# Lent 2024 at The Belfrey

### **GIVE**

- 1. Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> February Give something up! Ask God what He is prompting you to fast this Lent season.
- 2. Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> February Send a get-well-soon text, card or flowers for the person you prayed for, or offer to pick up groceries for them.
- 3. Friday 16th February Charity Highlight: York CVS www.yorkcvs.org.uk
- 4. Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> February Give time to a ministry at church: sign up for a Sunday rota or another team that you're excited about or have skills to share.

## Sunday 18th February - Sabbath

- 5. Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February Text or call the person who God put on your heart today, with a word from Him or offer to pray for them.
- 6. Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> February Charity Highlight: Christians In Government christiansingovernment.org.uk
- 7. Wednesday 21st February Charity Highlight: York Foodbank <u>www.belfrey.org/lynfoodbank</u>
- 8. Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> February Charity Highlight: Wellspring Counselling & Therapy wellspringtherapy.co.uk
- 9. Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> February Charity Highlight: Christian Medical Fellowship www.cmf.org.uk
- 10. Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> February Send a text or a thank you card or gift to someone in your life who encourages and supports you.

## Sunday 25th February - Sabbath

- 11. Monday 26th February What did God ask you to do today? Act on that prompt!
- 12. Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> February Charity Highlight: York Neighbours www.belfrey.org/lynyorkneighbours
- 13. Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February Donate to the Impact Project for the restoration and reordering our our church building <a href="https://www.belfrey.org/impact">www.belfrey.org/impact</a>
- 14. Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> February Send a text to check in, a postcard from home or a UK care package to the person you prayed for who lives overseas.
- 15. Friday 1st March Put out a thank you card or box of chocolates for the bin collectors.
- 16. Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> March Charity Highlight: <a href="https://www.belfrey.org/cap">www.belfrey.org/cap</a>

## Sunday 3rd March - Sabbath

- 17. Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March Text or call the person who God put on your heart today, with a word from Him or to encourage them.
- 18. Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March Charity Highlight: York Carers Centre yorkcarerscentre.co.uk
- 19. Wednesday 6th March Charity Highlight: Christian Aid www.christianaid.org.uk
- 20. Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March Charity Highlight: The Besom Project in York <a href="https://www.belfrey.org/lynbesom">www.belfrey.org/lynbesom</a>
- 21. Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March Social Enterprise Highlight: Brunswick Organic Nursery www.brunswickyork.org.uk

22. Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> March - Phone or send a card to a family member or friend who you haven't been in touch with for a while or might need encouragement today.

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> March – Sabbath (Mothering Sunday)

- 23. Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March Pray for or donate to one of our world mission partners www.belfrey.org/mission
- 24. Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March Charity Highlight: Restore York <u>www.belfrey.org/lynrestore</u>
- 25. Wednesday 13th March Charity Highlight: Home for Good homeforgood.org.uk
- 26. Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March Charity Highlight: Bundles of Joy https://www.belfrey.org/lynbundles
- 27. Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March Charity Highlight: YoYo Schools & Youth Trust www.yoyotrust.org.uk
- 28. Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> March Send a get-well-soon text, card or flowers for someone who is ill, or offer to pick up groceries for them.

Sunday 17th March - Sabbath

- 29. Monday 18th March What did God ask you to do today? Act on that prompt!
- 30. Tuesday 19th March Charity Highlight: Chocolate & Co. www.chocolateandco.org
- 31. Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March Pray for or donate to the next Belfrey church plant in Hull. Email hello@belfrey.org for their bank details.
- 32. Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> March Send a text to someone you know who isn't a Christian, or hasn't been to church in a long time, to invite them to a service or your Belfrey Group.
- 33. Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March Charity Highlight: Street Angels www.belfrey.org/lynstreetangels
- 34. Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> March Send a thank you card or message to someone who has helped you through a tough time.

Sunday 24th March – Sabbath (Palm Sunday)

- 35. Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March Go on a prayer walk, with the intention of making a small difference for good in the world. Take a bin bag and gloves to collect rubbish or change to give to someone who is in need, or intentionally go slow and look out for something you can do to help a person or a cause.
- 36. Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> March Charity Highlight: The Bereavement Journey www.thebereavementjourney.org
- 37. Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March Send a text to someone you know who isn't a Christian to invite them to an Easter service this week.
- 38. Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March Contact someone who you feel God is prompting you to speak with, perhaps to make amends or seek peace in a relationship.
- 39. Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March Fast between the hours of 12pm and 3pm.
- 40. Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> March Fast for all or part of the day, in readiness for feasting and celebration tomorrow.