

## Pennies for Patients

It is that time of year again! We will be collecting money for The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society. The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society uses this money to help patients with blood cancers live better, longer lives. Since 1994, millions of dollars have been raised in pennies and other spare change by more than 10 million elementary, middle and high school students throughout the country. All the funds, collected during a two-week period, benefit The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society.

Date: March 17<sup>th</sup> – 28th

Little boxes will be sent home on March 17<sup>th</sup>. Please put your class on the outside of the box when you turn this in, so that your class will get credit for all the money you collected. In addition, there will also be a collection box in each classroom. Classes will be competing to collect the most money to earn points for a class prize.

Classes will earn points for every cent collected. Every penny is worth one point, each nickel is worth five points, each dime is worth ten points, etc. Paper bills are also worth their actual amount in points. Don't forget we also accept checks; please make them to Leukemia & Lymphoma Society. The class with the most points is the winner.

We will have THREE prizes this year.

1<sup>st</sup> place winners get to choose a movie and popcorn party, a root beer float party, or a pizza party.

2<sup>nd</sup> place winners get to choose from the two parties that were not chosen by the 1<sup>st</sup> place winners.

3<sup>rd</sup> place winners get the last party available.

In addition, on Thursday March 20<sup>th</sup> at 2:15, we will be attending an assembly hosted by the Leukemia & Lymphoma society. Their speaker will be a student that can share with us the struggles of being a child with cancer and the ways our Pennies for Patients campaign helps find a cure. You are welcome to join us in the sanctuary for this assembly.

Have fun collecting money for this great cause!

Thanks,

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May the God who gives endurance and encouragement  
give you the same **ATTITUDE OF** mind toward each other  
that **JESUS** demonstrated – Romans 15:5

