible for helping Miss Callender audit and order PE equipment annually, to ensure lessons can be delivered effectively and that there is a wide variety of resources to develop and stretch talents and interests in sports. As role models of sportsmanship, they demonstrate exemplary attitude, resilience, energy and enthusiasm.

Staff Lead: Mrs Jennings

**Well- Being Ambassadors**

Our well- being Ambassadors work together to help ensure St Mary’s is a happy, safe place for all children. They are role models to others for their wonderfully kind, caring attitude, respect for others and nurturing manner towards all children. They look out for anyone who needs a buddy- on the playground, lunchtimes and speak out to trusted adults if they feel someone is sad, or not quite themselves around school. They are responsible for leading and promoting wellbeing throughout the school. With support, they drive the message forward to speak out and encourage others to ‘make some noise’ so that children are more comfortable with being able to talk about and express their own feelings.

Staff Lead: Mrs Lewandowski

**Faith In Action**

All children at St Mary’s do so much to follow Jesus’ example in serving others at school, however when our children reach Year 6 they are invited to join our Faith in Action group. Our Faith in Action Group are fully committed in taking greater responsibility to promote, drive and encourage the responsibility we all show, to actively help others. Projects include Cafod, Toilet Twinning, Readathon, Food Banks, church cleaning rotas… the list goes on! If successful, children receive their PIN level of the award. Our leaders are exemplary role models to other children and have an excellent awareness of our school virtues and CST key principles.

Staff Lead: Mrs Box and Miss Holywell

**Librarians**

Our librarians take responsibility to ensure our reading spaces in school are welcoming, tidy and organised. They help us to replace books, promote popular authors and create areas within classrooms and our school library to encourage all children to read. Our librarians also promote any events taking place in school or in our local community that they feel will help inspire children to read or discover a new favourite author.

Staff Lead: All staff and Mrs Dominick