

The logo for Catholic Children's Society is a white oval with a hand-drawn orange border, containing the text "Catholic Children's Society" in orange. The background of the entire image is a photograph of a dirt road winding through a desert landscape at sunset or sunrise, with rolling hills in the distance. A white hand-drawn border frames the entire scene.

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Lenten Challenge 2021

# What is the CCS Lenten Challenge?

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- The Catholic Children's Society's Lenten Challenge is inspired by Fratelli Tutti
- Fratelli Tutti is a recent encyclical (a letter) written by Pope Francis
- In Fratelli Tutti, Pope Francis calls on us to take action and looks at one parable in particular . . .





1. Which parable is this?

2. List three things you can see happening in this picture.

3. Read [The Good Samaritan Luke 10:25-37](#)

4. What is Jesus teaching us in this parable?

# Fratelli Tutti

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Pope Francis says that each day we face the same choice as the Good Samaritan. . .



“Each day we have to decide whether to be Good Samaritans or indifferent bystanders.”

Q. What does it mean to be 'indifferent'? What is a 'bystander'?  
Look up the words if you are unsure.



“Now there are only two kinds of people: those who care for someone who is hurting and those who pass by; those who bend down to help and those who look the other way and hurry off. . .



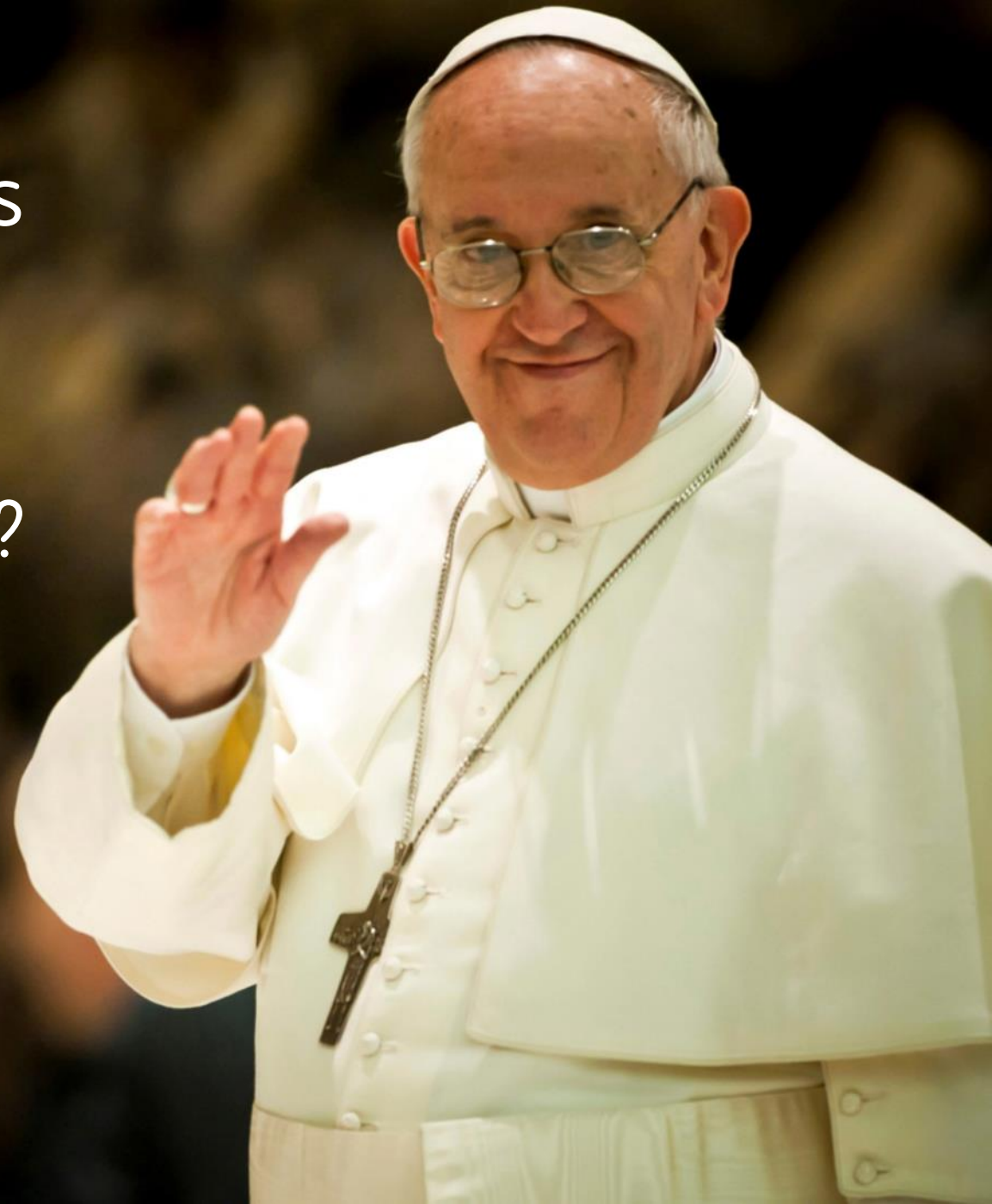


“Here, all our distinctions,  
labels and masks fall away: it is  
the moment of truth.

Will we bend down to touch  
and heal the wounds of others?

Will we bend down and help  
another get up?

This is today’s challenge, and  
we should not be afraid to  
face it.”



Q. What does Pope Francis say is today's challenge?





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- This Lent, we are asking you to take on this challenge to act now and become a Good Samaritan.
- The Catholic Children's Society (CCS) is a charity helping local children and families facing a crisis in their lives.
- By supporting CCS this Lent, you and your school will be helping those in your community who are most in need.

# How to take part in the CCS Lenten Challenge



There are lots of ways you can take part this year!

## 1. CCS Interactive calendar

Use the calendar to reflect on what you are doing to help others during the CCS Lenten Challenge.

Have you helped your brother or sister with their homework? Have you helped your parents /carers with the house work? Have you made a card for someone to cheer them up? Did you pray for someone in need? Did you do something to raise money for CCS?

Write down anything and everything that you do to help others this Lent.



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## 2. Take part in a fundraising challenge for CCS

We have put together lots of fundraising ideas for you and your school this Lent. Will you dare to take on the Walk the Diocese challenge? Can you take part in an at home bake-off challenge?

Whatever you, your class or school choose to do, we would love to see your photos [@Cathchild](#) [#CCSLentenChallenge](#)

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## 3. Discover more about CCS and the difference you are making

Watch this presentation about CCS and then take the quiz.

How much do you know about CCS?

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## 4. Hear more from Fratelli Tutti

Explore more passages from Fratelli Tutti

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