

LENTEN



FOOD DRIVE

40 Donations in 40 Days!

St. Mary School and the St. Mary Knights of Columbus are again teaming up to help the Saint Vincent de Paul provide food to those in need in our community. As part of the initiative, the State Knights of Columbus will donate \$100 for every 1000 pounds of food collected by the Knights of Columbus. That money will in turn be given to the St. Vincent de Paul to help with the food pantry.

Each class at St. Mary School is asked to collect one food item for each day in Lent. That means that each class are asked to donate 40 grocery items, but are certainly welcome to donate more! Mrs. Webster's class will be collecting and weighing the food each week. Donations will be graciously accepted beginning Ash Wednesday and ending the Thursday before Easter.

Please make sure to check expiry dates on donated items please!

Needed items include but are not limited to:

- soup
- crackers
- tin pasta
- juice boxes
- sugar
- canned vegetables
- hamburger helper
- pancake mix
- toothpaste
- laundry soap
- cereal
- jam
- bar snacks (granola)
- fruit snacks
- can tuna, salmon, ham
- canned fruit
- noodles and sauce
- syrup
- facial tissues
- dish soap
- pasta
- pasta sauce
- cheese snacks
- tea, coffee
- oil
- pork and beans
- rice
- condiments
- paper towels
- bar soap

Any donations would be greatly appreciated! Thank you for your generosity.

