

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> February.

Dear Parents and Carers,

Wednesday Word **TRUST – We place our trust in God.**

<https://www.paperturn-view.com/uk/wednesday-word/holiday-special?pid=MTA101634&v=52.9>

**Parents/Carers' Evening** – please ensure that you have booked on for next Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> February.

#### **LENTEN DATES and Fundraising Ideas from the School Council**

Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> March	<b>ASH WEDNESDAY – Lent begins</b> <b>We make our Lenten promises today.</b>
Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>WORLD BOOK DAY CELEBRATION</b>
Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>Y1 Assembly</b> 9.15 in the Hall ( 2 Adults)
Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> March	Lenten Retreat Day in school <b>CAFOD WALK</b> for water – children can come in their <b>own clothes and bring a silver coin</b> donation for CAFOD. We will all walk around our playground whilst thinking of others.
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>Y2 Assembly</b> 9.15am in the Hall ( 2 Adults)
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> March	Day of prayer for our community
Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>Y3 Assembly</b> 9.15am in the Hall ( 2 Adults)
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>Own Clothes Day</b> – bring in an item for the <b>Food Bank</b> (to be confirmed)
Thursday 31 <sup>st</sup> March	<b>Y4 Assembly</b> 9.15am in the Hall ( 2 Adults)
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> April	Day of prayer for our world
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Y5 Assembly</b> 9.15am in the Hall ( 2 Adults)
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> April	Ticket sales begin for the Sheep Raffle for Easter Eggs – 20p a ticket – money to be shared between <b>Mission Together and Caritas</b>
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>HOLY WEEK</b>
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Y6 Assembly</b> 9.15am in the Hall ( 2 Adults)

As you can see, during Lent, our charitable work as a school will be between CAFOD, CARITAS, MISSION TOGETHER and our local food bank. Lent is a time of preparation for Easter and our School Council, Eco Council, Prayer Leaders and Mini Vinnies will lead us in this time of prayer, reflection and hope for the future. Lent is a time when we can think of others and our children will lead us in this reflection this year.

**WORLD BOOK DAY** We are going to celebrate WORLD BOOK DAY this year **on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March**. The children can dress up as a book character or they can wear bright and colourful clothes. This is a day where we can think about our love of reading and have some fun!

With prayers,

Sarah Yates

Head Teacher