

Justice and Peace Sharing Fund

July 2009 - June 2010

Our Lady of the Visitation, Gonaives, Haiti - \$3,313.49 - July 2009

Our sister parish in the Diocese of Gonaives, Haiti.

Sarah's House School Supplies - \$3,036.52 - August 2009

Funds collected help defray school related costs, such as Weekly Reader subscriptions, field trip expenses, locks, school project supplies, gym uniforms, etc.

Habitat for Humanity of the Chesapeake - \$1,186.28 - September 2009

Ecumenical Christian organization builds or renovates houses in partnership with needy low-income families in Anne Arundel County. Sold with no profit and zero interest mortgage.

Interfaith Housing Alliance (Western Maryland) - \$1,186.28 - September 2009

An organization of caring faith communities in the five counties of Western Maryland, whose objectives are to develop affordable housing for low- and moderate-income persons, create jobs and strengthen the region's economy.

Bello Machre, Inc. - \$774.36 - October 2009

A non-profit organization which provides loving care and creates opportunities for children and adults with development disabilities to live and work as independently as possible.

Opportunity Builders Inc. - \$774.36 - October 2009

A non-profit organization providing training and services to adults with developmental disabilities living in Anne Arundel County and adjacent communities. The training is to help the adults function and pay their way in the community.

The ARC of Anne Arundel County - \$774.35 - October 2009

Serves over 450 people with mental retardation. Supported living, residential services, family services, respite, advocacy and volunteer opportunities.

Catholic Charities - USA - \$1,320.35 - November 2009

Response to those affected by the floods in American Samoa.

Catholic Relief Services - \$1,320.34 - November 2009

Response to those affected by earthquakes and tsunamis in the South Pacific.

Redemptorist AIDS Ministry - Thailand - \$1,153.65 - December 2009

Several projects to help women and children affected by HIV and AIDS. A home for healthy children whose parents have either abandoned them or had died from AIDS. A hospice program providing a safe and caring for children dying of AIDS. A training center for women affected by HIV or AIDS providing job training and where they can receive proper nutrition and medications.

The Joseph Richey Hospice - \$1,153.65 - December 2009

Provides 12 bed residential round the clock professional nursing, psychosocial, and spiritual care as well as home care for terminally ill cancer and AIDS patients in the Baltimore area.

Anne Arundel County Food Bank - \$1,289.59 – January 2010

Distributes food to food pantries and soup kitchens through the county so the organizations can feed the hungry. Also distributes furniture and other household items to clients through referrals from the Department of Social Services

Maryland Food Bank - \$1,289.59 - January 2010

Distributes food donated from the food industry and food drives to food providers so these organizations can feed hungry Marylanders.

St. Ignatius Loyola - \$909.83 – February 2010

A high school celebrating its tenth anniversary in educating boys from the most challenged neighborhoods in Baltimore City, giving them the opportunity to become “Men for Others” in the Jesuit tradition and giving them an education that could change their lives.

Sisters Academy - \$909.83 – February 2010

The Catholic middle school for girls opened its doors in September 2004. Sisters Academy is sponsored by the School Sisters of Notre Dame, the Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur, the Religious Sisters of Mercy and the Sisters on Bon Secours. The academy is modeled on the national Nativity School movement, which focuses on providing high-quality, tuition-free, value-centered education in low-income communities.

St. Frances Academy - \$909.84 – February 2010

The country’s oldest African-American Catholic high school run by the Oblate Sisters of Providence, located in Baltimore City. 95% of graduates go on to college and students tutor public school students in the neighborhood, and provide services for senior citizens.

Food for the Poor - \$1,250.11 – March 2010

Collects and distributes food, clothing, money, and supplies to indigent persons throughout the world to improve their health, economic, and social conditions.

International Rescue Committee - \$1,250.10 - March 2010

Provides food, shelter, emergency relief/medical, educational, and resettlement services for refugees in Africa, Asia, and Central America who flee persecution, terror, famine, and war.

St. Bernadette Youth Work Camp - \$2,253.43 – April 2010

Youth from the parish went to Baltimore City and Terra Alta, West Virginia, where they will work making repairs to the homes of residents who cannot afford to make the repairs.

Salvadoran Enterprises for Women (SEW), Inc. - \$1,039.90 - May 2010

Providing meaningful employment for women in El Salvador by building and managing the financial resources, community networks, solidarity efforts, and the U.S. and Salvadoran markets that facilitate new and help expand existing opportunities

Mary’s Pence - \$1,039.90 - May 2009

The mission is to recognize and support the work of Catholic women, both lay and religious, who minister to the economically poor throughout the Americas and who are without access to traditional sources of funding from government, church, or foundation sources.

Our Lady of the Visitation, Gonaives, Haiti - \$3,324.40 - June 2010

Our sister parish in the Diocese of Gonaives, Haiti.

Parishioner Donated Sub-Total - \$31,311.15

Funds donated from the parish budget for Fiscal Year 2010 - \$2,000

Anne Arundel County Community Action Agency - \$150.00

A leader in addressing poverty and improving the quality of life in the communities of Anne Arundel County.

Archdiocese of Baltimore – Apostleship of the Sea - \$150.00

A program in the Archdiocese of Baltimore designed to help meet the spiritual needs of seafarers while they are in Baltimore, while also working to promote social justice within the maritime industry

Benedictine Sisters of Baltimore - \$150.00

The Benedictine Sisters of Baltimore, a community of monastic women who follow the Rule of Benedict. Through our prayer, Liturgy of the Hours, and a variety of ministries, we endeavor to bring the richness of a 1500 year tradition into today's world. Sharing a common life at Emmanuel Monastery we welcome all who seek God.

Camp St. Vincent - \$200.00

Is a free summer day camp that hosts 625 children from low-income families each summer. Children age 6 to 10 are given the opportunity to share in a rare experience for urban area youth- the joys of two weeks at summer camp in the open space and fresh air of the countryside. The children also participate in daily Values Development Lessons, which strive to boost self-esteem, teach the children to resist negative peer pressure.

Julie Community Center - \$150.00

A multi-purpose, non-profit community organization involved in advocacy, education, and organizing, with special dedication to the poor. Provides after school program, youth enrichment and summer camp program from children ages 6-12. Provides leadership workshops and public health projects for teens.

Monsignor O'Dwyer Retreat Center - \$100.00

The Msgr. O'Dwyer Retreat House is a center of spiritual growth and hope which accepts and validates young people as true children of God who are exploring their faith, deepening their respect for others, discovering their values and self-worth and searching for the healing presence of God.

Murphy Initiative for Justice and Peace - \$250.00

The P. Francis Murphy Justice and Peace Initiative (PFMjpi) is envisioned as a common voice of member religious communities to work collaboratively for social justice and to support and supplement the ongoing justice and peace work within each community.

Parish Twinning Program - \$250.00

An organization that links parishes in the U.S. with those in Haiti. Facilitates communications between the parishes and coordinates the shipments of cargo containers of supplies.

Partners in Care - \$150.00

Partners in Care is a service credit exchange program designed to create community by linking frail elderly and disabled adults with neighbors who volunteer their time to help with occasional tasks and errands. The goal of these services is to help seniors and disabled adults remain independent in their own homes.

Project H.O.P.E. (He Opens Paths to Everyone) - \$200.00

A Christian ministry to assist God's people without sufficient resources to provide for their own basic needs in Anne Arundel County, Baltimore City and the Appalachian region.

Sisters of Saint Joseph – \$250.00

Budgeted Sub-Total - \$2,000.00

Total donated - \$33,311.15