

Social Ministry Committee

Stimulates parish awareness of the needs of the poor in our area and develops effective responses to those needs.

Projects:



Food Cupboard: Food donations are collected continuously in the church narthex and delivered to the Greece Ecumenical Food Shelf. A special collection is also done at Thanksgiving for the food shelf.



Holiday Flowers: Flowers are delivered to the shut-ins and recently widowed in our parish at Easter and Christmas.



Winter Coat Drive: Men's, women's and children's coats and boots are collected and delivered to charities in our area each fall.



Advent Giving Tree: Parishioners give Christmas gifts to those served by the Catholic Family Center.



Sock and Mitten Sunday: In January, new and used men's, women's and children's socks, mittens, hats, and scarves are collected and given to local charities.



Summer Projects: School supplies are collected in cooperation with the Summer Religious Education Program for the Catholic Family Center.



St Pauly's Shed: Donated clothing is bagged for pickup & distribution to those in need. Some things are used for local charities.



Blue Star Mothers ROC Care Packages:

In May, personal care items and snacks are collected to help mothers send a little bit of home to their sons & daughters in military service.



Coffee Hour: Our committee provides 2 coffee hours after the 11:00 mass each year.



Box of Joy: Christmas shoe boxes are packed with toys, clothing, school supplies and other essential items for Cross Catholic Outreach.



"Whatever you do for one of these the least of my brethren, you did it for me" (Matthew 25)

Our committee helps the people of our parish meet the social needs of our brethren as Christ requested.

As a member of this committee you become more aware of the needs in our community and you are able to spread God's love to those most in need of that love.

Questions: Call Liz Munson 690-2907