



# ELVINGTON CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> June 2022

## **Year 6 Leavers' Service at Selby Abbey**

Dear Parents and Carers,

After COVID-19 related cancellations over the previous two years, the Diocese of York has invited us to attend their Year 6 Leavers' Service at Selby Abbey. The service will supplement, rather than replace, Elvington's own arrangements for a Leavers' Service.

This service will be a chance for Church school communities to come together to give thanks for the time spent at Diocesan Church schools and give pupils an opportunity to look forward to the things which lie ahead. The service will be called 'Stepping Forward', and will be based around the theme of footprints. It will give pupils the opportunity to reflect on the account of Jesus walking on the water in Matthew 14.

The service will take place on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> June. We will be leaving Elvington at 9am, so please ensure that your child arrives at school no later than 8:45am that morning. This will ensure we have time to register the children prior to departing.

In order to reduce transport costs, we will be sharing a coach with pupils and staff from Wheldrake Church of England Primary School.

We should arrive back in Elvington at approximately 1pm; consequently each child will need a packed lunch, which will be eaten on our return to school.

I would suggest that the children take a water bottle with them, and travel sickness tablets (if required). Any sickness medication should be in a named envelope and given to a member of staff.

**Please access ParentPay to give consent for your child to attend the trip by Friday 24<sup>th</sup> June.** The voluntary contribution for the visit is £6 per child to cover the cost of the coach.

Yours sincerely,

Mr. Andrew Buttery



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"I have come in order that you may have life – life in all its fullness." John 10:10