

FIVE WAYS TO SUPPORT US



Give of Your Time: Whether as an occasional prayer room guide, a weekly mentor, a champion of our charity or helping us 'back stage', we have great roles for you to fill as a volunteer. You could help us save £500 by calculating salaries for us. **Could you make a difference this year?**



Donate: In 2019 we're asking for 100 people (or groups) who would be able to give £10+ per month. This will go towards our growth in Primary School hours. You can donate via the website or by getting in touch by contacting our chairman (address below) **Are you part of the one hundred?**



Learn a New Skill: Our mentoring course is a great way to learn a new skill and give back to the community. If you would like to be involved in the course, then do speak to your church leader or get in touch with us via the website! **Can you 'be the one'?**



Be Creative: This year we have teamed up with an amazing Author, Andrew Buller to create books to go alongside a new BIY course we are developing for children in Year 1. **Could you help us creative new resources or publicity?**



Spend more time with loved ones! Are you a jam then cream person or cream then jam? However you dress your scone, you are invited to our Cream Tea fundraiser on the 16th February, Seasalter Christian Centre, 2-4pm. **Contact us to book tickets on 07498729917 or via the website.**

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HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Grace and peace to you all
from God our Father and our Lord Jesus Christ.

The Lord is using our workers excellently. They are such a gift to us and the schools they serve. Such that, we want to adequately support them. We would urge you to consider both prayerfully and financially, if you could increase your involvement with us.

Thanks also to those who bought Gospel Cards this Christmas, it raised over £400. Despite this, our income for the year fell by almost 10%, whilst our expenditure remained the same. Therefore, we are now eating into our reserves.

We appeal to you as a matter of urgency.

If you are already a supporter, either as an individual or representing a church, we would ask you to consider increasing your giving this year. If you are not yet a financial supporter, we'd love to have you on board to help secure this vital ministry to schools for another year. Please see the back page to contact us and ask for bank details.

Thank you to all who responded to us to comply with the new data protection regulation by replying to our letters and emails.



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Winter 2018/19
NEWS & PRAYER LETTER

THANK YOU!



I want to say a huge 'thank you' to those who prayed for the **Christmas Prayer Day** at Reculver Primary School, and for those who helped me on the day. It was a truly awesome experience, where the children took time to stop, come into the church and connect with God.

NEXT FOR 2019!

Another **prayer day**, this time at Stelling Minnis Primary (28th Jan). I am using LEGO to inspire the children, giving them an opportunity to meet with God and pray. I also continue to run **Believe in Yourself** in many of our schools.

VALUED PRAYER

I have been **mentoring** more children this academic year and this has proved *incredibly valuable*, for the children and the schools. I would really value prayer for time with this, because it is not always easy! It can often be heartbreaking, as well as rewarding.

As always, I would ask for prayer for my health and pain levels, and for safe travelling in the cold and wet weather.

Thank you for your prayers. They are so appreciated, as I share the Good News of Jesus in the schools.

Love Lisé,
Primary Schools Worker

As we began 2019; Jesus reminded me that all CCSWT does is through, and by, our wonderful creator God. This led me to take time to commit all my work to Him; and realign with His vision for us.



Equip Teenagers in their Emotional Health

Last term, I felt Jesus asking me to postpone our Glow Courses, giving time the course to be refreshed *and* apply for **funding** for its delivery. We would love prayer for the funding to be awarded to us! However, I am happy to be back in schools delivering **Glow** on Mondays in Canterbury High and Tuesdays in The Archbishops'.

Encourage Peace in Every Part of School Life

It was wonderful to partner with Kent College in creating an **Advent Prayer Room**. The chapel became a noticeable place of peace, drawing to it pupils of all backgrounds and many staff members.

On the 12th February, I am in The Archbishops School to take **collective worship**. I love these opportunities to speak into lives. Please pray for peace to come, as I speak on the topic of 'worry'.

Empower the local church to be part of everyday school life

Our **new mentors** are getting started in schools. We are so privileged to hear of young people's lives being transformed through them!

I've also been working on our **Cream Tea Fundraiser**. A great opportunity to celebrate friends and family, whilst giving to a worthy cause. See the back page for more information!

Thank you for your continued prayers and encouragement.

Love Lou
Secondary Schools Worker