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**"Jesus came
to give Fullness of Life"**
John 10 v 10

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4th November 2021

Dear Parents,

It is so lovely to have everyone back in school this half term. There is lots going on! Our Christian Value theme for this half term is compassion. The children will be learning about how to be compassionate and kind to others and why this is important. A Christian Value homework will be sent in the fourth week of this half term.

Harvest: Thank you for all your generous donations to our harvest appeal. These will now be going to support school families and local foodbanks.

Morrisons Good to Grow: Congratulations on collecting an amazing 3370 tokens! You have absolutely smashed our target and we cannot wait to receive our gardening equipment.

Individual photographs: Individual pupil photographs will be happening in school on **Monday 8th November**. These will be just of individual pupils and will not include siblings within school.

Remembrance Day: The British Legion poppies are now available in school. The poppy collection box will be going round the classes where the children will have the opportunity to get a poppy in return for a donation. Please note that the poppies are attached by a sticker, not a pin.

Children in Need: This year Children in Need is on **Friday 19th November**. We will be holding a non-uniform day for a £1 donation. This year, the children may come dressed in "Pudsey Bear" themed clothing e.g. yellow, spotty, bear themed. Thank you for supporting this wonderful charity every year.

Usborne books: Before the holiday you all received a letter and catalogue about ordering Usborne books. Steph Delahaye, one of our parents, is our local representative of Usborne books and has kindly volunteered to run our Virtual Christmas Book Fair. You can find more books on the Usborne website:

<https://usborne.com/gb/organiser/LittleRobinsbookcorner> but the books need to be ordered via Steph's Facebook page (search for Little Robins Book Corner or via text to Steph on 07858 222909) for school to receive an allocation of free books. Any orders made via the website link above rather than coming through school/via Steph will be charged delivery and we won't receive any commission.

All orders need to be placed with Steph by Friday 5th November. Payments are to be made online wherever possible. If you wish to pay by cash or cheque, the order form and payment must be returned to school by 9am on that day. When filling in the order form, Steph will need a five digit code for each book. They are the five numbers grouped together towards the end. Here is an example 9781474 95302 3.

There are some beautiful books available including lots of ideas for Christmas presents. Hurry, as the deadline is tomorrow!

Bonfire Night: In whole school assembly, the children have been learning how to stay safe and be compassionate to others who may be scared / frightened on Bonfire Night. Tomorrow, children eating a



school dinner will have bonfire night themed food for their pudding – parkin and gingerbread men. We hope you all have a happy and safe bonfire night as well.

School carpark: Just a reminder that the pedestrian gate in the middle of the KS2 carpark is now open to help you arrive and leave safely this way. Please do not walk across the KS2 carpark and stay on the walkways for your safety.

RHE: Relationship & Health Education is being taught in school. Please note that year group topics are detailed on the long term plans and if you require any further information or have any questions please do not hesitate to contact your child's class teacher.

Please find attached to this letter important information about the NSPCC Speak out / Stay safe campaign.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs R Pouncey

Interim Head



Idle C of E Primary School Open Morning 2021

The children, staff and governors of Idle C of E Primary School warmly invite you to attend our Open Morning for Reception Places for September 2022 on Wednesday 17th November 2021 at 9.30am

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