## ST ANDREW'S CE PRIMARY SCHOOL, RAMSBOTTOM



## HARVEST 2021

## HARVEST DAY OF THANKSGIVING – FRIDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER WE ARE JOINING WITH THE PARISH TO COLLECT ITEMS FOR RAMSBOTTOM PANTRY



Ramsbottom Pantry is a community led food pantry set up to assist anybody who may need help.

Entirely run by volunteers, around their jobs and families, they endeavour to help as quickly as they can. Ramsbottom pantry serves Ramsbottom and surrounding areas and they are helping more and more people every week!

Chantelle Daniels who helped form the original food bank says, "I have worked in supportive housing for a few years and as there was no food bank in Ramsbottom I thought that I would set one up in the area. Ramsbottom is seen as quite an affluent area so people think poverty doesn't exist there - but it does."

With a handful of volunteers, Ramsbottom Pantry has been working with local services to ensure those in need can get access.

Chantelle added: "There are no criteria for our food bank. It has been such a weird year and a lot of people are struggling, including many people who didn't think that they would end up like this."

If you need the help of Ramsbottom Pantry at any time, call Bev on 07710461761

Children should bring their donation on Friday 8th October only. Once they have come into school as usual they can take their donation to the school hall before going off to class. These will be taken to Ramsbottom Pantry.

We asked Ramsbottom Pantry to let us know which items they would like us to donate:

**Tinned beans** 

Tinned beans and sausage

**Tinned spaghetti hoops** 

**Tinned ravioli** 

Tinned macaroni cheese

Tinned curry or chilli

Tinned meatballs or hot dogs

**Biscuits** 

**Sweets** 

Cordial or fruit juice

Toilet roll

**Cleaning products** 

Other ways to donate to Ramsbottom Pantry:

Drop off at the pantry: Tuesdays and Thursdays 10.00am-2.00pm

Drop off point in Morrison's, Ramsbottom

Drop off point at Alternative Arrangements Florists, Ramsbottom

Standing orders/bank transfer/cash donations

If you wish to help further, in any way, call Bev on 07710461761