



Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Primary School

Lenten Activities 2018



We are all on a journey through Lent. This is a very special time and we mark Lent with prayer, fasting and almsgiving by trying to do good 'deeds', for example helping others less fortunate than ourselves. Many activities form part of the normal school day, for example Assemblies and

Religious lessons, but we are sending a list of 'extra' activities so that parents are aware of Fundraising events.

This year, as a school, we are again supporting two main charities in our fund raising: **Father Hudson's 'Good Shepherd' Appeal** and our new venture **'Mini Vinnies'**.

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| Half term: | Start collecting silver or gold coins for the Good Shepherd Appeal |
| Thursday 1st March | Whole School Film fun day: 50p donation to charity collection |
| Friday 9th March | Teacher Swap- all pupils dress as teachers and all teachers dress in school uniform. £1 donation to charity |
| Friday 16th March | St Patrick's Day — non-school uniform day £1 donation to charity |
| Wednesday 21st March | Toy Sale- £2 donation - see separate flyer |
| Monday 26th March | Children's Stations of the Cross Assembly |
| Tuesday 27th March | Years 4-6 Reconciliation Service |
| Wednesday 28th March | Silver Coin Trail —children are invited to bring silver coins to school make a silver trail in the school hall. Parents are invited to add to the trail after school and can enter via the rear entrance to the hall (from the Infant playground) or the main entrance at home-time. |
| Thursday 29th March | Year 3's 'Sharing a Meal Service'. All welcome. |



The **Easter raffle (20p per ticket)** with prizes donated by school staff, will continue throughout Lent with prizes drawn on the last day of the Spring Term.

Friday 27th April All children please bring your (full) Good Shepherd box back to school so that the money can be counted.

Thank you for your help, support and generosity.

