



Newsletter

Love one another as I have loved you—John 13:34

Friday 8th March 2024

At Sacred Heart School we:

LEAD with fairness & empathy

SERVE with kindness & consideration

COMMUNICATE with respect

ACT with love

4th Sunday of Lent Year B

The readings for this week are a reminder of God's love for humanity and the gift of salvation that He offers to all who believe in His Son, Jesus Christ. Jesus' crucifixion and resurrection brings spiritual healing and eternal life to all who believe in Him. As Catholics, we are called to reflect on the depth of God's love for us and the sacrifice that Jesus made on the cross to redeem us from our sins. We are invited to believe in Him and to trust in His grace and mercy, knowing that salvation is a free gift that we cannot earn through our own works.

At the same time, the readings also remind us of the importance of living out our faith through good works and a life of service to others. We are called to be witnesses to the love of Christ in the world, reflecting His light and sharing His message of hope with all those we encounter.

In this Lenten season, let us take time to reflect on the profound love that God has for us and the sacrifice that Jesus made for our salvation. May we renew our commitment to live out our faith through works of love and service, sharing the good news of the Gospel with all those around us.

Please use the link below to access the Ten:Ten interactive Collective Worship newsletter for March
www.tentenresources.co.uk/prayers-for-home/parent-newsletter/

Prayer Intentions: Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for March—we pray for the new martyrs. We pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world inflame the Church with their courage and missionary enthusiasm.

Virtue to Live By

Our Current Virtue to Live By is **Self-control**



Gospel Assembly



God has promised His people throughout history that He will be close to them. This assembly explores the Old Testament concept of God's presence residing in the Temple and helps children consider that they are temples where God dwells with them today.

Going Forth: How can you share God's presence with others this Lent when you GIVE, ACT and PRAY?

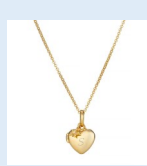
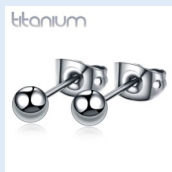
Information / Messages

Parents' Evening: Bookings can be made online at <https://sacredheartcathpri.schoolcloud.co.uk/> until 12th March

Good Shepherd Fundraiser: Each Friday in Lent, there will be a fundraiser for every child to take part in. Please send a small donation each Friday if you would like your child to take part. For their fundraisers, Y2 and Y4 are looking for donations of unwanted collectors cards (football, Pokemon etc) and soft toys / teddies.

Big Lent Walk: We are supporting CAFOD this Lent by walking 400km as a school. Sponsored walks dates will take place on Friday 15th March am (FS2, Y1, Y2) and Tuesday 19th March pm (Y3-Y6). If any parents would like to accompany the walks, please let class teachers know. Donations can be made via <https://schools.walk.cafod.org.uk/fundraising/sacred-heart-schools-fundraising-page>

Jewellery: We have seen an increase in children wearing jewellery to school including hoop earrings and necklaces including rosary beads. For safety reasons, and in line with our uniform policy, jewellery is limited to one pair of stud earrings which are to be removed for PE.



Parking: Please be mindful to obey traffic laws for the safety of all our children. I have attached some information regarding the SY Police initiative taking place in our area—Operation Park Safe—where parking issues can be reported to the police.

Term Time Leave: In order for term time leave requests to be properly considered, the form needs to be returned to school in advance of the leave—at least a week prior. Thank you

Dates for your Diary

Monday 11th March

Y2 Leanimals Mobile Zoo—see ParentPay

Tuesday 12th March

KS2 Science Open Morning 9—10.30am

Wednesday 13th March

KS1 Science Open Morning 9—10.30am

Lent Stay and Pray 3.20pm

Parents' Evening—see above

Thursday 14th March

Playgroup

Friday 15th March

Good Shepherd Fundraiser

Big Lent Walk—FS2, Y1, Y2

Parent Pop In—Online Safety 2.45pm

FOSH meeting 3.30pm—all welcome

Tuesday 19th March

Parents' Evening—see above



Wednesday 20th March

Lent Stay and Pray 3.20pm

Thursday 21st March

KS2 Magna trip—see ParentPay

Poetry recital for FS2, Y1, Y2 3pm

	
FS2— Mikaela	FS2— Rita
Y1— Adam	Y1— Arsema
Y2— Joseph	Y2— Zac
Y3— Penny	Y3— Emily
Y4— Jack	Y4— Jessica
Y5— Finley	Y5— Ruby
Y6— Jude	Y6— Verona



1st— Enrico

2nd— Jewel

3rd— Raziella

Most active class— Y4



1st— Xylah

2nd— Noah

3rd— Samuel