

Project Compassion Launch

Five of our Year 6 students joined representatives from over 80 schools and colleges across the Archdiocese at St Stephen's Cathedral on Tuesday, 4 March, to celebrate Shrove Tuesday and launch the 2025 Project Compassion campaign.

Archbishop Mark Coleridge has been involved in this Launch for many years and sees it as an important part of our service to stand in solidarity with the poor and marginalised in our world. Archbishop Coleridge spoke about the great need to support war-torn and developing nations in dealing with their abject poverty. He said that by supporting organisations like Caritas, we are standing up for life. He said that we must unite against poverty during global fragmentation.

As part of the liturgy, student representatives from each school made a commitment, on behalf of their school community, to Unite Against Poverty this Lent. Some of the proceeds from the upcoming All Hallows' swim-a-thon will be directed to Project Compassion, and we continue, throughout the year, to live out our value of compassion through our other fundraising efforts.



