

Social Ministry Information

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Ministry: Interfaith Committee for Worker Justice (ICWJ)

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Ministry Purpose: Join with religious communities of all faiths to help the voice of the working poor be heard by striving for improved wages, benefits, and working conditions.

Activities: Attend monthly meetings of the North County section of ICWJ and bring action plans back to the Parish. Work with other ICWJ faith groups on activities to promote such things as Immigration Rights, Employee Free Choice Act, and Janitor Health Care. Participate in rallies, marches, and publicity campaigns to support these causes.

Number of Participants: Committee of 5 to 8 Parishioners, plus support from other social justice supporters at STM.

Challenges: The Social Justice Ministry Committee at STM coordinates the activities of ICWJ and the Faith Works ministries.

Special Needs from Parish: