

Happy 2024 from HTSE



Dear Supporters,
It's been good to have a busy end to 2023. Every week we are getting referrals from the Children's Centre, for us to support parents. Mostly, it is because they are isolated. We are always upfront about our faith and encourage parents to join Church based toddler groups. This often entails a person to go with them to a group, which is a perfect chance for someone from the church to become a low key volunteer and introduce them to the team running the group plus other parents. But there's more we are doing... Because of the addition of Fran, two years ago, we have 8 hours weekly support for up to 8 families in a fortnight. And there's great results for some families.. Over 11 years, 80+ families have been to courses or had one to one help. One encouraging outcome emerged from one to one tutoring that was given. The teenager passed her GCSE in English and went, with new confidence, to A levels. She joined the police force and is about to complete her degree!

Credit Crunch Cookery this year was 6 weeks long and we had a two great cooks Richard, who did lots of tasty mains and Jackie who organised Christmas food with cakes, pastry and other family treats.



Please pray for Jackie and Richard, as we deliver this group again in 2024 February. Also for Sarah, an enthusiastic parent, she took all

the photos and is going to create a recipe book. People can contact me if they want to join our next group at Exmouth Chapel. It will be Wednesdays from 12 to 2pm, starting the end of



February.

SOME IDEAS TO SUPPORT US

- Pray or join our confidential prayer team
- Follow us on Facebook, like posts and let us know what your church is doing for families, so we can post these activities too.
- Join the volunteers so more families can have Christian friends and this can be a way to share our faith. Two hours, once a fortnight is the usual amount of time to help out.

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