**Langley Fitzurse Worship Council – 24th April 2023**

Pupils: Alex, Emilia, River, Adonis, Summer, Elin, Zane, Willow

Mrs Bloomer (*Church Link*),

Apologies: Mrs Winterburn (Executive Head)

**Minutes from 8th March 2023**

Actions

1. ***Bin Twinning – Courageous Advocacy.*** St Peter’s is holding a service on 30th April at 10.30am to encourage people to take up a greener lifestyle as part of Eco Church. Elin has volunteered to come and talk about bin twinning and create a display to encourage others to support the work of this charity – *thank you.*
2. ***Outdoor reflection area*** *–* work is ongoing. Please help to keep the space tidy and cared for.
3. ***Easter Trail for Early years/ KS1 –*** This took place before the Easter break. The team worked well in the hall helping younger pupils to explore the Easter story. Appreciative feedback from staff. Thank you.
4. ***School Easter service –*** thank you to all those who took part.

**Church Stamp designs**

The North Wiltshire Mission Area are creating a Pilgrim Trail to link all 31 churches in the North Wiltshire Deanery. Each church has been asked to create a design for a stamp for their church, and our church schools have been asked to do that on their behalf. Pupils across the school submitted designs and the Worship Council voted to choose the top 3. These will go to the PCC and vicar to choose the final design.

**ACTION:** Mrs Bloomer to share with the PCC and let the school know the outcome.

**Church Trail**

To link with this project, we have been asked to create a trail for St Peter’s to encourage people to look round and enjoy exploring the church and churchyard. Today we spent some time in church looking at points of interest and generating lots of ideas:

* History of the church
* Explaining parts of church architecture
* Looking for patterns/symbols/animals
* Highlighting the Bible stories in the stained-glass windows

**ACTION:** Mrs Bloomer will collate ideas and come back with a draft for feedback.

**Term 6**

Pupils would like to plan and lead a CW to encourage others to volunteer on the Worship Council next year. Mrs Bloomer will also arrange a mini thank you party – sadly Worship Councils in our neighbouring schools have not really been functioning this year.

**ACTION:** Mrs Bloomer to agree a date with school

**Date of Next Meeting in Term 6: TBC**