



22<sup>nd</sup> September 2023

Dear children,

## **Do you think you have what it takes to represent your class as a Holy Spirit 'Shining Light'?**

We are looking for a very special and important group of children - two from each class from Y2-Y6.

### **The role of a Shining Light:**

- You will attend regular meetings with other Shining Lights from each class (Y2-Y6)
- You will take ideas and suggestions your class have to discuss at Shining Light meetings
- You will bring back ideas, information and suggestions to your class and encourage your class to listen, discuss, share their views and, where necessary, vote on actions that need to be taken
- You will help to organise charity events throughout the year
- You will encourage the pupils in your class to be aware of their school environment and our responsibility to respect and care for it as Pope Francis asks us to



### **Specific qualities needed to become a Shining Light: As an individual, you may bring lots of additional skills and abilities to this role in particular, however to be a successful Shining Light you need to:**

- Be reliable (that means have good attendance and do what you say you will)
- Be proud of our school and want our school to be the best it can be
- Represent the majority view of your class, even if you don't agree!
- Be enthusiastic, kind and respectful
- Represent the key values in our Mission- Respect, Resilience, Love of Learning and Excellence and Achievement



### **If you think this role is for you, put yourself forward as a candidate to your class teacher. What you need to do next:**

- You will need to talk to your class for 1-2 minutes to explain why you want to be a Shining Light, and explain how you will make the school better
- Your class will then vote on who they think will best represent their class
- Class teachers will take the results and pass these onto Mrs Forrest who will then inform the school who the Shining Lights are at next week's assembly

**Good luck!**