

# ‘Together we can flourish – with Jesus as our guiding light’

Our vision is built upon the biblical teaching from John 10:10, *“I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full.”* For it is the **flourishing** in the **grace of God** that will enable pupils and adults to **be wise, hopeful, live well together with dignity and respect in God’s world.**

Our pupils and staff thought carefully about the wording:

**‘Together’**– reflecting the importance of community at Packington, that ability to be able to **trust**, show respect and **friendship** to others, to be able to serve and support others and to be **thankful** and show **compassion** and **kindness**. As a Church of England village primary school we value being part of our wider community and understand that working with our community enables our pupils and school to grow.

**‘We can flourish’** – reflecting the notion that we work better together and this enables us to grow and flourish as individuals, and, with **endurance** we can achieve not just academically but also socially and emotionally on both a personal and wider community level.

**‘With Jesus as our guiding light’** – reflecting the importance of Jesus in the lives of Christians, the understanding that Jesus was the Light of the World, sent by God to help, support, guide and teach us, so that we can live well together in **peace** and harmony in a fair and **just** world.

(Interestingly, you might notice that the words in purple are our eight core Christian values. Thus, indicating how our vision drives everything we do and how we use our Christian values to live out our vision.)