



ST JAMES'

CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

19th October 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Our School Charity

The children, parents and carers at St James' are always very generous with their time and money, working throughout the school year to raise money for our designated charity. Last year, despite lockdown, we raised an incredible £1950 for CAFOD, a wonderful achievement and testament to the generosity of our school family, thank you.

This year our Faith prefects have chosen Christian Aid as our school charity and all Year groups will be working to raise funds. The Faith prefects have led part of an assembly for all Year groups sharing information with them about the work of the charity. The children have been already busy thinking about fundraising ideas and our Faith prefects will be supporting them to put these ideas into action.

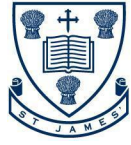
For over 75 years, Christian Aid has been inspired by faith to stand together in solidarity with our most marginalised global neighbours, of all faiths and none. They fight against poverty which blights humanity and robs people of their dignity. Christian Aid seek to eradicate extreme poverty by tackling its root causes. You can find out more information about the fantastic work of Christian Aid by visiting their [website](#).

We will be organising lots of events throughout the year to raise as much money as possible. As part of European Day of Languages we have already begun our fundraising efforts with over £140 raised from the bake off sale. Thanks to all who supported this. We have set up a dedicated option on ParentPay where you can make a donation to support our children in their fundraising efforts. Any donations would be gratefully received by ourselves and Christian Aid and I would like to thank those who have already donated.

Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

Yours faithfully

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Senior Deputy Headteacher



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With God
all things are possible

Matthew 19:26