# School Life Termly Newsletter Autumn Term One 2018



We would like to share our children's outstanding achievements on this newsletter. Please don't hesitate to contact me if you would like to contribute any ideas for our next newsletter.

#### **Learning Together for Life**

#### **School Council**

We are really excited for the new year in School Council. We are already starting to plan our fundraising for Children in Need. Information about this will be coming out soon.

We are also looking to work on a longer term fundraising project to try and get some exciting visitors into school later in the year.



## **Collective Worship Council**

We have just recruited our new Collective Worship Council and the children are excited to be involved in working on our prayer space, monitoring Collective Worship and supporting the Christian Values of our school.

During our first meetings, we will be exploring holding 'Big Brekkie' events throughout the year to raise money for Christian Aid.



#### **Methodist Workers**

Sarah and Gareth, our local Methodist Church workers, have been working with the Collective Worship Council to create our new prayer space this term. The children can write prayers for a new school year.

#### **Our Termly Christian Value**

This term, our Christian value is Caring.
Through Collective Worship and reflection
time, we explore how we can demonstrate
being Caring in our school.

We use an image to represent The Parable of The Good Samaritan.



#### **The Good Samaritan**

Luke 10:25-37

He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. v.35

The Good Samaritan in Jesus' parable showed caring towards the injured man when others have walked by and ignored him. We care for everyone in our school community, always striving to follow the example of the Good Samaritan.

#### **Sports Ambassadors**

# We are so excited to have appointed our new Sports Ambassadors!

The children selected have already had their first meetings with Mr Maidment and Mr Toothill. In these, games at lunchtimes were discussed and planned for. In the coming weeks our Sports Ambassadors will be running games and activities for our children at lunchtimes. These include: basketball, obstacle courses, beat the goalie, dance, golf and capture the flag.

What a great array of activities!



# **Healthy Snacks - Fruit**

Our Key Stage Two children can purchase fresh fruit every day at play time. Our Sports Ambassadors help to set up the stall each day and organise the payments and collection of fruit from the kitchen.

### **Harvest Festival Service**

We are looking forward to seeing lots of you on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October at St. Thomas' Church for our Harvest Festival Service. Our Year Five children are looking forward to leading the service.