

# LENT

## Pray + Fast + Give

### Nourishing Our Community

*"Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will reap generously."  
2 Corinthians 9: 6-8*

St. Mary School & Early Learning Center Families,

As we continue on the great journey that is the season of Lent, let us work together to nourish our community – to feed the hungry and build the bonds of Christian charity through the works of mercy to which Jesus calls us. We will be collecting non-perishable food items from March 1-26. All items will be donated to local entities in Charlotte, Bellevue, and Olivet. We hope you are able to participate! This project not only benefits those in need, but also provides us with an opportunity for almsgiving this Lenten season.

St. Mary School Goal: 1,000 items

March 1-5: Pasta

March 8-12: Canned Goods

March 15-19: Personal Care items + Household needs

March 22- 26: Dry Goods