



11th May 2020

Dear School Families

You may be aware of the Foodbank which is run weekly at St Paul's Church on Bath Road. This serves individuals and families from the local community who cannot afford to buy food.

With the lockdown and restrictions of the Coronavirus, increasing numbers of parents are asking the Foodbank and St Paul's for help with basic things that they need for their children, from nappies, to baby clothes and buggies. We wanted to reach out to you, as families, to ask if you might be able to help by donating particular items to the church, so that we may pass them on. You may have a buggy, or baby clothes, that you no longer need. or you may be able to get some disposable nappies with your usual shopping.

We cannot store lots of items, so would ask that, if you can, you donate the items that are particularly requested, letting us know in advance so that we can cross items off the list. We would then ask that you drop the items off at the church either on Monday afternoons 2-4pm, or Wednesday mornings 9-10am, when someone will be at the church. The church doors may be closed, but if we know you are coming, we can look out for you.

At the moment there is a need for:

1. A buggy suitable for a 10 month old baby
2. Girls clothes for 1-2 yr old
3. Size 4 nappies

If you are able to help with any of these items, please email me. Let me know what you are donating and when you will drop them off. I can then stop any duplication, and let those on duty at the church know that you are coming.

My email is: pearmain@blueyonder.co.uk

On behalf of the church and the local families, thank you so much.

Yours Sincerely

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