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Dear Parents/Carers,

8th September 2025

Church Service to welcome our new Reception children and families

I hope that you and your child have begun to settle into life at Barkisland Primary School. In order to welcome our new children and their families, we are holding a special service in **Christ Church on Thursday 25th September at 9.30am.**

Parents and relatives of our Reception class and Y6 children are most welcome to join us in church for the service. The children will be blessed and special prayers written by our Year 6 pupils will be read for their buddies. All of our new starters will also receive a gift to welcome them into our school, the church and the community in which we serve.

Refreshments and cakes will be served afterwards to parents, relatives, Reception children and the Year 6 buddies.

As your child is welcomed into our school, it would be lovely to see as many parents as possible attending the service. If you are planning on joining us, please drop your child at school as usual and make your way over to Christ Church. We will accompany the class over to the church from school and back again after the service.

If any parent or relative would be willing to do a reading during the service, this would be greatly appreciated. Please speak to myself or a member of our staff team.

I look forward to welcoming you all at the service.

Many thanks,

Becky Schofield

Mrs Becky Schofield

Headteacher

Working with the Diocese of Leeds and the Metropolitan Borough of Calderdale
May he give you the desire of your heart and make all your plans succeed Psalm 20:4

