

2/14/18

**Dear Parents:**

**This paper should be kept in your child's PSR folder. It is to be signed and returned the following week. (see back)**

**Each week a page will be sent home. Please review and discuss together with your child. You can choose to complete all activities or just one. The goal is to work together in building our faith. The activities will be based that week's Sunday Gospel.**

**If your child is absent or does not bring home the activity for the week, it can be found on the website [www.svdepaul.org](http://www.svdepaul.org). Click on the PSR tab and then Weekly Family Activity. There will be an activity for grades 1&3, grades 4-6, and grade 7.**

**Thank You!!  
PSR Staff**

**PS. As an incentive, we are giving the children who turn in the activity with their parent's signature a piece of candy or treat. If you are able to donate a bag of candy or treats (pencils, etc.), it would be greatly appreciated. Thank you for your support.**

**Please Choose One**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Due 2/21/18**

**Grade 4-6**

**Family Connection-** In our society, it is countercultural to think about making serious sacrifices. Yet Sunday's Gospel and the season of Lent tell us that "giving up" things is an essential part of the Christian life. As a Church community, we prepare ourselves for Easter by giving alms, praying, and fasting.

Read Matthew 6:1-6

*What three activities did Jesus talk about in today's reading?*

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*What is  
almsgiving?* \_\_\_\_\_

*What are some examples of how we give alms  
today?* \_\_\_\_\_

*What does Jesus say we should not do when we  
pray?* \_\_\_\_\_

*What kind of fasting is Jesus talking  
about?* \_\_\_\_\_

*Jesus reminds us that whenever we give alms, pray, or fast, we should do so cheerfully and without  
making a show of our behavior.*

*Pray Psalm 51 together.*

**Parent Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Family Connection**

Lent begins today, Feb 14, with Ash Wednesday. What are you going to say or do this Lenten Season?

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Say a short prayer thanking God for all he has given you.

**Parent Signature** \_\_\_\_\_