# JUSTICE AND PEACE SHARING FUND 1998 - 1999

# ORGANIZATION AND DESCRIPTION

#### Arundel Habitat for Humanity - July - \$1,487.03

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.

#### Sarah's House School Supply Drive - August - \$1,620.59

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

## Welcome Home - September - \$1,601.06

A not for profit organization that offers women, who have chosen to keep their baby, a safe place in which to make the decisions facing those who find themselves alone, pregnant, and unsure about their future and the future of their baby.

# Our Lady of the Visitation, Haiti - October - \$1,612.78

Our sister parish in the Diocese of Gonaives, Haiti.

#### Joseph Richey Hospice - November - \$867.06

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.

# Hospice of the Chesapeake - November - \$867.07

Is a not-for-profit, non-sectarian, community-based organization that has since 1979, provided care for terminally ill adults and children and families without regard to race, creed, or ability to pay.

#### St. Anthony Community, Phoenix Arizona - December - \$1,734.54

To help rebuild the church nearly destroyed by fire in a neighborhood known as "Mexican and poor".

#### **International Rescue Committee - January - \$675.42**

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.

## Refugee Voices - January - \$675.42

Monies support efforts to raise consciousness among U.S. citizens about the plight of refugees worldwide.

# Beans and Bread and the Frederick Ozanam House - February - \$1,676.52

Monies help to feed the homeless and to provide an array of outreach services to them.

#### Hurricane Mitch Relief (Catholic Relief Services) - March - \$1,782.46

Monies to help Catholic Relief Services staff provide food, clean water, shelter and more to those in Central America who have seen their lives absolutely devastated.

#### Kosovo Relief Effort (Catholic Relief Services) - April - \$2,949.65

Monies help Catholic Relief Services personnel stationed in the Balkans provide food, medicines/medications and other help.

#### AIDS Interfaith Network of Central Maryland - May - \$1,395.45

Provides the costs of funeral services and burial for those that cannot afford it; spiritual support groups; prayer services and continuing education services.

## Interfaith Housing of Western Maryland - June - \$1,383.91

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.

## Parishioner Donated Total - \$20,390.96

# Funds donated from the parish budget for Fiscal Year 1999 - \$1,000

## **Archbishop Spalding High School - \$100.00**

Monies to help with repairs on the school chapel.

# **Benedictine Sisters of Baltimore - \$100.00**

Monies to help with repairs on their facility.

# Happy Helpers for the Homeless - \$200.00

Monies to help provide sandwiches, etc. to the homeless of the area.

# **News Ways Ministry - \$100.00**

Addresses discrimination against gay/lesbian persons in the Catholic Church, promotes attitudinal change and acceptance of gay/lesbian persons through education to combat homophobia.

#### Sister M Justa Walton Fund - \$350.00

Funds programs for children and adults with mental retardation, from religious education programs to camping experiences at Camp GLOW.

#### Winter Relief Shelter- \$150.00

Funds to help purchase needed supplies for the rotating shelter.

**Budgeted Total - \$1,000** 

**Total donated - \$21,390.96**