



St Mary & St Michael
Catholic Primary School
Sutton Street Commercial Road E1 0BD

Learning together hand in hand with our friend Jesus.

Friday 17th March 2023

Dear Parents,

Our School Faith Friends are asking all the children of St Mary and St Michael to support two charities this Lent.



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The first charity is a local one, Providence Row, which supports the homeless in our local area. To help them with their work they have asked if we could donate any of the following hygiene products:

- Body wash
- Shampoo
- Conditioner
- Toothbrush
- Toothpaste
- Bath towel
- Socks (men and women)
- Underwear (men and women)

These items can be bought in any day from now and given to your child's class teacher.



The second charity we are collecting for is Westminster Catholic Children's Society. The Catholic Children's Society supports disadvantaged children and families across London, Hertfordshire and the South East. They work with individuals of all faiths and none; their sole aim is to help those in greatest need.

To raise money, we're going to hold a non-uniform day on **Friday 24th March** and ask you to donate £1.

How your support makes a difference

- £15 can buy a child a pair of shoes
- £25 can buy a coat to keep a child warm
- £50 can buy food to feed a family for a week
- £100 can buy a bed to help a child sleep at night

We have chosen to support Providence Row and Westminster Catholic Children's Society as a way for us to put our faith into action. By donating hygiene items to Providence Row and raising money for Westminster Catholic Children's Society, we will be supporting our brothers and sisters locally and inspiring each other to become active global citizens and living out our school mission.

We really appreciate your support and hope that everyone has fun helping us.

Yours faithfully,

St Mary and St Michael Faith Friends

Handwritten signatures:
Tiago, Ruby, Topaz, Laurianne, Alice, Joanna, Pedro mango, Albrecht, Harlie Pukhonde, Clara, Anyola, Jahzz