



Wednesday 13th November 2024

Dear Parents and Carers

Candles for Ukraine

Lufton Church are collecting used candles to create large blocks of wax to be sent to Ukraine for them to make into candles.

Some eighteen months ago Swindon Humanitarian Aid Programme announced a plan to collect candles to send to those struggling without power in Ukraine. At the Humanitarian Aid Programme, they make Trench Candles to provide a heat source for cold Ukrainians. Winter temperatures in Ukraine dip to an alarming - 30C. The infrastructure in Ukraine is under immense pressure and huge areas of the country are regularly without electricity. Already over 60 tonnes of candles have been sent to Ukraine for heat and light.

Chilly mornings this week confirm that winter is again fast approaching. Please help to make a difference if you can by bringing any used candles into the school office. We will collect these and then arrange for Lufton Church to deliver them to Swindon.

Please bring your used candles into school by Friday 6th December.

Thank you for your continued support.

With best wishes,

Mr Dan Glentworth
Head teacher

