

Lenten Activities 2016

Every year during Lent, pupils and their families take part in almsgiving, generously donating money for our chosen charities. All monies raised are shared between the Good Shepherd Appeal and the Birmingham Primary Catholic Partnership Appeal for Rwanda. Nearly £1,800 was raised this year which is a school record. Thank you to all of our pupils, their families and the staff who organised and led these activities. By weekly almsgiving pupils realise that they gain spiritual growth and that what they do can really make a difference to those people who genuinely suffer from deprivation. Charity begins at home, where we daily make the choice to give our time, our attention, our smiles, and our generosity. But charity must not stop there, because for the community of Our Lady of Fatima School, "home" is universal, and our family is as big as the world. Our love, support, prayers and financial donations really do 'make a difference. Thank you everyone!

This year's fundraising activities included:

Friday 12th February – a film afternoon

Wednesday 24th February – Toy Sale

Friday 4th March- Odd shoes and socks day

Friday 11th March- Silver Coin Trail

Thursday 17th March- St Patrick's Day fundraising

Good Shepherd collection boxes was a fundraising activity throughout the whole of Lent.

