

Challenge of the Month

Try and do all four of the **Saturday** “Acts of Kindness” on our March Lent Calendar. The kind gestures will provide your family with an opportunity to do something nice for each other and others, and to spend time together.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
MARCH 2017 LENT CALENDAR Prayers and Acts of Kindness			1 Ash Wednesday <i>Jesus, let the ashes I receive today remind me that you are with me.</i>	2 <i>Give someone a compliment.</i>	3 <i>Tidy up the classroom before leaving.</i>	4 <i>Help around the house without being asked to do so, such as cleaning your room, taking out the garbage or helping with the laundry.</i>
5 1st Sunday of Lent <i>The Lord, your God, shall you worship and him alone shall you serve.</i> <i>Matthew 4:10</i>	6 <i>Teach a friend something new.</i>	7 <i>Hold the door open for those behind you.</i>	8 <i>Help somebody who is struggling with their work or ask someone new to be your partner.</i>	9 <i>Write a thank you note to your teacher, your coach, or someone who has influenced you in a positive way.</i>	10 <i>Say good morning to your teachers, and classmates.</i>	11 <i>Go for a walk as a family.</i>
12 2nd Sunday of Lent <i>May your kindness, O LORD, be upon us who have put our hope in you.</i> <i>Psalm 33:22</i>	13 <i>Smile when you make eye contact with someone.</i>	14 <i>Pick up a piece of litter and put it in the bin.</i>	15 <i>Ask someone you don't normally visit with how their day has been.</i>	16 <i>Leave a nice note for a friend.</i>	17 <i>Invite someone new to join your group.</i>	18 <i>Clean up an area around your neighborhood by picking up trash and putting it in the garbage.</i>
19 3rd Sunday of Lent But God proves his love for us in that while we were still sinners Christ died for us. Romans 5:8	20 <i>Give a high five to a younger student in the hallway.</i>	21 <i>Offer to play with somebody younger than you.</i>	22 Food Drive Challenge #1 A can of soup (ready-made/ no water required)	23 <i>Give an adult that works in your school a compliment.</i>	24 <i>Write a note to your parent(s) or grandparent(s) and tell them why they are special to you.</i>	25 <i>Call your grandparent(s) or another family member you do not see often and visit with them.</i>
26 4th Sunday of Lent “now I can see.” John 9:15	27 <i>Put your phone away and visit with the people around you for one day.</i>	28 <i>Eat lunch with someone new today.</i>	29 <i>Say thank you to five different people today.</i>	30 Food Drive Challenge #2 A can of fruit or vegetables	31 <i>Encourage someone if they look frustrated or are working hard.</i>	