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Dear Parents and Carers,

Lent is a time for reflection, prayer and giving. As we journey through this important season, our school is committed to supporting those in need through a series of fundraising activities. These events provide a fantastic opportunity for our students to engage in charitable work while supporting important causes. We hope you and your family will join us in making a difference!

### **CAFOD Family Fast Day – Friday 14th March**

As part of our commitment to social justice, we will be supporting CAFOD's Family Fast Day. We encourage students and families to take part by having a simple meal and donating the money they save to CAFOD. In school, we will be holding a tombola at morning break, where students can bring in some loose change for a chance to win a prize. Money raised on this day will provide essential support to those in need around the world.

### **CAFOD Big Lent Walk – Now until the end of Lent**

Our school has also signed up to take part in the CAFOD Big Lent Walk, aiming to walk 200km during Lent. Students and staff will walk to raise awareness and funds for communities living in poverty. Some of the walk will take place during PE sessions, but we also encourage all members of our community to contribute towards our 200km goal.

If you wish to sponsor the school community in this challenge, please donate via our Just Giving page at <https://schools.walk.cafod.org.uk/fundraising/holy-family-catholic-high-school-carlton> We will provide regular updates through our school weekly bulletin. Every step we take brings us closer to a fairer world!

### **Food Bank Appeal**

During Lent, we will be encouraging our school community to bring in donations for Selby Food Bank. They are in need of the following items:

- Tinned meat/fish and fruit (400g)
- Tea bags (80s), coffee
- Jam
- UHT milk (1 litre)

Any donation would be greatly appreciated.

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## Easter Raffle – Tickets on Sale from Monday 31st March

From Monday 31st March, students and staff will be able to purchase raffle tickets to win a Super Bumper Easter Hamper filled with lovely Easter treats. Smaller prizes will also be available. All proceeds from this raffle will go towards supporting the Good Shepherd Appeal.

The Good Shepherd Appeal is a long-standing initiative that supports vulnerable children, families and communities through Catholic charities. By participating in our Easter Raffle, you will be contributing to this important cause, helping to provide essential resources and supporting those in need.

## Non-Uniform Day – Friday 4th April

To round off our fundraising efforts, we will be holding a Non-Uniform Day on Friday 4th April. Students are invited to wear their own clothes in exchange for a £1 donation. The funds raised will be split between CAFOD and the Good Shepherd Appeal.

We greatly appreciate your support in encouraging your child's participation in these events.

If you have any questions or would like to get involved, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Thank you for your continued support.

Kindest Regards



Miss S Wilkinson  
Deputy Headteacher