



2023 LENTEN SERVICE PROJECT

Every Lent we choose a service project that we hope the children will relate to. This year each student will have a Rice Bowl collection box for change that will be donated to the Catholic Relief Services Rice Bowl program to be used around the world and within the community. Uses include:

- Agriculture projects that help farmers improve harvests
- Water and sanitation projects to bring clean water to communities
- Microfinance projects which support small businesses
- Mother and child health projects that offer health and nutrition services
- Education projects which provide resources and training

Please have your child collect change in their Rice Bowl box that will be included with all Rice Bowl boxes collected from St. Rita Church. We encourage you to have your child earn the money brought in through chores and household tasks.

There are extra Rice Bowls available if your family is interested in collecting during Lent as well. We have some in the School Office. Please return any Rice Bowls to St. Rita School Office by Wednesday April 12th. We suggest placing it in a gallon size storage bag (to save loose change from falling out).

