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Dear Parents / Carers,

As Advent takes us, step by step, towards the joy of Christmas, we take great delight in the beautiful travelling crib messages and photographs you are sending in; it is touching indeed to see how they are being enjoyed by the children.

As ever, we turn our attention outwards at this time of year. Christ calls us to think of others before ourselves - our mission makes it even more of a focus. For us, JOY through Respect, right now, means that we stop amidst our busy Christmas preparations, to think of those who will go hungry on our doorsteps at this time.

Our newly formed 'Mini-Vinnies' group are wonderfully zealous - they really want to make a difference. They lead the call for three items in these final weeks of term, for the Foodbank.

We ask you for:
coffee
juice (squash)
pasta sauce (packet or jar).
We thank you, with deep appreciation for your kindness at such a hectic and demanding time. Together, we brin hope to those in greatest need.

And so we pray...

The Lord is my light

My light and salvation.

In God I trust.

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May we bring Christ's love to the hungry and the hopeless this Christmas.

Our Lady of Pity,

Pray for us.

Warm Advent wishes,

**OLOP Team**