



# FUN AND FAITH

## Hempsted Children and Families Newsletter



Hello and happy March! I hope you had a fun half term break. Did anyone spot the heart tree in the churchyard? It's still there, so why not pop along and add a heart for someone you love? Talking of love, I am absolutely loving being in school and planning collective worship with key stage 2 children. I am also looking forward to researching Fairtrade goods and food with class 4 this month. It's busy at church too, with our litter pick coming up and our next Messy Church Goes Wild session. For information about any of the events please contact me. Finally, by the time you read this, it will just about be the season of Lent. Sometimes we choose to give something up for Lent, like sweets or chocolate. Personally I am going to try and spend less time looking at my phone and more time walking in the fresh air. I'll let you know how it goes! Love and prayers from me and everyone at church.

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Dear God, Help us to be thoughtful in Lent. Amen



Please bring wellies, a backpack and a drink

**Sunday 13th  
March**

**3.30-5.00pm**

Outside the Lysons  
Hall, St Swithun's

Please  
bring a  
grown-up  
with you

**Activities**

**Celebration**

**Bible Story**

### Dates for your Diary

- 1st March Pancake Day
- 13th March Messy Church
- 26th March, Earth Hour  
8.30pm, (see below)
- 27th March Mothers Day



Find out about 'Earth Hour'

<https://www.earthhour.org>



**Activity:** on a circle of white paper swirl green, blue and white paint to make an Earth picture