

HOPE central

BRINGING HOPE, RELIEVING POVERTY

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Dear Hannah,

Thank you for your support

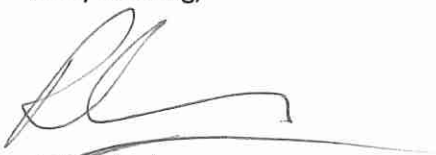
Thank you so much for donating the harvest gifts from your Harvest Assembly to Hope Central's food bank and for inviting us to participate. Jill and I really enjoyed being with you all. Your kind gifts will make such a difference in helping us to provide for people who are unable to afford enough food for themselves and their families.

Since April, when Hope Central took over the work Hampers of Hope was doing, we have provided food for 363 adults and 277 children. July and August were especially busy as children were on school holidays and unable to access free lunches and breakfast clubs. School holidays are periods of extra pressure for families who may already be struggling to make ends meet so it is wonderful to see our store room filling up as we look ahead to the busy Christmas period.

We have continued to run three Hope Centres to provide extra support to help people address the root cause of their poverty. Hope Centres enable our staff and volunteers to build relationships with people in crisis and discern what further help may be needed either through Job Clubs and Money Management at the centres. Our future plans include working with Christians against Poverty to deliver **Fresh Start** groups, helping people break free from life controlling habits, a **Life Skills** course which will give people the confidence and decision making skills to survive life on a low income and a **Debt Centre** to help people who find themselves with unmanageable debt. To see further developments in our ministry, please follow us on Face Book.

Please pass on our thanks to your staff, pupils and their parents for their kindness and generosity.

Every blessing,



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