

**Approved**  
**Social Justice Committee Minutes**  
April 6, 2015

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. at the St. Isidore Catholic Center, Osage Iowa. We opened with a prayer for Social Justice by Mother Teresa.  
Members Present: Annette Uker, Carol Mullenbach, Margaret Smolik, Julie Neeley, and Jo Popp

Old Business:

- The minutes of the January 12, 2015 meeting were read, corrected and approved. They will be submitted to Jo Popp and Annette Uker who will make sure they are forwarded for publication.

New Business:

- Annette Uker gave us a Pastoral Minister's Report. We went over the 2<sup>nd</sup> Collections. The collection for Steve Weis's trip to Haiti was quite impressive. Over \$2,500! We discussed upcoming collections and are pretty well set until August. We will have the back to school collection boxes set up in the backs of church all of July. The July collection will also be for back to school items.
- Annette also went over the Faith Formation's Social Justice participation. Several students went to Shop on State and cleaned for them one Saturday. Others went to the Comp Systems and played games with them. I know we had some students also visit the Nursing Homes over Valentine's day and Easter as well.
- Other ideas discussed were the collection of pop tabs for the Ronald McDonald House, and Jo will bring more information on collecting for harder plastic water bottle lids.
- Financial report: Margaret Smolik reported there have been no changes to our account since the last report was given

The meeting closed with another Social Justice Prayer.

Next Meeting will be held at the home of Carol Mullenbach on Monday evening, June 1 at 6:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Carol Mullenbach, Secretary