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Dear Parent/Carer,

### Christmas Tree Service at Newchurch Parish Church

Further to our earlier correspondence regarding the KS2 Christmas Tree Service on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> December at 11am, we have been notified that the 70 people allowed in the church includes the children as well as any parents spectating. Unfortunately, this means that we have had to make some tough decisions as to which of our classes should attend.

Due to the rising number of cases of COVID in the community, we felt that we needed to make the decision to only take Y6 to Culcheth High School for their dress rehearsal of 'We Will Rock You' rather than both Year 5 and Year 6. With this in mind, we have chosen to take Year 5 to perform in church on Friday.

We appreciate that for the other KS2 classes, this may be disappointing but Years 3 and 4 will have the opportunity in the coming years to participate – fingers crossed. Also, Year 4 are the leads of the KS2 Christmas play and Year 6 will have their own end of year production to lead. We hope you understand the rationale behind the decision to take Year 5 and recognise that we would love nothing more than to have all of KS2 at church on Friday.

We received 22 responses from parents wishing to attend the service to watch the children but appreciate that some parents who have placed their name down, may not wish to attend if their child is not performing.

Many thanks in anticipation of your unwavering support and understanding.

Take care and please keep safe.

Mrs Jayne Narraway

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